

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 ANCIENT HISTORY (V110)

BA ANCIENT HISTORY (WITH YEAR ABROAD) (V113)

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

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

List A:		Credit value
Language, Translation & Interpretation	CLAS1701	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
Early Greek Philosophy *	CLAS1101	20
Socrates and the Socratics	CLAS1761	20
Greek Art and Architecture Ω	CLAS1721	20

Modules chosen from List A (above)

Level 1 open modules offered by other Boards of Studies up to the value of 40 credits (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 modules to the value of 60 credits from List C, including at least one Greek module and one Roman module:

List C:		Credit value
Crisis of the Roman Republic	CLAS2131	20
Emperors and Dynasties	CLAS2661	20
The World of the Phoenicians	CLAS2741	20

Roman Buildings and their Decoration *	CLAS2631	20
Ancient Political Thought and Action	CLAS2761	20
The Hellenistic World	CLAS2781	20

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

List D:		Credit value
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
Traditions of Epic	CLAS2151	20
Greek Literature and the Near East *	CLAS2601	20
Interpreting Greek Tragedy Today	CLAS2621	20
Creation and Cosmology *	CLAS2641	20
Plato on Knowledge, Truth and Falsehood *	CLAS2701	20
Latin Literature of the Early Empire *	CLAS2721	20
Ancient Epistolography *	CLAS2731	20
Classical Theories of Soul	CLAS2801	20
Ancient Philosophers on Memory and Recollection *	CLAS2771	20
Dialogues with Antiquity *	CLAS2811	20
Stoicism *	CLAS2791	20
Ancient Political Thought and Action	CLAS2761	20
One module chosen from List C (above)		

8. 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
One module to the value of 20 credits from Lists A-B (above)		
Modules up to the value of 40 credits from Lists C-D (above)		
Modules up to the value of 40 credits offered by other Boards of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study)●		

9. 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 also study and be assessed in the following module to the value of 40 credits:

		Credit value
Dissertation	CLAS3612	40

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

List F:		Credit value
Urbs Roma Ω	CLAS3321	20
Roman Syria	CLAS3491	20
The World of Greek Rituals *	CLAS3531	20
Myth, Memory and History	CLAS3371	20
The Life and Times of Cicero *	CLAS3601	20
The Later Roman Empire	CLAS3671	20

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

List G:		Credit value
Intermediate Greek 3A±	CLAS3641	20
Intermediate Greek 3B±	CLAS3651	20
Intermediate Latin 3A±	CLAS3681	20
Intermediate Latin 3B±	CLAS3691	20
Higher Greek 3A	CLAS3441	20
Higher Greek 3B	CLAS3431	20
Higher Latin 3A	CLAS3231	20
Higher Latin 3B	CLAS3241	20
Advanced Greek 3A	CLAS3421	20
Advanced Greek 3B	CLAS3411	20
The Literature and Language of Ancient Babylon: an Introduction *	CLAS3331	20
Love and Sex in Ancient Poetry *	CLAS3341	20
Knowledge and Doubt in Hellenistic Philosophy	CLAS3541	20
Ancient Literary Criticism and Hellenistic Aesthetics Φ	CLAS3561	20
The World of Catullus	CLAS3571	20
Writing Alexander Φ	CLAS3581	20
The Lives and Afterlives of the Greek and Roman Poets *	CLAS3661	20
Comedy and Tragedy, Laughter and Sorrow	CLAS3701	20
Pompeii and Herculaneum, Rediscovery and Reconstruction *	CLAS3711	20
One module to the value of 20 credits from Lists C, D, and E (above)		
Modules from List F (above)		
Modules up to the value of 40 credits offered by other Boards of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study) •		

Assessment, progression and award

14. Modules marked • indicate that students may choose modules from other Boards of Studies to the maximum value of 40 credits across Levels 2 and 3 together.
15. Modules marked * are not available in 2015-16.
16. Intermediate A and B language modules marked ± must be taken as A and B together in the same language and at the same level.
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.

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.

Year Abroad

21. Students admitted to the BA Ancient History (V110) are able to apply to transfer to the BA Ancient History with Year Abroad (V113). Students undertaking the BA Ancient History with Year Abroad (V113) will undertake an approved exchange in an overseas university taking a course of study chosen in consultation with the programme director and the host institution. Courses relating to Classics and Ancient History should normally comprise a minimum of 50% of those taken.
22. Candidates wishing to transfer to the BA Ancient History with Year Abroad (V113) must:
- (a) have successfully completed Level 1 of the BA Ancient History (V110) and progressed to Level 2 of the honours or Ordinary programme; and
 - (b) during the first term of Level 2 study, apply to the Board of Studies in the Department of Classics to be admitted to the BA Ancient History with Year Abroad (V113) and have their application approved by the Chair of the Board of Studies in Classics; and
 - (c) secure an exchange opportunity with an approved international partner institution of the University; and
 - (d) successfully complete Level 2 of the BA Ancient History (V110) so as to be eligible to progress to Level 3 of the BA Ancient History (V100) programme.
23. Students who are deemed by the Board of Examiners for Classics to have made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will continue to Level 3 of the BA Ancient History with Year Abroad (V113).
24. Students who have not made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will not be permitted to continue on the BA Ancient History with Year Abroad (V113), but must instead proceed to Level 3 of the BA Ancient History (V110) programme.