

## 2024 - 2025 Major Map

### Jewish Studies, BA

School/College: The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences  
LAJSTBA

Term 1 0 - 16 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR ⚠ ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ASU 101 or college-specific equivalent First-Year Seminar required of all first-year students</li> <li><b>ASU Language Placement and Testing:</b> Only true beginners are eligible for 101-level second language courses. All other students are required to take a placement exam, regardless of prior credit earned, to verify the course level is appropriate. Students already proficient in a second language may take a proficiency exam.</li> <li>Biblical Hebrew language courses are worth 3 credit hours each. Students completing Biblical Hebrew will need additional elective credit hours to reach the 120 required for graduation.</li> <li>Select your <b>Career Interest Communities</b> and <b>play me3@ASU</b>.</li> </ul>
LIA 101: Student Success in The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences	1		
MAT 142: College Mathematics (MATH OR MA)	3	C	
Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following: * Completion of Modern Hebrew, Biblical Hebrew, Arabic, German, Polish, Russian or Spanish at the intermediate level (202 or equivalent).	4	C	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (SOBE)	3		
Elective	2		
Term hours subtotal:	16		
Term 2 16 - 30 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR ⚠ ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>JST/REL 210, HST/JST/REL 211 and HST/JST/REL 230 are all required courses for the Jewish Studies major and may be taken in any order. The order shown on this map is a suggested one, but may vary depending on course availability.</li> <li>Join a <b>student club</b> or professional organization.</li> <li>If interested in law school, review the <b>Pre-Law at ASU</b> website.</li> </ul>
HST 230: Introduction to Jewish Civilization (GCSI OR HU & H & G) or JST 230: Introduction to Jewish Civilization (GCSI OR HU & H & G) or REL 230: Introduction to Jewish Civilization (GCSI OR HU & H & G)	3	C	
Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following: * Completion of Modern Hebrew, Biblical Hebrew, Arabic, German, Polish, Russian or Spanish at the intermediate level (202 or equivalent).	4	C	
Scientific Thinking in Natural Sciences (SCIT)	4		
⚠ Complete ENG 101 OR ENG 105 OR ENG 107 course(s).			
Maintain 2.50 GPA in Major Courses.			
Term hours subtotal:	14		
Term 3 30 - 46 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
JST 210: Introduction to Judaism (HU & H) or REL 210: Introduction to Judaism (HU & H)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Related Area course selected from list at bottom of map.</li> <li>Explore opportunities to <b>study abroad</b>.</li> </ul>
Related Area Course	3	C	

Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following:

\* Completion of Modern Hebrew, Biblical Hebrew, Arabic, 4 C  
German, Polish, Russian or Spanish at the intermediate level (202 or equivalent).

American Institutions (AMIT) 3

Quantitative Reasoning (QTRS) 3

❖ Complete Mathematics (MATH) requirement.

Complete First-Year Composition requirement.

Maintain 2.50 GPA in Major Courses.

Term hours subtotal: 16

Term 4 46 - 60 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ❖	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
HST 211: Jews and Judaism in America (SB & H & C) or JST 211: Jews and Judaism in America (SB & H & C) or REL 211: Jews and Judaism in America (SB & H & C)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Jewish Studies elective selected from list at bottom of map.</li> <li>Visit <a href="#">Career and Professional Development Services</a> and meet with a <a href="#">career advisor</a> for assistance with career planning and networking.</li> <li>If interested in law school, <a href="#">make an appointment</a> with the pre-law advisor.</li> </ul>
Jewish Studies Elective	3	C	
Second Language: Requirement satisfied through the following: * Completion of Modern Hebrew, Biblical Hebrew, Arabic, German, Polish, Russian or Spanish at the intermediate level (202 or equivalent).	4	C	
Scientific Thinking in Natural Sciences (SCIT)	4		
❖ Maintain 2.50 GPA in Major Courses.			
Term hours subtotal:	14		

Term 5 60 - 75 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ Upper Division Jewish Studies Elective	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consider participating in an <a href="#">Undergraduate Research Experience</a> through the School of Historical, Philosophical and Religious Studies or a research opportunity in the <a href="#">Humanities Lab</a>.</li> </ul>
Upper Division Related Area Course	3	C	
Humanities, Arts and Design (HUAD)	3		
Sustainability (SUST)	3		
Upper Division Elective	3		
Maintain 2.50 GPA in Major Courses.			
Term hours subtotal:	15		

Term 6 75 - 90 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ Complete 2 courses: Upper Division Jewish Studies Elective	6	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explore <a href="#">graduate school</a> opportunities.</li> <li>If planning on law school, prepare to take the <a href="#">LSAT</a>.</li> <li>Participate in an <a href="#">internship</a> to gain valuable career experience and contacts. For help exploring internship <a href="#">opportunities related to your major</a>, meet with an academic advisor.</li> </ul>
Related Area Course	3	C	
Humanities, Arts and Design (HUAD)	3		
Upper Division Elective OR JST 484: Internship	3		
Maintain 2.50 GPA in Major Courses.			
Term hours subtotal:	15		

