

**THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, LANGUAGES & CULTURES
PROGRAMME STRUCTURE**

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| For students studying on programme: | BA (Hons) French Studies |
| Level of study: | Level 2 |
| Academic year of study: | 2026/27 |
| Programme code: | 00359 |
| Document link: | The online version of this programme structure is the definitive version, please make sure you are reading the most up to date copy: http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=15939 |
| Important information: | It is your responsibility to ensure that you are registered for the correct units and that they fit with your timetable, please read the structure and the accompanying guidance carefully and contact us if you have any queries or questions. |
| Contact: | If you have any questions about this programme structure, please contact the Languages programme administration team: salc.courseunits@manchester.ac.uk |

Step 1: Please ensure that you have read and understood the accompanying guidance document here:

<http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=43085>

You must be registered for 120 credits exactly. A minimum of 50 credits or a maximum of 70 credits can be taken in one semester. The credits for a full year unit are weighted evenly across both semesters.

Step 2a: Beginners Pathway

You will be automatically enrolled on to the following course unit in LIST A by your Programme Administration Team:

| LIST A | Core Course Units | Credit |
|-------------------|-------------------|--------|
| Semester 1 | | |
| FREN51040 | French Language 4 | 20 |

Step 2b: Post A-Level Pathway

You will be automatically enrolled on to the following course unit in LIST B by your Programme Administration Team:

| LIST B | Core Language Course Units | Credit |
|------------------|----------------------------|--------|
| Full Year | | |
| FREN51050 | French Language 5 | 20 |

Step 3: Optional Course Units

You must next enrol on to a minimum of 60 credits and a maximum of 100 credits from the following course units in LIST C:

| LIST C | Optional Course Units | Credit |
|-------------------|--|--------|
| Semester 1 | | |
| FREN20271 | Art in France | 20 |
| FREN21771 | Stardom in France | 20 |
| Semester 2 | | |
| FREN20682 | Temptations of the Tragic: Love and Death in French Literature | 20 |
| FREN21212 | Media, Performance, & Digital Culture in Contemporary France | 20 |

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| LELA20292 | Pragmatics: Meaning, Context and Interaction | 20 |
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Step 4 – Optional Units

If you have selected 60-80 credits from List C, you must now take 20-40 credits of options for a total number of 120 credits. Please review the following information in Step 4a/4b below.

Step 4a: Only for students continuing with a Minor in Digital Humanities.

If you studied the Minor in Digital Humanities 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: <https://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=75455> or email salc.programmes@manchester.ac.uk to discuss your options.

Please note: You cannot begin a new Minor in your second or third year of study.

Step 4b: Free Choice – if you have not taken a Minor, you must select 20-40 credits of free choice units from the options below.

Please ensure that you have read and understood the accompanying guidance document – section on free choice - here: <http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=43085>

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:

<https://www.alc.manchester.ac.uk/student-intranet/undergraduate/course-unit-selection/free-choice/>

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/>

*Please note that for students studying a language as part of their degree, there are restrictions on the selection of language units as free choice. Please refer to the accompanying guidance document – section on free choice - here:

<http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=43085>

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.