

# DRBU Fall 2026 Course Schedule\*

## August 17, 2026 - December 11, 2026

*\*Dates are subject to change.*

### Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts

#### BA1 Required Courses

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
LIBA 111	1	Buddhist Classics I	3.0	Shari Epstein	S223	Tue	8:45am	10:45am
					S223	Thu	8:45am	10:45am
LIBA 131	1	Chinese Classics I	4.0	Amanda Goodman	S120	Tue	2:15pm	4:15pm
					S120	Thu	2:15pm	4:15pm
LIBA 141	1	Rhetoric and Writing I	3.0	Fedde de Vries	S120	Mon	9:15am	10:45am
					S120	Wed	9:15am	10:45am

#### BA2 Required Courses

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
LIBA 211	1	Buddhist Classics III	3.0	Fedde de Vries	S128	Tue	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S128	Thu	2:00pm	4:00pm
LIBA 221	1	Western Classics I	4.0	Amanda Goodman	S128	Wed	8:45am	10:45am
					S128	Fri	8:45am	10:45am
LIBA 231	1	Indian Classics I	4.0	Sean Kerr	S128	Tue	8:45am	10:45am
					S128	Thu	8:45am	10:45am

#### BA3 Required Courses

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
LIBA 311	1	Buddhist Classics V	3.0	Huali Yuan	S225	Tue	8:45am	10:45am
					S225	Thu	8:45am	10:45am
LIBA 321	1	Western Classics III	4.0	Sean Kerr	S125	Mon	8:45am	10:45am
					S125	Wed	8:45am	10:45am
LIBA 371	1	Mathematics I	4.0	Peter Moore	S225	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S225	Wed	2:00pm	4:00pm
LIBA 372	1	Natural Science I	4.0	Yang Liu	S125	Tue	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S125	Thu	2:00pm	4:00pm

#### BA4 Required Courses

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
LIBA 411	1	Buddhist Classics VII	3.0	Sarah Babcock Yi-huan Shih	S120	Tue	8:45am	10:45am
					S120	Thu	8:45am	10:45am
LIBA 431	1	Indian Classics III	4.0		S230	Wed	8:45am	10:45am
					S225	Mon	8:45am	10:45am
LIBA 441	1	Rhetoric and Writing III	1.0	Lauren Bausch Shari Epstein	S230	Tue	2:15pm	3:15pm
LIBA 491	1	Capstone I	4.0	Stacy Chen Yang Liu	S223	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S223	Wed	2:30pm	4:30pm
					S223	Fri	2:30pm	4:30pm

[LIBA 491] Monday (11 weeks), Wednesday (4 weeks).

### BMP Required Courses

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
LIBA 371	1	Mathematics I	4.0	Peter Moore	S225	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S225	Wed	2:00pm	4:00pm
LIBA 411	1	Buddhist Classics VII	3.0	Sarah Babcock Yi-huan Shih	S120	Tue	8:45am	10:45am
					S120	Thu	8:45am	10:45am
LIBA 431	1	Indian Classics III	4.0		S230	Wed	8:45am	10:45am
					S225	Mon	8:45am	10:45am
LIBA 441	1	Rhetoric and Writing III	1.0	Lauren Bausch Shari Epstein	S230	Tue	2:15pm	3:15pm

### BA1- BA3 Language Electives

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
LIBA 151	1	Language Tutorial: Classical Chinese I	4.0	Yi-huan Shih	S120	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S120	Wed	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S120	Fri	2:00pm	4:00pm
LIBA 161	1	Language Tutorial: Sanskrit I	4.0	Lauren Bausch	S230	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S230	Wed	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S230	Fri	2:00pm	4:00pm
LIBA 251	1	Language Tutorial: Classical Chinese III	4.0	Sarah Babcock	S125	Mon	2:30pm	4:00pm
					S125	Wed	2:30pm	4:00pm
					S125	Fri	2:30pm	4:00pm
LIBA 261	1	Language Tutorial: Sanskrit III	4.0	Sean Kerr	S126	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S126	Fri	2:00pm	4:00pm
LIBA 353	1	Readings in Literary Chinese	1.0	Sarah Babcock Fedde de Vries	S120	Wed	4:20pm	5:30pm

*Student registers for language course via DRBU SIS. BA students are required to take 16 total units of language courses over the course of the freshman and sophomore years.*

### BA4 Language Electives

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
LIBA 253	1	Language: Translation Seminar I	4.0	Bhikshuni Jin Deng Fedde de Vries	Lib Conf Room	Tue	3:30pm	5:00pm
					S120	Fri	8:00am	11:00am
LIBA 253	2	Language: Translation Seminar I	4.0	Sarah Babcock Fedde de Vries	S120	Wed	4:20pm	5:30pm
					S120	Fri	8:00am	11:00am
LIBA 353	1	Readings in Literary Chinese	1.0	Sarah Babcock Fedde de Vries	S120	Wed	4:20pm	5:30pm

*Student registers for language course via DRBU SIS. [LIBA 253] Fedde de Vries on Monday; Bhikshuni Jin Deng on Tuesday.*

