# Bachelor of Arts in Chinese: Concentration in Flagship Chinese Language Roadmap

120 Total Units Required  
Minimum Number of Units in the Major: 44

## Course Title Units

### First Semester
- **CHIN 101**  
  First Semester Chinese  
  GE Area A: Oral Communication (A1) or Critical Thinking (A3)  
  GE Area A: Written English Communication (A2)  
  GE Area B: Quantitative Reasoning (B4)  
  Complementary Studies or SF State Studies or University Elective  
  Units: 18

### Second Semester
- **CHIN 102**  
  Second Semester Chinese  
  GE Area A: Oral Communication (A1) or Critical Thinking (A3)  
  GE Area A: Written English Communication II (A4)  
  Complementary Studies or SF State Studies or University Elective  
  Units: 13

### Third Semester
- **CHIN 103**  
  Third Semester Chinese  
  GE Area A: Written English Communication II (A4) if not already satisfied  
  GE Area B: Life Science (B2) and Laboratory Science (B3)  
  GE Area D: U.S. History (D2) or U.S. and California Government (D3)  
  Units: 13-14

### Fourth Semester
- GE Area B: Physical Science (B1) and Laboratory Science (B3)  
  GE Area C: Arts (C1)  
  GE Area C: Humanities: Literature (C3)  
  GE Area D: Social Sciences (D1)  
  Complementary Studies or SF State Studies or University Elective  
  Units: 15-16

### Fifth Semester
- **CHIN 303**  
  Intermediate Chinese  
  MLL 325  
  Linguistics for Foreign Languages  
  Select One of the Listed Courses  
  Units: 15

### Sixth Semester
- **CHIN 311**  
  Conversation and Reading  
  GE Area UD-B: Upper Division Physical and/or Life Sciences (Consider SF State Studies Course)  
  Complementary Studies or SF State Studies or University Elective – Take Two  
  Units: 16

### Seventh Semester
- **CHIN 312**  
  Speech and Writing  
  CHIN 401  
  Advanced Chinese  
  GE Area UD-D: Upper Division Social Sciences (Consider SF State Studies Course)  
  Complementary Studies or SF State Studies or University Elective – Take Two  
  Units: 15

### Eighth Semester
- Flagship Content Course  
  CHIN 475 or CHIN 476  
  CHIN 501  
  Introduction to Classical Chinese  
  Complementary Studies or SF State Studies or University Elective – Take Two  
  Units: 15

Total Units: 120-122

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1. To avoid taking additional units, it is recommended that you meet **LLD and SF State Studies** requirements (AERM, GP, ES, SJ) within your GE or major.
2. ENG 114 can only be taken if you complete Directed Self-Placement (DSP) and select ENG 114; if you choose ENG 104/ENG 105 through DSP you will satisfy A2 upon successful completion of ENG 105 in the second semester; multilingual students may be advised into alternative English courses.
3. Depending on courses completed through Early Start, students in Pathway/Category 3 or 4 may be required to enroll in a support course to complement their Quantitative Reasoning/B4 requirement. There are multiple course options for this pathway. Before enrolling in a B4 course, students should verify their MATH Pathway/Category in their Student Center (http://cms.sfsu.edu/content/student-center). Information regarding the courses that correspond with your MATH Pathway/Category can be found on the Developmental Studies Office Website (http://developmentalstudies.sfsu.edu).
Complementary Studies

Required of all candidates for the Bachelor of Arts degree in Chinese are 12 units of Complementary Studies, which must come from courses bearing a prefix other than CHIN, and not cross-listed with CHIN. Complementary Studies for the Chinese major can be satisfied via four possible routes:

1. 12 units in any foreign language other than Chinese (may include up to three units of MLL prefix courses);
2. 12 units of coursework taken in an approved study abroad program (including CSU Study Abroad, SF State Bilateral, Chinese Flagship, and SLI Translation-Interpretation programs);
3. 12 units of coursework taken as part of a second major, a minor or a certificate;
4. 12 units of coursework in related disciplines with the approval of a Chinese Program advisor.

Related disciplines typically include linguistics, literature, philosophy, history, education, and any aspect of Greater China, East Asia, or Asian Americans.

Where a course with a non-CHIN prefix is taken as a core requirement or elective for the Chinese major, the said course may also (double) count towards Complementary Studies only via the Study Abroad option or the 2nd Major, Minor, or Certificate option listed above.

Students satisfying Complementary Studies through the Foreign Language option are allowed a maximum of three units of overlap of MLL prefix courses between Chinese major and Complementary Studies units. Students satisfying Complementary Studies through the Related Subjects option are not allowed to double-count major and Complementary Studies units.

Consider taking a class combined with a laboratory or a separate lab to fulfill B3 if not already satisfied.

CHIN 600 Topics in Chinese Language, Literature, and Culture in English (3 units)
CHIN 601GW The Poetic Tradition - GWAR (3 units)
CHIN 602 The Narrative Tradition in English (3 units)
CHIN 611GW The Revolutionary Tradition in Modern Chinese Literature - GWAR (3 units)
CHIN 612GW Negotiating Chineseness in the Late 20th and 21st Centuries - GWAR (3 units)
HUM 530 Chinese Civilization (3 units)

GWAR Course (3 units) if not chosen from the 600 level courses above or upper division elective in Chinese or related area (upon advising).

Pre-existing university course taught in Chinese by Chinese-proficient faculty in any department.