

THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, LANGUAGES & CULTURES PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

For students studying on programme:	BA (Hons) Classics
Level of study:	Level 3
Academic year of study:	2026/27
Programme Code:	00313
Plan Code:	00184
Document link:	If you are reading a printed version of this document, you should check http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=15812 to ensure that you have the most up to date version.
Contact:	If you have any questions about this structure, please contact the programme administrator for Classics, Ancient History, Archaeology, and Egyptology: salc.courseunits@manchester.ac.uk

PLEASE NOTE:

When selecting your course units you must ensure you take:

- 120 credits overall (including any core courses)
- a minimum of 50 credits per semester
- a maximum of 70 credits per semester
- no more and no less credits than stated from each list
- 80 credits MUST be CAHE-coded courses.
- In the second and third years, all BA Classics students take the level of Advanced language (in their primary language) that follows their previous experience, plus the second-semester text-based thematic course designated for the relevant language (in 26/27 this is Ekphrasis for Latin and Dispute and Desire for Greek). They are encouraged, but are not required, to take the Advanced language unit in their second classical language, with or without its associated text-based thematic course.
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HELPFUL HINT:

- ✓ The semester a course is taught in is identified by the last digit in the course code e.g. CAHE30220. A '0' identifies the course unit is taught over both semesters, a '1' indicates Semester 1 and '2' indicates Semester 2.
- ✓ To enrol on any of the course units outlined in your programme structure use the Self Service area of Campus Solutions.

1: You will be automatically enrolled onto the course units in LIST A by your Programme Administrator.

Note: students taking both languages in the third year may, in consultation with the programme director, replace the 40 credits of Dissertation with 40 credits from List C and/or D.

LIST A:	Core Course Units	Credit
CAHE30000	Dissertation	40

2: Select a minimum of 40 credits and up to a maximum of 80 credits from LIST B as appropriate.

LIST B:	Compulsory Language Course Units	Credit
Studying Latin		
CAHE30311 + CAHE30292	Advanced Latin 3 [must have passed CAHE30211] Must also select Ekphrasis(CAHE30292)	20+20
OR		

CAHE30211 + CAHE30292	Advanced Latin 2 [must have passed CAHE30111] Must also select Ekphrasis (CAHE30292)	20+20
Studying Greek		
CAHE30321+CAHE30282	Advanced Greek 3 [must have passed CAHE30221] Must also select Dispute and Desire (CAHE30282)	20+20
OR		
CAHE30221+CAHE30282	Advanced Greek 2 [must have passed CAHE30121] Must also select Dispute and Desire (CAHE30282)	20+20
Studying Latin & Greek		
CAHE30311 (+CAHE30292)*	Advanced Latin 3 [must have passed CAHE30211]. * denotes that if Latin is your primary language, you must take Ekphrasis CAHE30292 in the second semester, but it is otherwise optional	20 (or 40)*
OR		
CAHE30211 + (+CAHE30292)*	Advanced Latin 2 [must have passed CAHE30111]. * denotes that if Latin is your primary language, you must take Ekphrasis CAHE30292 in the second semester, but it is otherwise optional.	20 (or 40)*
OR		
CAHE30111 (+CAHE30292)	Advanced Latin 1 [must have A Level Latin OR have passed CAHE30182 Intensive Latin 2] Ekphrasis CAHE30292 in the second semester is optional.	20 (or 40)
OR		
CAHE20171 & CAHE30182	Intensive Latin 1 & 2 [cannot be taken by those with AS or A Level Latin]	40
OR		
CAHE20171 & CAHE30182	Intensive Latin 1 [audit only] & 2 [for credit] [must have AS Latin or equivalent]	20
AND		
CAHE30321 + CAHE30282*	Advanced Greek 3 [; must have passed CAHE30221] * denotes that if Greek is your primary language, you must take Dispute and Desire CAHE30282 in the second semester, but it is otherwise optional.	20(or 40)*
OR		
CAHE30221 + CAHE30282*	Advanced Greek 2 [must have passed CAHE30121] * denotes that if Greek is your primary language, you must take Dispute and Desire CAHE30282 in the second semester, but it is otherwise optional.	20 (or 40)*
OR		
CAHE30121 + CAHE30232*	Advanced Greek 1 [must have A Level Greek OR have passed CAHE30162 Intensive Greek 2]. Dispute and Desire CAHE30282 in the second semester is optional.	20 (or 40)
OR		
CAHE20151 & CAHE30162	Intensive Greek 1 & 2 [cannot be taken by those with AS or A Level Greek] OR	40
OR		
CAHE20151 & CAHE30162	Intensive Greek 1 [audit only] & 2 [for credit] [must have AS Greek or equivalent]	20

3: Select a maximum of 40 credits from LIST C [unless you are continuing with a minor – step 5].

LIST C:	CAHE Directed Course Units	Credit
CAHE39252	Exile	20
CAHE30271	Roman Love Elegy	20
CAHE31042	Greek Epic Poetry	20
CAHE34101	Gods, Kings, and Heroes: the poetry of Archaic Greece	20

4: You may select a maximum of 20 credits from LIST D.

LIST D:	Optional CAHE or CAHE-Approved Course Units	Credit
CAHE20162	Introduction to Egyptian Hieroglyphs	20
CAHE30701	Tomb and Temple: Religion and the Afterlife in Ancient Egypt	20
CAHE35762	Art and Technology in Ancient Egypt	20
CAHE30032	Through Cicero's Eyes	20
CAHE30911	The First Cities: The Archaeology of Urbanism in the Near East	20
CAHE30262	Greco-Roman Society and Technology	20
CAHE30991	The Archaeology of Ritual	20
CAHE30241	Hellenistic World	20
CAHE34402	Finding Happiness in the Ancient World	20
CAHE34602	From Sites to Statues: Understanding Heritage in a time of Culture Wars	20
HIST31991	The Normans and the Kingdom of Sicily in the Mediterranean World (1000-1200)	20
HIST31361	Heroes and Holy Men: The Irish Sea World in the Viking Age, c.780-1100	20
HIST32242	Cultural Entanglements: Life and Death in Seventeenth-Century North America	20
RELT30522	Science and Islam	20

5: Minor (Flexible Honours).

If you studied a Minor in your first year and would like to continue with it, you should now select the relevant course units for the Minor, ensuring that you choose all 40 credits.

You can find the course units to select here: <http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/DocuInfo.aspx?DocID=33413> or email salc.programmes@manchester.ac.uk to discuss your options.

Alternatively, after discussion with the CAHE Programme Director, you may choose up to 20 credits of Free Choice units from more than one subject. Please see below for details.

A maximum of 20 credits can be taken at one level below your current level of study.

For free choice units available in the **School of Arts Languages and Cultures** please see:
[Course Unit Selection](#)

A maximum of 20 credits can be taken as free choice outside of the School of Arts, Languages and Cultures.

For free choice units available from the **University College for Interdisciplinary Learning**, please see:
<http://www.college.manchester.ac.uk/units/>

For free choice units available from the **University Language Centre**, please see:
<https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/study/university-language-centre-leap-courses>