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Golden Bear Orientation

Join your peers in the campus-wide UC Berkeley **orientation** program for all new students.

Events

Attend department events with students, faculty, and staff. Visit ealc.berkeley.edu for news and updates.

ADVISING

Students can drop in to 3413 Dwinelle Hall to speak with an advisor, call (510) 642-3480, or email questions to ealc-advising@berkeley.edu.

Advising Drop-In Hours:

Monday - Friday 9am-12pm, 1-4pm

For general information about the major, visit ealc.berkeley.edu/programs/undergraduate.

HOW TO USE THIS MAP

Use this map to help plan and guide your experience at UC Berkeley, including academic, co-curricular, and discovery opportunities. Everyone's Berkeley experience is different and activities in this map are suggestions. Always consult with your advisors whenever possible for new opportunities and updates.

Visit ue.berkeley.edu/majormaps for the latest version of this major map.

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East Asian Languages and Cultures

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CHINESE LANGUAGE

Bachelor of Arts

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INTRODUCTION TO THE MAJOR

The **Chinese Language** major focuses on the humanistic investigation of major East Asian traditions by teaching students the modern and classical forms of the language; reading texts in their historical and cultural contexts; and introducing students to the vast array of literary, artistic, philosophical, and cultural traditions of East Asia and their transformations in modernity.

UC Berkeley is a world-renowned center for the study of East Asian Humanities. Whether you want to master Chinese, immerse yourself in the literary and cultural traditions of East Asia, absorb the profound insights of its philosophical and poetic texts, or come to a deeper understanding of the modern and contemporary histories and media cultures of this complex and vital region, East Asian Languages and Cultures department (EALC) has something for you.



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“ *EALC not only nurtures me into a young scholar but also a more complete person.* ”

– Yisheng Tang, EALC graduate

ADDITIONAL OPTIONS

- If you are interested in the language or culture but choose not to major in Chinese, ask about our **minors** in Buddhist Studies, Chinese, Japanese, Korean, and Tibetan.
- If you are interested in the Chinese language and wish to focus on religion and philosophy, consider the **East Asian Religion, Thought and Culture major**.

AMPLIFY YOUR MAJOR

- Visit the **Institute of East Asian Studies**, the **C.V. Starr East Asian Library**, and other **Friends+Partners** of EALC.
- Get support to further your studies in Chinese culture and history by applying to **The Anne H. Scott Memorial Undergraduate Scholarship in Chinese Studies**.

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