

THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, LANGUAGES & CULTURES PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

For students studying:	A joint honours programme in Portuguese Studies
Level of study:	Level 2
Academic year of study:	2026/27
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=29101
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=43094>

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.

As a joint honours student, you must ensure that 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.

Step 2a: Core Course Units – Post Beginners Pathway

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

LIST A:	Core Course Units	Credit
Full Year		
SPLA52030	Portuguese language 3 – compulsory (needs to be passed at 40% in order to progress)	20

Step 2b: Core Course Units – Post A-Level Pathway

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

LIST A:	Core Course Units	Credit
Full Year		
SPLA52050	Portuguese language 5 – compulsory (needs to be passed at 40% in order to progress)	20

Step 3: Optional Course Units

You must choose a minimum of 20 credits from the course units in LIST B:

LIST B:	Optional Course Units	Credit
Semester 1		
SPLA20831	Brazilian Literature	20
Semester 2		
SPLA20052	History of Brazilian and Afro-Portuguese Music	20

Step 4: If you have not already done so, you should now choose the units from the other subject of your Joint Honours degree programme, please click on the link below for the relevant subject area:

Arabic Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=33060
Business and Management	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=33049
Chinese Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29097
Cultures and Societies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29117
East Asian Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29098
English Language	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29127
English Literature	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29128
French Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29043
German Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29099
History of Art	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29130
International Disaster Management and Humanitarian Response	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=48758
Italian Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29044
Japanese Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29100
Linguistics	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29133
Middle Eastern Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=43279
Politics	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=33097
Russian Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29102
Spanish Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29104

Step 5: Free Choice

If you have 20 credits still to take, you can choose a free choice unit(s) to make up your 120 credits for the year.

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=43094>

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/>

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=43094>

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>.