

THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, LANGUAGES & CULTURES PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

For students studying on programme:	BA (Hons) Comparative Religion and Social Anthropology and BA (Hons) Religion and Anthropology
Level of study:	2
Academic year of study:	2026/27
Programme Code:	09918/08002
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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
- Minimum 100 credits must be Level 2
- Joint Hons students may take up to a maximum of 20 credits at L1 or 3 within Religions or Anthropology, 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 CLAH30220. 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 course units below by your Programme Administrator

	Core Course Units	Credit
REL21702	World Philosophies: Ethics and Ideas in the History of Thought	20
SOAN20811	Anthropology of Religion	20

Step 2: Select a minimum of 20 credits and a maximum of 60 credits from the list below:

	Optional RELT or RELT approved courses**	Credit
Semester One:		
REL20121	Religion, Culture and Gender	20
REL20301	World Christianities	20
REL21111	Problems in Theology, Philosophy and Ethics: Evil	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	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 3: Select a minimum of 20 credits and a maximum of 60 credits from the list below:

	Choose two course units from below, Optional SOAN	Credit
Semester One:		
SOAN20821	Political and Economic Anthropology	20
SOAN20871	The Human and the Digital – <i>prerequisite SOAN10312 Cultural Diversity in a Global Perspective.</i>	20
Semester Two:		
SOAN20802	Anthropology of Kinship, Gender and Sex	20
SOAN20852	Materiality and Representation	20
SOAN20842	The Ethnographers Craft	20
All year courses:		
SOAN20830	Anthropological Theory	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 - School of Arts, Languages and Cultures - The University of Manchester](#)

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>