

THE SCHOOL OF ARTS, LANGUAGES & CULTURES PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

For students studying on programme:	A joint honours programme in Japanese Studies
Level of study:	Level 2
Academic year of study:	2022/23
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=29100
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-languages@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.

Step 2a: Beginners Pathway: Core Course Units

If you are a beginner in Japanese, you will be automatically enrolled on to the following course units in LIST A (40 credits) by your Programme Administration Team:

LIST A	Core Course Units	Credit
Semester 1		
JAPA51031	Japanese Language 3 (<i>For new students starting their degree in September 2022, this unit is compulsory and as such requires a pass mark of 40% or above at the first sitting in order to progress to the next level of language in semester 2. Students who fail to meet this requirement will be able to discuss their options with their relevant Programme Director and may be able to move onto the non-language degree award of East Asian Studies</i>)	20
Semester 2		
JAPA51042	Japanese Language 4	20

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

If you have an A-level in Japanese, you will be automatically enrolled on to the following course units in LIST B (20 credits) by your Programme Administration Team.

LIST B	Core Course Units	Credit
Semester 1		
JAPA51050	Japanese Language 5	20

Step 3: Optional Course Units

You must next enrol on to a minimum of 20 credits and a maximum of 40 credits from the following course units in LIST C.

LIST C	Optional Course Units	Credit
Semester 1		

JAPA20131	Core Themes in Animated Film and Visual Culture of Postwar Japan	20
JAPA10111	History & Civilisation of Japan	20
JAPA20211	Religion in Japan	20
Semester 2		
JAPA20122	Modern and Contemporary Japan: Social Dynamics	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
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
Portuguese Studies	http://documents.manchester.ac.uk/display.aspx?DocID=29101
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 credits still to take, you can take free choice unit(s) to make up your 120 credits for the year.

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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.