Term 7 90 - 105 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ Upper Division Jewish Studies Elective	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use Handshake to research <a href="#">employment opportunities</a>.</li> <li>Attend <a href="#">career fairs, workshops and related events</a> offered by Career and Professional Development Services.</li> </ul>
Upper Division Related Area Course	3	C	
Complete 2 courses: Upper Division Elective	6		
Governance and Civic Engagement (CIVI)	3		
Maintain 2.50 GPA in Major Courses.			
Term hours subtotal:	15		

Term 8 105 - 120 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ⭐	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
⭐ JST 490: Methods of Historical Inquiry (L)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• JST 490 is the capstone course for the Jewish Studies major and is typically offered only in Spring semesters.</li><li>• Take advantage of mock interview opportunities and assistance with writing resumes and cover letters.</li><li>• Apply for career opportunities.</li></ul>
⭐ Upper Division Jewish Studies Elective	3	C	
Upper Division Related Area Course	3	C	
Complete 2 courses:	6		
Upper Division Elective			
⭐ Maintain 2.50 GPA in Major Courses.			
Term hours subtotal:	15		

#### Hide Course List(s)/Track Group(s)

Jewish Studies Electives	Related Area
ENG 333: American Jewish Literature during the Cold War	ASB OR HST OR HUL OR POS OR REL OR SGS OR SOC OR WST Elective
ENG 356: The Bible as Literature	AFR 200: Introduction to Africana Studies (GCSI OR SB & G & H)
HEB 375: Contemporary Culture of Israel (HU & G)	AFR 301: Race and Racism in Africa/African Diaspora (SB & G)
HST 302: Jews, Christians & Muslims in Early Modern World	AFR 318: African and African Diaspora Women Writers (HU & G)
HST 302: Jews, Christians & Muslims in the Medieval World	AFR 370: Family Ethnic and Cultural Diversity (CIVI OR SB & C)
HST 304: Exiles, Migrants, Refugees in Jewish History	AFR 375: Race, Gender and Sport (SOBE OR SB & C)
HST 304: History of Antisemitism	ARB 250: Middle East Culture in a Global Perspective (GCSI OR HU & G) or SLC 250: Middle East Culture in a Global Perspective (GCSI OR HU & G)
HST 304: Jews and Christians in the Middle Ages	ARB 331: Arabic/Islamic Culture and Literature (GCSI OR HU & H & G)
HST 304: Nazi Germany	ARB 335: Arabic Culture and Islam (GCSI OR G)
HST 304: Rebirth of European Jewish Life after 1950	ARB 336: Introduction to the Qur'an (GCSI OR G)
HST 358: Jewish History from Antiquity to 1492 (SB & H)	ARB 337: Hadith and Prophetic Tradition (HU & H & G)
HST 359: Jewish History from 1492 to 1948 (SB & G & H)	ARB 341: Quran Text and Women (GCSI OR HU & H)
HST 372: Modern Middle East (GCSI OR SB & G & H)	ARB 351: Classical Arabic Literature (HU & G)
JST 302: Studies in History	ARB 352: Modern Arabic Literature in Translation (HU & G)
JST 304: Studies in European History	CRJ 100: Introduction to Criminal Justice (SOBE OR SB)
JST 314: Jewish Philosophy or HST 390: Jewish Philosophy or PHI 390: Jewish Philosophy or REL 314: Jewish Philosophy	ENG 315: Medieval Literature in Translation
JST 315: Hebrew Bible (Old Testament) (HUAD OR (L or HU) & H) or REL 315: Hebrew Bible (Old Testament) (HUAD OR (L or HU) & H)	ENG 333: American Ethnic Literature
JST 316: Literary Readings of the Hebrew Bible (L or HU) or ENG 316: Literary	

ENG 364: Women and Literature (HUAD OR HU)

GCU 328: Geography of Middle East and North Africa (GCSI OR SB & G)

GER 315: Germanic Mythology

GER 416: German Civilization (HU & H & G)

GER 421: German Literature Survey, 800-1800 (HU)

GER 422: German Literature Survey, 1800-Today (L or HU)

GER 431: German Humor

GER 441: Fairy Tales to Disney Movies (GCSI OR HU & G)

IAS 430: Science and Religion (HUAD OR HU)

JUS 320: Community and Social Justice (SB & C)

JUS 352: The Global Politics of Human Rights (CIVI OR SB & G)

JUS 360: Law and Social Control (SOBE OR SB)

JUS 374: The Holocaust, Genocide, and Human Rights

JUS 425: Race, Gender, and Justice (CIVI OR SB)

JUS 430: Social Protest, Conflict, and Change (CIVI OR (L or SB) & C)

JUS 438: Human Differences: Dilemmas of Justice (CIVI OR (L or HU) & C)

JUS 467: Terrorism, War, and Justice (CIVI OR SB)

PHI 336: Social and Political Philosophy (HU)

PSY 350: Social Psychology (SOBE OR SB)

SLC 142: Ancient Greek Civilization (HUAD OR HU & H) or GRK 142: Ancient Greek Civilization (HUAD OR HU & H)

