

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

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| For students studying:  | A joint honours programme in <b>Politics and Chinese</b>  |
| Level of study:         | <b>Level 1</b>  |
| Academic year of study: | <b>2020/21</b>  |
| 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:<br><a href="http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=33095">http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=33095</a> |
| Important information:  | <b>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.</b>                      |
| Contact:                | If you have any questions about this programme structure, please contact the Languages programme administration team:<br><a href="mailto:salc-languages@manchester.ac.uk">salc-languages@manchester.ac.uk</a> / 0161 275 8311   |

**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.

**Step 2:** You will be automatically enrolled onto the following non-credited unit(s) by your Programme Administrator.

| LIST A:   |                                  | Credit   |
|-----------|----------------------------------|----------|
| SALC11230 | SALC Health and Safety Induction | <b>0</b> |
| SALC11250 | SALC Wellbeing and Diversity     | <b>0</b> |

**Step 3: MANDATORY POLI COURSE UNITS**

You **must** select 40 credits from this list.

| LIST A            | Mandatory Course Units  | Credit |
|-------------------|---|--------|
|                   | The course units below are a mandatory requirement of your degree programme and are unable to be selected/changed within the self-service functionality. <b>(40 credits):</b> |        |
| <b>Semester 1</b> |   |        |
| POLI10601         | Introduction to International Politics  | 20     |
| POLI10201/10202   | Introduction to Comparative Politics<br>(Offered in Semester 1 and repeated in Semester 2. You <b>cannot</b> choose both.)  | 20     |
| <b>Semester 2</b> |   |        |
| POLI10702         | Introduction to Political Theory  | 20     |

**Step 4: OPTIONAL POLI COURSE UNITS**

You must select 20 credits from the following course units.

| LIST B            | Optional Course Units                  | Credit |
|-------------------|--|--------|
| <b>Semester 1</b> |  |        |
| POLI10301         | Making Sense of Politics               | 20     |
| POLI10401         | British Politics: Power and the State  | 20     |
| POLI10601         | Introduction to International Politics | 20     |

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| POLI10201/10202   | Introduction to Comparative Politics<br>(Offered in Semester 1 and repeated in Semester 2. You <b>cannot</b> choose both.) | 20 |
| <b>Semester 2</b> |  |    |
| POLI10502         | Politics of the Global Economy   | 20 |
| POLI10702         | Introduction to Political Theory   | 20 |
| <b>Full Year</b>  |  |    |
| POLI10100         | Study Skills   | 0  |

#### Step 5: CORE CHIN COURSE UNITS

You will be enrolled onto the course units by your Programmes Administration Team:

|                   | <b>Core Course Units</b><br>All students, regardless of level, will be enrolled onto the below course units (60 credits): | <b>Credit</b> |
|-------------------|---|---------------|
| <b>Semester 1</b> |   |               |
| CHIN51011         | Chinese Language 2  | 20            |
| <i>includes</i>   | CHIN51511 Chinese 1 – Listening & Speaking **   | 0             |
| <b>Semester 2</b> |   |               |
| CHIN51022         | Chinese Language 1  | 20            |
| <i>includes</i>   | CHIN51522 Chinese 2 – Reading & Speaking/Listening **   | 0             |
| <b>Full Year</b>  |   |               |
| CHIN10050         | Introduction to Chinese Studies   | 20            |

#### Step 5a: CORE LANGUAGE PLACEMENT COURSE UNITS

Students who have previously studied Chinese (including to GCSE and/or A-level) will be invited to complete a language placement test during Welcome Week. Following the outcome of this test and based upon the decision of teaching staff, students may be dropped from CHIN51011 and/or CHIN51022 and enrolled onto 20 – 40 credits from the following LIST C:

If you have any concerns about this, please contact the Programme Director for Chinese Studies, Dr Christopher Payne [christopher.payne@manchester.ac.uk](mailto:christopher.payne@manchester.ac.uk)

| <b>LIST C</b>     | <b>Language Placement Course Units</b><br>All students, regardless of level, will be enrolled onto the below course units (20-40 credits): | <b>Credit</b> |
|-------------------|--|---------------|
| <b>Semester 1</b> |  |               |
| CHIN51031         | Chinese Language 3   | 20            |
| <i>includes</i>   | CHIN51531 Chinese 3 Reading/Writing and General **   | 0             |
| CHIN51051         | Chinese Language 5   | 10            |
| CHIN51071         | Chinese Language 7   | 10            |
| <b>Semester 2</b> |  |               |
| CHIN51042         | Chinese Language 4   | 20            |
| <i>includes</i>   | CHIN51542 Chinese 4 Reading/Writing and General **   | 0             |
| CHIN51062         | Chinese Language 6   | 10            |
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#### Step 5b: ADDITIONAL CORE UNITS

Students who have previously studied Chinese and have been enrolled onto only 20 credits of Language Placement course units (from LIST C) must select one of the following course units from LIST D (20 credits):

| <b>LIST D</b>     | <b>Additional Core Course Units</b>                    | <b>Credit</b> |
|-------------------|--|---------------|
| <b>Semester 1</b> |  |               |
| POLI10201         | Introduction to Comparative Politics                   | 20            |
| <b>Semester 2</b> |  |               |
| CHIN12122         | Modern Chinese Literature                              | 20            |
| HIST10152         | Modern China: from the Opium Wars to the Olympic Games | 20            |