

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

For students studying on programme:	<b>BA(Hons) Middle Eastern Languages (Arabic and Hebrew) or (Arabic and Persian)</b>
Level of study:	<b>Level 3</b>
Academic year of study:	<b>2017/18</b>
Document link:	If you are reading a printed version of this document you should check our <a href="#">Student Intranet</a> to ensure that you have the most up to date version.
Contact:	If you have any questions about this structure, please contact our programmes administration team: <a href="mailto:salc-languages@manchester.ac.uk">salc-languages@manchester.ac.uk</a> <b>Please remember to include your Student ID number in all communication.</b>

**After completing your selection, you must ensure that you have chosen:**

- a total of 120 credits
- a minimum of 100 credits at Level 3
- a minimum of 40 and a maximum of 80 credits in each subject
- a minimum of 50 credits per semester
- a maximum of 70 credits per semester
- no more or no less credits as stated from each list

**Helpful hints:**

- ✓ Course codes ending in '1' are taught in the first semester, those ending in '2' are taught in the second semester, and those ending in '0' are taught over both semesters
- ✓ Please check the timetable for courses you choose to ensure that you do not have any clashes

**Step 1A: HEBREW PATHWAY**

**You will be automatically enrolled onto the compulsory course units in List A by your Programme Administrator (80 credits)**

LIST A:		Credits
<b>MEST30160</b>	Arabic Language 3	<b>20</b>
<b>MEST30270</b>	Modern Hebrew Language 3	<b>20</b>
<b>MEST30281</b>	Israeli Media	<b>20</b>
<b>MEST30182</b>	Media and Business Arabic	<b>20</b>

**Step 1B: PERSIAN PATHWAY**

**You will be automatically enrolled onto the compulsory course units in List B by your Programme Administrator (80 credits)**

LIST B:		Credits
<b>MEST30160</b>	Arabic Language 3	<b>20</b>
<b>MEST30420</b>	Persian Language, Culture and Society	<b>40</b>
<b>MEST30182</b>	Media and Business Arabic	<b>20</b>

**Step 2: Select optional course units from List B below, you may select (0-40 credits)**

**Note:** Please ensure when selecting optional course units that you are selecting a minimum of 50 credits and a maximum of 70 credits per semester. This is to ensure a manageable balance of credits per semester.

LIST C:		Credit
MEST30000	Dissertation	40
MEST30121	Arabic Literature in Translation	20
MEST30032	Contemporary Debates in Islam	20
MEST30501	Armed struggle and ideology in Palestine and Israel, 1929-2001	20

**MINOR OR FREE CHOICE UNITS****Step 3A: STUDENTS CONTINUING A MINOR**

You can access a full list of courses available for your Minor [here](#), or you can email [flexhons.support@manchester.ac.uk](mailto:flexhons.support@manchester.ac.uk) to discuss your options.

Please select the relevant course units for the Minor, ensuring that you choose all 40 credits. **Please note: You cannot begin a new Minor in your second or third year of study.**

OR

**Step 3B: Subject to the approval of the Programme Director and fulfilment of the steps above, you may be permitted to take a maximum of 40 credits free choice if you have not reached the required 120 credits for the year. You can find the full list of free choice units from the Courses Tab within My Manchester [login.manchester.ac.uk](http://login.manchester.ac.uk)**

**PLEASE NOTE** - when selecting your free choice course unit:

- For subject areas in the School of Arts, Languages and Cultures and University College (UCOL), the course unit must be at Level 2 or 3, (please note that this does not include LEAP units, see below). A maximum of 20 credits can be taken at Level 2.
  - Please note where a UCOL unit is a language unit (e.g. Arabic and Mandarin) the LEAP rules below apply.
  - if you have already chosen a Level 2 unit in one of the previous steps, you can only choose a Level 3 unit as free choice.
- For subject areas elsewhere in the University, the course unit must be at Level 3.

With the permission of **BOTH** your Academic Advisor and Programme Director students studying at Post A-Level language (**if studying two languages both must be Post A-Level**) can select **LEAP** course units (units offered by the University Language Centre) provided that no more than three languages are studied in any one year. LEAP units must be applied for directly through the LEAP office. You can only take LEAP units coded at your current level of study. E.g. Level 1 – ULFR10010, Level 2 - ULFR20110, Level 3 – ULFR30030. Your performance on LEAP will be monitored, and, where relevant, you may be advised to discontinue with the study of the additional language in the subsequent year of study at the recommendation of your Academic Advisor or Programme Director.

**THE ONLY EXCEPTIONS FOR THE ABOVE RULE ARE**

With the permission of **BOTH** your Academic Advisor and Programme Director some students can select specific **LEAP** course units:

- Students undertaking a joint honours degree with Business and Management may take LEAP language at an adjacent level. You should refer to the rules on the MLBM programme information**
- Chinese Studies students may take Korean from Level 1**
- Japanese Studies students may take Korean from Level 1**
- Arabic and Middle Eastern Studies students may take Persian from Level 1 if offered**
- Russian and Eastern European Studies students may take Polish from Level 1**