SLC 223: Introduction to Greek and Roman Mythology (HUAD OR HU) or GRK 223: Introduction to Greek and Roman Mythology (HUAD OR HU) or LAT 223: Introduction to Greek and Roman Mythology (HUAD OR HU)

SLC 361: Roman Religion (HU) or LAT 361: Roman Religion (HU)

HEB 316: Literary Readings of the Hebrew Bible (L or HU) or REL 316: Literary Readings of the Hebrew Bible (L or HU)	SLC 362: Ancient Greek Religion (HU) or GRK 362: Ancient Greek Religion (HU)
JST 346: Israeli Wars in Israeli Movies (HU & G) or FMS 349: Israeli Wars in Israeli Movies (HU & G) or HEB 349: Israeli Wars in Israeli Movies (HU & G)	SLC 444: Heroes, Ancient and Modern (L or HU) or GRK 444: Heroes, Ancient and Modern (L or HU) or LAT 444: Heroes, Ancient and Modern (L or HU)
JST 347: Modern Israeli Literature in Translation (HU & G) or ENG 347: Modern Israeli Literature in Translation (HU & G) or HEB 347: Modern Israeli Literature in Translation (HU & G) or SLC 347: Modern Israeli Literature in Translation (HU & G)	SLC 455: Berlin: Migration, Arts and Activism (G) or GER 455: Berlin: Migration, Arts and Activism (G)
JST 348: Israeli Society and Culture (HU & G) or HEB 348: Israeli Society and Culture (HU & G) or SLC 348: Israeli Society and Culture (HU & G) or REL 311: Israeli Society and Culture (HU & G)	SPA 325: Introduction to Hispanic Literature (HUAD OR HU)
JST 349: Nature, Sustainability and Religion (SUST) or HPS 349: Nature, Sustainability and Religion (SUST) or REL 349: Nature, Sustainability and Religion (SUST) or SOS 349: Nature, Sustainability and Religion (SUST)	SPA 425: Understanding Spain: Literature and Culture Before 1700 (HU)
JST 369: History and Memory of the Holocaust or HST 369: History and Memory of the Holocaust or REL 312: History and Memory of the Holocaust	SPA 426: Literature and Society in Modern Spain (HU)
JST 411: Judaism and the Beginnings of Christianity (HU & H) or HEB 411: Judaism and the Beginnings of Christianity (HU & H) or REL 411: Judaism and the Beginnings of Christianity (HU & H)	SPA 427: Colonial and Postcolonial Latin American Literature (HUAD OR L or HU)
JST 445: Holocaust, War and German Memory (HU) or FMS 445: Holocaust, War and German Memory (HU) or GER 445: Holocaust, War and German Memory (HU) or SLC 445: Holocaust, War and German Memory (HU)	SPA 428: Foundational Texts of Latin American Literature Since Modernismo ((L or HU) & G)
JST 460: World War II (HUAD OR HU & H & G) or HST 460: World War II (HUAD OR HU & H & G)	SPA 429: Writing Mexico: Major Texts ((L or HU) & G)
JST 491: History of Antisemitism	SPA 434: Drama of the Golden Age
JST 495: Judaism, Science and World Religions	SPA 456: 20th-Century Spanish American Fiction
JST 496: Biblical Narratives: Literary Approaches	SPA 464: JaitÃ³n Works in Chicano/a Literature ((HU or SB) & C)
REL 207: Ritual, Symbol, and Myth (HUAD OR L or HU)	SPA 471: Civilization of the Indohispanomexicano Southwest (HUAD OR C)
REL 310: Western Religious Traditions (HU & H)	SPA 472: Latin American Society: Five Case Studies (HU & H & G)
REL 385: Contemporary Western Religious Thought (HU)	SPA 473: Old and New Spaniards: Culture and Civilization of Spain (HUAD OR (HU or SB) & G)
	SPA 485: Chicano/a Short Story: Espanglish, Barrio y Xicanisma (L)
	SPA 486: Chicano/a Novel: Ãltima, Rafa y Lala
	SPA 487: Chicano/a Drama: Pachucos, Vendidos y Cerezitas (C)
	THP 482: Theatre for Social Change (C)

REL 410: Judaism in Modern Times (HU & H)

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SLC 320: Compassion: A Dialogue Between the Humanities, the Sciences and the Arts (HU)

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STS 364: Science, Technology, and National Security (SB)

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- **Total Hours:** 120
- **Upper Division Hours:** 45 minimum
- **University Undergraduate Graduation Requirements**

**Notes:**

Mathematics Placement Assessment score determines placement in first mathematics course.

Please keep in mind that the applicability of a specific transfer course toward an ASU degree program depends on the requirements of the department, division, college or school in which you are enrolled at ASU. Transfer agreements that guarantee the completion of university level requirements do not necessarily meet college and major requirements. Please consult with an advisor for more information.

At least 12 upper-division hours in the major must be in courses offered by The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

General Studies designations listed next to courses on the major map were valid for the 2024 - 2025 academic year. Please refer to the course catalog for current General Studies designations at time of class registration. General Studies credit is applied according to the designation the course carries at the time the class is taken.