

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for undergraduate programmes](#), and the [marking and classification conventions for undergraduate programmes](#).

BA CLASSICAL PAST (WITH YEAR ABROAD) (Q807)

1. This programme is available at Durham City, in a full-time mode of study.

Level 1 (Certificate)

2. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules to the value of 40 credits:

| | | Credit value |
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| Monuments and Memory in the Age of Augustus | CLAS1301 | 20 |
| Remembering Athens | CLAS1601 | 20 |

3. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in one module to the value of 20 credits from List A:

| List A: | | Credit value |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Early Greek Philosophy | CLAS1101 | 20 |
| Socrates and the Socratics * | CLAS1761 | 20 |
| Greek Art and Architecture | CLAS1721 | 20 |
| The Craft of the Ancient Historian * | CLAS1731 | 20 |
| Living in the Classical World | CLAS1741 | 20 |

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits from List B:

| List B: | | Credit value |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Beginners' Greek 1 | CLAS1072 | 40 |
| Beginners' Latin 1 | CLAS1062 | 40 |
| Intermediate Greek 1A | CLAS1541 | 20 |
| Intermediate Greek 1B | CLAS1551 | 20 |
| Intermediate Latin 1A | CLAS1561 | 20 |
| Intermediate Latin 1B | CLAS1571 | 20 |
| Language, Translation and Interpretation | CLAS1701 | 20 |
| Modules chosen from List A (above) | | |
| Level 1 open modules offered by other Boards of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study) | | |

Level 2 (Diploma)

5. In accordance with the core regulations, candidates may take no more than 30 credits of Level 1 modules during Level 2.

6. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following module to the value of 20 credits:

| | | Credit value |
|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| The Traditions of Epic | CLAS2151 | 20 |

7. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in one module to the value of 20 credits from List C:

| List C: | | Credit value |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Crisis of the Roman Republic * | CLAS2131 | 20 |
| Archaic Greece c.800-479BC * | CLAS2301 | 20 |
| Roman Religion * | CLAS2591 | 20 |
| Emperors and Dynasties | CLAS2661 | 20 |

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| Athens, Sparta, and the Greek World * | CLAS2671 | 20 |
| History of the Hellenistic Age * | CLAS2681 | 20 |
| The World of the Phoenicians | CLAS2741 | 20 |
| Early Rome * | CLAS2751 | 20 |
| The Hellenistic World | CLAS2781 | 20 |

8. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits from List D:

| List D: | | Credit value |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------|
| The Ancient Novel * | CLAS2581 | 20 |
| Greek Literature and the Near East * | CLAS2601 | 20 |
| The Literary and Political Culture of the Roman Republic * | CLAS2611 | 20 |
| Interpreting Greek Tragedy Today | CLAS2621 | 20 |
| Roman Buildings and their Decoration * | CLAS2631 | 20 |
| Creation and Cosmology * | CLAS2641 | 20 |
| Plato on Knowledge, Truth and Falsehood * | CLAS2701 | 20 |
| Latin Literature of the Early Empire * | CLAS2721 | 20 |
| Ancient Epistolography Φ | CLAS2731 | 20 |
| Ancient Philosophers on Memory and Recollection * | CLAS2771 | 20 |
| Classical Theories of Soul * | CLAS2801 | 20 |
| Greek Rhetoric and Greek Philosophy Ω | CLAS2821 | 20 |
| Dialogues with Antiquity | CLAS2811 | 20 |
| Stoicism | CLAS2791 | 20 |
| Ancient Political Thought and Action | CLAS2761 | 20 |
| Modules chosen from List C (above) | | |

9. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits from List E:

| List E: | | Credit value |
|---|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Beginners' Latin 2 | CLAS2032 | 40 |
| Beginners' Greek 2 | CLAS2062 | 40 |
| Intermediate Greek 2A | CLAS2541 | 20 |
| Intermediate Greek 2B | CLAS2551 | 20 |
| Intermediate Latin 2A | CLAS2521 | 20 |
| Intermediate Latin 2B | CLAS2531 | 20 |
| Advanced Greek 2A | CLAS2171 | 20 |
| Advanced Greek 2B | CLAS2181 | 20 |
| Advanced Latin 2A | CLAS2191 | 20 |
| Advanced Latin 2B | CLAS2121 | 20 |
| Modules up to the value of 40 credits from Lists A, C, and D (above) | | |
| Level 1 or 2 open modules offered by other Boards of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study) • | | |

YEAR 3 (Year abroad)

During the academic year spent abroad, students will be required to follow a course of study in which modules relating to Classics and Ancient History comprise a minimum of 50%.

Level 3 (Degree)

10. In accordance with the core regulations, candidates may take no more than 30 credits of Level 2 modules during Level 3. Appropriate credit-bearing language modules from the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study may be taken during Level 3, but only if the combined total of language modules and Level 2 modules taken does not exceed 30 credits.

11. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules to the value of 60 credits:

| For those entering Level 3 in October 2013 or earlier: | | Credit value |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Dissertation | CLAS3271 | 20 |
| Myth, Memory and History | CLAS3371 | 20 |
| One module from List G below | | 20 |

For those entering Level 3 in October 2014 or later:

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|----|
| Dissertation | CLAS3612 | 40 |
| Myth, Memory and History | CLAS3371 | 20 |

12. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in one module to the value of 20 credits from List F:

| List F: | | Credit value |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Urbs Roma | CLAS3321 | 20 |
| Roman Syria Ω | CLAS3491 | 20 |
| The World of Greek Rituals Ω | CLAS3531 | 20 |
| Greeks and Persians * | CLAS3551 | 20 |
| The Life and Times of Cicero Φ | CLAS3601 | 20 |

13. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List G:

| List G: | | Credit value |
|---|--------------------------|---------------------|
| The Literature and Language of Ancient Babylon: An Introduction | CLAS3331 | 20 |
| Love and Sex in Ancient Poetry Φ | CLAS3341 | 20 |
| Knowledge and Doubt in Hellenistic Philosophy | CLAS3541 | 20 |
| Ancient Literary Criticism and Hellenistic Aesthetics | CLAS3561 | 20 |
| The World of Catullus * | CLAS3571 | 20 |
| Writing Alexander | CLAS3581 | 20 |
| Ovid through the ages * | CLAS3591 | 20 |
| Modules chosen from List F (above) | | |

14. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in one module to the value of 20 credits from List H:

| List H: | Credit value |
|---|---------------------|
| One module chosen from Lists C, D, F, or G (above) | 20 |
| One Level 2 or 3 module to the value of 20 credits offered by another Board of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study) ● | 20 |

Assessment, progression and award

15. Modules marked ● indicate that students may choose a maximum of 40 credits from other Boards of Studies across Level 2 and Level 3 combined.
 16. Modules marked * are not available in 2014-15
 17. Modules marked Ω will be taught and assessed in Michaelmas Term only.
 18. Modules marked Φ will be taught and assessed in Epiphany and Easter Terms only.
 19. Placement study in this framework will be assessed at threshold level; the student will be assessed by the host university in the way that is normal for their own students.
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20. The Board of Examiners may consider the marks reported by the host university when, at the end of the subsequent year, it is determining the degree classification of borderline cases.
21. Students who receive a fail mark for the year abroad will not be allowed to proceed to the final year of BA Classical Past (with Year Abroad) but instead must proceed to the final year of BA Classical Past.