

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for postgraduate programmes](#).

MA Social Work Studies (L5K907)

1. Location: Durham City
2. Duration: 12 months (full-time) and maximum of 60 months (part-time).

Admissions

3. In addition to the core regulations for admission to postgraduate programmes, candidates for the MA Social Work Studies must be able to demonstrate relevant work experience in relation to Social Work.

Programme structure

4. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		Credit value
Perspectives on Social Research~	SOCI59515	15
Policy Related and Evaluation Research~	SOCI57515	15
Contemporary Social Work~	SOCI54230	30
Introductory Social Work Studies~	SOCI41530	30
Dissertation~	SOCI51445	45

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 15 credits from List A:

List A		Credit value
Quantitative Research Methods in Social Science	SOCI57815	15
Qualitative Research Methods in Social Science	SOCI58815	15

6. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 30 credits from List B:

List B		Credit value
Youth Policy and Practice	SOCI51415	15
Community Policy and Practice	SOCI51315	15
International Social Work	SOCI40415	15
Leadership, Change Management and Decision Making in the Health System	HEAS40515	15
Evidence Based Practice	HEAS40815	15
Statistical Exploration and Reasoning	SOCI59215	15
Research Design and Process	SOCI59415	15
A credit-bearing language module offered by the Centre for Foreign Language Studies		20

7. Modules marked with a ~ must be passed at 50% or above; a mark of 40-49% cannot be compensated.
8. Candidates who select a CFLS credit-bearing language module must select 185 credits in total.