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THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, LANGUAGES & CULTURES
PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

For students studying on programme	**BA (Hons) Politics and Modern History**		
Level of Study	1	Academic Year of Study	**2026/2027**
Programme Code:	00482	Plan Code:	00353
Document link:	If you are reading a printed version of this document you should check http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=16907 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 History: SALC.courseunits@manchester.ac.uk		

Regulations:

- All Level 1 Politics and Modern History (PMH) students will be automatically enrolled on HIST10101 History in Practice (20 credits) (List A)
- All Level 1 PMH students will be automatically enrolled on POLI10202 Introduction to Comparative Politics (20 credits) (List A)
- All Level 1 PMH students will be automatically enrolled on POLI10601 Introduction to International Politics (20 credits) (List A)
- All Level 1 PMH students will be automatically enrolled on POLI10702 Introduction to Political Theory (20 credits) (List A)
- All Level 1 PMH students must choose 40 additional credits of optional course units (Lists B and C)

After following Steps 1 to 3 below, all Level 1 PMH students must have:

- Total selection of exactly 120 credits
- Minimum of 50 credits of course units in each semester
- Maximum of 70 credits of course units in each semester
- Course units whose lectures do not clash – **check the timetable**

Note on Credit Allocation Across Semesters:

- The semester in which a course unit is taught is identified by the last digit in the course code (e.g. HIST1010**1** = semester 1). A 0 (zero) final digit indicates the course unit is taught across both semesters
- When calculating your credit allocation by semester, the credits for **0** (zero) coded courses should be divided equally between semester 1 and semester 2

Please note that swapping or dropping full-year optional modules is prohibited after week 2 of semester 1.

Step 1: You will automatically be enrolled for the courses in List A by your Programme Administrator		
LIST A:		**Credits**
HIST10101	History in Practice	20
POLI10202	Introduction to Comparative Politics	20
POLI10601	Introduction to International Politics	20
POLI10702	Introduction to Political Theory	20
SALC11230	SALC Health & Safety Induction	0
SALC11260	SALC Academic Malpractice	0

Step 2: Choose 20-40 credits from List B.		20-40 Credits
LIST B:		**Credits**
HIST10151	Modern China: From the Opium Wars to the Olympic Games	20
HIST10191	Imperial Nation: Empire and the Making of Modern Britain, 1783-1902	20
HIST10301	Forging a New World: Europe c.1450-1750	20
HIST10171	Histories of the Islamic World	20
HIST10182	Capitalism in Historical Perspective, 1700-1913	20
HIST10262	An Introduction to the Medieval World	20
HIST10312	States, Nations and Empires: Europe, c.1750-1914	20
HIST10352	Black and South Asian British Histories	20
HIST10882	Histories of Information	20

Step 3: Choose 0-20 credits from List C.		0-20 Credits
LIST C:		**Credits**
CAHE10021	From Republic to Empire: Introduction to Roman History, Society & Culture 218-31BC	20
CAHE10231	Cities and Citizens	20
CAHE10651	Introduction to the History and Culture of Pharaonic Egypt	20
DIGI10031	Decoding Inequality: Reimagining Digital Culture	20
JAPA10111	History and Civilisation of Japan	20
MEST10711	History and Politics of the Middle East and North Africa	20
RUSS10251	The Making of Modern Russia	20
SALC10411	Humanities in Public: The Politics and Value(s) of Knowledge	10
AMER10002	A Global Nation: Power, Politics, and Struggle Across the American Century, 1870-2020	20
CAHE10012	Constructing Archaic Greek History	20
HSTM10772	Bodies in History: An Introduction to the History of Medicine	20
JAPA13222	Empire and Culture in East Asia	20
MEST10042	The History and Sociopolitics of Palestine/Israel (1882-1967)	20
Free Choice from any Subject Area in the Faculty of Humanities, including SALC and SoSS, except HIST-coded course units see: https://livemanchesterac.sharepoint.com/sites/UoM-SALC-STUDENT-COMM/SitePages/Free-Choice-Units(1).aspx		10 or 20
For free choice units available from the University College for Interdisciplinary Learning, please see: http://www.college.manchester.ac.uk/units/		10 or 20
University Language Centre course units please see: https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/study/university-language-centre-leap-courses **Note: Academic Advising** – Students thinking about taking course units in the University College for Interdisciplinary Learning (UCIL) or University Language Centre are encouraged to speak with their Academic Advisor to discuss suitable options.		10 or 20