



**BACHELOR of ARTS in CHINESE (#624)**

**With Teacher Certification**

Department of Modern Languages

Potter College of Arts and Letters

Western Kentucky University

The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s). Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.

**Placement:** You should begin the curriculum at the right level based on your previous knowledge. If you begin in 101, you should take bi-term classes when available. If you begin higher than 101, you may make use of the verified credit policy to get credit for what you know and accrue hours towards the total of 120 needed for graduation. Read about placement and verified credit at: [www.wku.edu/modernlanguages/placement](http://www.wku.edu/modernlanguages/placement).

**Study Abroad:** A full semester abroad - or at a minimum 1-2 shorter term study abroad experiences - are strongly recommended. Consult with your advisor and plan ahead.

**SAMPLE – Finish in Four Plan**

FIRST YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
CHIN 101 or CHNF 101. Elementary Chinese I	3 or 4	CHIN 102 or CHNF 102. Elementary Chinese II	3 or 4
Colonnade I. Foundations, (1) College Composition, ENG 100	3	Colonnade I. Foundations, (3) Human Communication, COMM 145	3
Colonnade I. Foundations, (6) World History, HIST 101 or 102	3	Colonnade I. Foundations, (4) Quantitative Reasoning, MATH 109*	3
Colonnade II. Explorations, (1) Arts and Humanities. – ARC100 or choose one from menu	3	Colonnade II. Explorations, (3) Natural and Physical Sciences – choose one from menu	3
Colonnade II. Explorations, (2) Social and Behavioral Sciences – PSY 100	3	General Elective - explore options for a minor or second major	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15-16</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15-16</b>

SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
CHIN 201 or CHNF 201. Intermediate Chinese I	3 or 4	CHIN 202 or CHNF 202. Intermediate Chinese II	3 or 4
CHIN Elective (200- or 300-level)	3	CHIN Elective (200- or 300-level)	3
Colonnade I. Foundations, (5) Introduction to Literature, ENG 200	3	Colonnade III. Connections, (1) Social and Cultural – RELS318 or choose one from menu	3
Colonnade II. Explorations, (3) Natural and Physical Sciences with Lab – choose one	3 or 4	Colonnade III. Connections, (2) Local to Global - choose one from menu	3
EDU 250. Introduction to Teacher Education	3	PSY 310. Educational Psychology: Development and Learning	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15-17</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15-16</b>

THIRD YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
CHIN 301 or CHNF 301. Advanced Intermediate Chinese I	3 or 4	CHIN 302 or CHNF 302. Advanced Intermediate Chinese II	3 or 4
CHIN 320. Chinese Conversation and Composition	3	CHIN 420. Chinese Culture and Civilization	3
Colonnade I. Foundations, (2) Writing in the Disciplines –ENG 300	3	Colonnade III. Connections, (3) Systems – RELS317 or choose one from menu	3
SPED 330. Introduction to Exceptional Education: Diversity in Learning	3	MLNG 410. Second Language Acquisition	3
SEC 351. Teaching Strategies for Secondary Schools	3	LTCY 421. Content Area Reading in the Middle and Secondary Grades	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15-16</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15-16</b>

FOURTH YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
CHIN401 or CHNF420. Advanced Chinese I or Media Chinese	3	EDU 489. Student Teaching Seminar	3
CHIN/CHNF Elective (300/400)	3	SEC 490. Student Teaching	10
CHIN/CHNF Elective (300/400)	3		
SEC 453. Management of Instruction	3		
MLNG 474. Teaching Foreign Language	3		
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>13</b>

**Total Credit Hours: 120**

**PLEASE NOTE:** For more details and courses offered in the Colonnade General Education program visit the [website](#). Consult your advisor each semester.

**\*\*World Language Requirement:** Language Proficiency of novice-high before completing 60 credit hours is required (or completion of 2nd level of a language). Two credits (or equivalent) of a single world language in High School satisfies this WKU requirement.

**\*\*\*Hours include a minor requiring 21 total hours.**

**For more Information:**

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