### Embodied Learning Electives

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
LIBA 181	1	Embodied Learning I: Guang Ping Yang Taiji	1.0	Shari Epstein Yi-huan Shih Martin Verhoeven Loc Huynh	TBD	Mon	7:40am	8:40am
LIBA 181	2	Embodied Learning I: Theater Improvisation	1.0	Shari Epstein Yi-huan Shih David Strong	TBD	Mon	4:30pm	5:30pm
LIBA 181	3	Embodied Learning I: Piano - All Levels	1.0	Shari Epstein Yi-huan Shih Elizabeth McDougall	Music Studio	Tue	4:30pm	5:30pm
LIBA 181	4	Embodied Learning I: Beginning Quilting	1.0	Shari Epstein Yi-huan Shih Michele Howard	S120	Mon	4:15pm	5:15pm
LIBA 181	5	Embodied Learning I: Pottery Fundamentals	1.0	Shari Epstein Yi-huan Shih Michael Owen Sarah Owen	Art Studio	Thu	4:15pm	5:15pm
LIBA 181	6	Embodied Learning I: Introduction to Yoga	1.0	Shari Epstein Yi-huan Shih Sandra Lamerson	Sudhana Center	Fri	4:45pm	6:00pm
LIBA 181	7	Embodied Learning I: Oil Painting	1.0	Shari Epstein Yi-huan Shih Nancy Nguyen	Art Studio	Sat	1:00pm	3:00pm

*Open to all students(BA, MA, TC, and CULN). Student registers for language course via DRBU SIS. Embodied Learning courses are listed under these course codes for each cohort: \*BA1: LIBA 181 Embodied Learning I \*BA2: LIBA 281 Embodied Learning III \*BA3: LIBA 381 Embodied Learning V \*BA4: LIBA 481 Embodied Learning VII \*MA/TC/CULN: LIBA 480 Embodied Learning*

### Master of Arts in Buddhist Classics

#### MA1 Required Courses

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
BUCL 511	1	Dharma Jewel Platform Sutra	3.0	Martin Verhoeven Amanda Goodman	S230	Mon	8:45am	10:45am
					S230	Tue	8:45am	10:45am
BUCL 512	1	Pāli Texts	3.0	Franklyn Wu Huali Yuan	S225	Thu	2:00pm	5:00pm
BUCL 521	1	Comparative Hermeneutics I	3.0	Douglas Powers Peter Moore	S225	Tue	2:00pm	5:00pm

*BUCL 511 Dharma Jewel Platform Sutra: Monday class will convene on alternate weeks.*

#### MA2 Required Courses

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
BUCL 611	1	Śūraṅgama Sūtra	3.0	Douglas Powers Peter Moore	S225	Wed	8:00am	11:00am
BUCL 612	1	Śāstra Texts II	3.0	Lauren Bausch	S230	Thu	2:00pm	5:00pm
BUCL 631	1	Buddhist Hermeneutics II	3.0	Bhikshuni Jin Jr	S125	Tue	8:00am	11:00am

### MA Language Electives

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
BUCL 541	1	Language Tutorial: Classical Chinese I	3.0	Yi-huan Shih	S120	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S120	Wed	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S120	Fri	2:00pm	4:00pm
BUCL 551	1	Language Tutorial: Sanskrit I	3.0	Lauren Bausch	S230	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S230	Wed	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S230	Fri	2:00pm	4:00pm
BUCL 641	1	Language Tutorial: Classical Chinese III	3.0	Sarah Babcock	S125	Mon	2:30pm	4:00pm
					S125	Wed	2:30pm	4:00pm
					S125	Fri	2:30pm	4:00pm
BUCL 651	1	Language Tutorial: Sanskrit III	3.0	Sean Kerr	S126	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S126	Fri	2:00pm	4:00pm
BUCL 645	1	Readings in Literary Chinese	1.0	Sarah Babcock Fedde de Vries	S120	Wed	4:20pm	5:30pm

*Student registers for language course via DRBU SIS. MA students are required to take at least 6 units of language courses in the span of 2 years.*

### Graduate Certificate in Buddhist Translation

#### TC Required Courses

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
TRNC 11	1	Methods and Theories in Buddhist Translation I	2.0	Yang Liu	S126	Thu	8:45am	10:45am
TRNC 21	1	Reading in Translation: Classics across Traditions I	3.0	Sarah Babcock	S126	Wed	8:00am	11:00am
TRNC 31	1	Hermeneutics of Self I	2.0	Huali Yuan	S223	Mon	8:45am	10:45am
TRNC 41	1	Translation Workshop I	2.0	Bhikshuni Jin-Xiang Fedde de Vries	S223	Thu	2:00pm	5:00pm
					S120	Fri	8:00am	11:00am

*[TRNC 41] Fedde de Vries on Monday; Bhikshuni Jin Xiang on Thursday.*

#### TC Language Elective

Course Code	Section	Course Title	Units	Professors & Instructor	Room	Day	Start Time	End Time
BUCL 541	1	Language Tutorial: Classical Chinese I	3.0	Yi-huan Shih	S120	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S120	Wed	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S120	Fri	2:00pm	4:00pm
BUCL 551	1	Language Tutorial: Sanskrit I	3.0	Lauren Bausch	S230	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S230	Wed	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S230	Fri	2:00pm	4:00pm
BUCL 641	1	Language Tutorial: Classical Chinese III	3.0	Sarah Babcock	S125	Mon	2:30pm	4:00pm
					S125	Wed	2:30pm	4:00pm
					S125	Fri	2:30pm	4:00pm
BUCL 645	1	Readings in Literary Chinese	1.0	Sarah Babcock Fedde de Vries	S120	Wed	4:20pm	5:30pm
BUCL 651	1	Language Tutorial: Sanskrit III	3.0	Sean Kerr	S126	Mon	2:00pm	4:00pm
					S126	Fri	2:00pm	4:00pm

*Language courses are optional for TC students this semester. Interested students should attend the Language Orientation to select a course and register via DRBU SIS.*