

Chinese BA

FOUR-YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

12 Required Core Credits

18 Flexible Core Credits

12 College Option Credits

39 Major Credits

39 Elective Credits

This 4-year academic plan is for freshmen entering Queens College in Fall 2025.

Our 4-year academic plans are illustrative examples of integrated degree requirements and course sequencing for each of the College's programs of study which are designed to ensure degree completion in a timely manner. Students are advised to meet with professional and faculty advisors to tailor their degree maps to their individual interests (academic and career goals), as well as other considerations including course offerings and the incorporation of winter and summer sessions. Course pre-requisite/s and co-requisite/s are strictly enforced, as are entrance and maintenance criteria (if applicable) for the successful completion of the degree.

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Freshman

FALL

English Composition I (EC1)	3 credits
CHIN 311 (LANG)	3 credits
Advanced Modern Chinese	
Math & Quantitative Reasoning (MQR)	3 credits
Life & Physical Science (LPS)	4 credits
World Cultures & Global Issues (WCGI)	3 credits

Fall total credits

16 credits

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English Composition II (EC2)	3 credits
CHIN 314 (LANG)	3 credits
Chinese Grammar, Rhetoric, & Composition	
Creative Expression (CE)	3 credits
Individual and Society (IS)	3 credits
Scientific World (SW)	3 credits

Spring total credits

15 credits

Sophomore

FALL

CHIN 250	3 credits
Introduction to Classical Chinese I	
CHIN 315	3 credits
Writing Modern Chinese	
U.S Experience in its Diversity (USED)	3 credits
An Additional Flexible Core	3 credits
One Writing Intensive Unit (W)	3 credits

Fall total credits

15 credits

SPRING

CHIN 251	3 credits
Introduction to Classical Chinese II	
CHIN 317	3 credits
Introduction to Formal Chinese Linguistics	
College Option Science (SCI)	3 credits
One Writing Intensive Unit (W)	3 credits
Second major, minor, or general electives**	3 credits

Spring total credits

15 credits

General Education requirements may be taken in any order if the pre-requisite requirement(s) is/are satisfied.

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Junior

FALL

EAST 250 (LIT)	3 credits
Modern Chinese Fiction in Translation	
CHIN 318, 320, or 330	3 credits
Introduction to Applied Linguistics	
Second major, minor, or general electives	9 credits

Fall total credits

15 credits

SPRING

EAST 253	3 credits
Contemporary Chinese Film	
CHIN 340, 350	3 credits
Reading from Chinese History	
Second major, minor, or general electives	9 credits

Spring total credits

15 credits

Senior

FALL

CHINE 360, 370	3 credits
Traditional Chinese Literature	
Second major, minor, or general electives	12 credits

Fall total credits

15 credits

SPRING

EAST 380	3 credits
Research Seminar in East Asian Studies	
Second major, minor, or general electives	12 credits

Spring total credits

15 credits

****General Electives:** Students may complete general electives by taking courses in (most) department/s or programs they choose; however, depending on the course/program, students may need department permission and/or prerequisite course/s. Electives may be used to supplement the chosen major (an English major may want to take a course in French or Italian literature) or to fulfill interest in a different area (a Music major may be interested in the physics of sound). Students are encouraged to use available electives to complete a dual major, minor, pre-requisites for graduate or professional school, or complete and internship, experiential learning and/or study abroad. Students are encouraged to use their available general electives wisely and focus on coursework that will assist them personally, academically and professionally.