THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, LANGUAGES & CULTURES
PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

For students studying on programme:	**BA (Hons) Philosophy and Religion**
Level of study:	**2**
Academic year of study:	**2026/27**
Programme Code:	**10030**
Plan Code:	**13042**
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Contact:	If you have any questions about this structure, please contact salc.courseunits@manchester.ac.uk, including in your subject ***FAO RELT***

PLEASE NOTE:

When selecting your course units you must ensure you take:

- 120 credits overall (including any core courses)
- Minimum of 50 credits per semester
- Maximum of 70 credits per semester
- Joint Hons students may take up to a maximum of 20 credits at Level L1 or 3 within Religions & Theology or Philosophy (students at Level 3 are not permitted to take Level 1 credits), subject to approval by the Programme Director.
- As a joint honours student, **you must ensure that you take a minimum of 40 and a maximum of 80 credits in each subject**. If you choose to take 40 credits in one subject of your Joint Honours programme, you must take a minimum of 60 credits in the other subject.

HELPFUL HINTS:

- The semester a course is taught in is identified by the last digit in the course code. E.G RELT30220. A '0' identifies the course unit is taught over both semesters, a '1' indicates Semester 1 and '2' indicates Semester 2

Step 1: You will be automatically enrolled onto the following course units by your Programme Administrator:

LIST A	**Core Course Units**	**Credits**
RELT21111	Problems in Theology, Philosophy and Ethics: Evil	**20**
RELT21702	World Philosophies: Ethics and Ideas in the History of Thought	**20**
PHIL20231	Ethics	**20**

Step 2: Select 20-40 credits from the following units from **Philosophy**:

LIST B	**Philosophy – Optional Units**	**Credits**

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Semester One:		
PHIL20021	Philosophy of Religion	**20**
PHIL20261	Philosophy of Science	**20**
PHIL23001	Existentialism	**20**
PHIL20431	Philosophy of Artificial Intelligence	**20**
Semester Two:		
PHIL23022	Hegel and Marx	**20**
PHIL20242	20th Century Analytical Philosophy	**20**
PHIL20002	Islamic Philosophy	**20**
PHIL20042	Philosophy of Race	**20**
PHIL20142	Formal Logic	**20**

Step 3: Select 20-40 credits from the following units from **Religion**:

LIST C	**Religion – Optional Units**	**Credits**
Semester One:		
RELT20121	Religion, Culture and Gender	**20**
RELT20301	World Christianities	**20**
SALC21131	All about Eve: Encountering the First Woman from Antiquity to Today	**20**
Semester Two:		
RELT20632	God at the Movies	**20**
RELT21082	End of the World and Apocalypticism	**20**
RELT20152	New Testament Greek II (pre-requisite: RELT10120 or a functionally equivalent level of Ancient Greek)	**20**
RELT20652	Jewish Philosophy and Ethics	**20**
MEST20352	The Politics of Women and Gender in the Middle East and North Africa	**20**
Full-year Courses:		
RELT20140	Biblical Hebrew	**20**
RELT10120	Digital Greek New Testament	**20**

Step 4: Free Choice Units

Alternatively, in discussion with your Programme Director, you can choose up to 20 credits free choice.

For free choice units available from the **School of Arts, Languages and Cultures**, please see: Free Choice Units

For free choice units available from the **University College for Interdisciplinary Learning**, please see: https://www.ucil.manchester.ac.uk/unit-catalogue/

For free choice units available from the **University Language Centre**, please see: Courses for all - School of Arts, Languages and Cultures - The University of Manchester

For a full list of free choice units available in the University, please select the My Courses tab within My Manchester: login.manchester.ac.uk