

May not receive credit for HIST 10 and HIST 10H.

### **SCHEDULE DESCRIPTION**

History of East, South, and Southeast Asia from the prehistoric age to the early modern period. Emphasizes social, political, economic, and cultural changes in Asia from a regional and comparative perspective. An honors course is designed to provide an enriched experience. Students may not receive credit for both HIST 10 and HIST 10H.

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#### **Course Outline with Information**

#### **MEASURABLE OBJECTIVES**

1.  
Compare and contrast the emergence of agricultural societies and pastoralist societies in Asia.
2.  
Analyze the political, social, and economic hierarchies of kingdoms and empires in China, Japan, India, and Southeast Asia.
3.  
Evaluate changes over time to the political, cultural, and economic systems that helped unify China from the Qin to the Ming dynasties.
4.  
Evaluate the development of gender and kinship roles in different regions of Asia.
5.  
Evaluate the philosophies, religions, and cultural ideas and organizations that emerged in Asia during the pre-modern age.
6.  
Analyze the significance of the Silk Road and Maritime trade networks.

#### **LECTURE TOPICAL OUTLINE**

- Reasons for studying Asia, geography of Asia
- Eurasian agricultural revolution and pastoralist societies
- Neolithic China and Japan
- Bronze Age India and China (Indus Valley and Shang)
- Age of warfare and philosophy in Zhou China
- Unification of China and Han bureaucratic Empire
- India and Buddhism's beginning
- Trade throughout Asia, including the Silk Road and Maritime Trade
- Japanese Shinto and the spread of Buddhism
- China's "Golden Age" under the Tang
- Heian Japanese court culture
- Gender, kinship roles, and political legitimization in Southeast Asia
- Southeast Asia's early maritime and trade kingdoms and rice and temple kingdoms
- Islam in Asia, political, economic, and cultural influences
- Song commercial revolution
- Rise of the warrior and Japan's Middle Ages



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