Placements in Language Courses
All students who wish to take an Asian language course at UCLA must take the appropriate language placement exam (see ALC website for more information). The exam determines which course is most appropriate for the student’s current level of proficiency. Students who have obtained college credit for a class may not repeat those courses for credit.

Lower Division Preparation
*All lower division courses must be completed with a “C” or better. A minimum 2.5 GPA is required for both 1) the language and 2) Ling 20 and Civilization/Religion course.

☐ The equivalent of intermediate level (6, 6A, 10 or equivalent) in an Asian language through coursework or placement exam. Students may choose from Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Filipino, Indonesian, Thai or Vietnamese.

AND

☐ ONE (1) Introduction to Linguistic Analysis course:
Linguistics 20

AND

☐ ONE (1) of the following civilization/religion courses:

Upper Division Major Requirements
*All upper division courses are numbered 100 and above

☐ FIVE (5) upper division language courses of the same Asian language as the preparation

OR

☐ THREE (3) upper division language courses of the same Asian language as the preparation and TWO (2) upper division courses in a different Asian language (upper division courses only):


South Asian- 110A, 110B, 110C, 115 or 170

Southeast Asian- Filipino 100A, 130A, 152, 155; Indonesian 100A, 100B, 100C; Thai 100A, 100B, 100C; Vietnamese 100A, 100B, 100C

AND
- TWO (2) upper division Asian Linguistics courses:
  Asian CM124, Chinese 103, Chinese C120, Japanese M120, Japanese M122, Japanese CM123, Japanese CM127, Korean CM120, South Asian 170

  AND

- ONE (1) upper division Methods in Asian Linguistics course:
  Asian 100

  AND

- ONE (1) upper division Asian Language Pedagogy course:
  Asian 104

  AND

- TWO (2) upper division electives within the Department of Asian Languages and Cultures or Department of Linguistics

The Asian Languages and Cultures Honors Program is open to Asian Languages and Linguistics majors with a 3.5 departmental and a 3.0 overall grade-point average. Students should apply for admission by Winter Quarter of their junior year. Please ask an ALC Advisor for details.

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