

# JAPANESE B.A.

## Bachelor of Arts - Japanese

### College Humanities & Sciences

Degree Specific Credits: 55

Required Cumulative GPA: 2.5

### Catalog Year: 2017-2018

**Note:** Students are required to maintain a minimum GPA of 2.5 in all their upper-division JPNS courses presented in fulfillment of requirements for the Japanese major. All other courses taken to satisfy the requirements of the major or minor must be completed with a grade of C- or better; the minimum GPA required is 2.00 in all lower division work attempted in the major.

## General Education Requirements

Information regarding these requirements can be found in the General Education Section (<http://catalog.umd.edu/academics/general-education-requirements>) of the catalog.

## Summary

Lower Division Core Courses	29
Language Core	
Culture and Civilization Core	
East Asian Studies	
Upper Division Core Courses	14
Major Electives	12
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>55</b>

## Lower Division Core Courses

**Rule:** Complete the following subcategories of courses:

29 Total Credits Required

### Language Core

**Rule:** Must complete all of the following courses:

JPNS 101	Elementary Japanese I	5
JPNS 102	Elementary Japanese II	5
JPNS 201	Intermediate Japanese I	5
JPNS 202	Intermediate Japanese II	5
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>20</b>

Minimum Required Grade: C-

### Culture and Civilization Core

**Rule:** Must complete the following course:

JPNS 150H	Japanese Cult & Civiliz	3
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>3</b>

Minimum Required Grade: C-

## East Asian Studies

**Note:** Student must complete at least 2 East Asian studies or history courses on Japan or East Asia at any level that are not taught in the Modern and Classical Languages and Literature department for a total of 6 additional credits.

## Upper Division Core Courses

**Rule:** Must complete all of the following courses:

**Note:** Either JPNS 412 or JPNS 415 may be taken to complete the 14 credits. JPNS 411 is repeatable once.

JPNS 301	Advanced Japanese	4
JPNS 302	Advanced Japanese	4
JPNS 411	Mod Jpns Wrtrs/Thinkers (repeatable once)	3
JPNS 412	Intro Classical Japanese	3
or JPNS 415	Adv Jpns for Professionals	
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>14</b>

Minimum Required Grade: C-

## Major Electives

**Note:**

- JPNS 392 may be taken for up to 3 credits only.
- Only 3 credits from JPNS 390 or JPNS 392 may count towards the 9 credits.
- JPNS 391 may only be counted as an elective when the course is a Japanese literature, Japanese pedagogy/linguistics, or Japanese cultural course not part of basic Japanese language instruction.

Select 12 credits from the following:	12	
JPNS 311	Jpns Clasc Lit Engl Trans	
JPNS 312	Jpns Lit Medieval to Mod	
JPNS 371	Japanese Film and Anime	
JPNS 390	Research	
JPNS 391	Special Topics	
JPNS 392	Independent Study	
JPNS 431	Post-War Japanese Lit	
JPNS 491	Special Topics	
JPNS 492	Independent Study	
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>12</b>

Minimum Required Grade: C-