

<u>Durham University</u>
<u>Faculty Handbook Online</u>
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These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's <u>core regulations for undergraduate</u> <u>programmes</u>, and the <u>marking and classification conventions for undergraduate programmes</u>.

BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64)

BA Anthropology and Archaeology with Year Abroad (LF01)

BA Anthropology and Archaeology with Placement Year (LF02)

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

Level 1 (Certificate)

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

		Credit value
Doing Anthropological Research	<u>ANTH1101</u>	20
Being Human: An Introduction to the History and Practice of Anthropology #	<u>ANTH1111</u>	20
Applied Archaeological Methods	ARCH1081	20
Discovering World Prehistory #	ARCH1121	20

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

List A:		Credit value
Human Evolution and Diversity	<u>ANTH1091</u>	20
Peoples and Cultures	<u>ANTH1061</u>	20
Health, Illness and Society	<u>ANTH1041</u>	20
A module offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study Θ		20

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

List B:		Credit value
Archaeology in Britain	ARCH1071	20
Ancient Civilisations of the East	ARCH1111	20
Cities in Antiquity	ARCH1131	20
Medieval to Modern: An Introduction to the Archaeology of the Medieval to Post Medieval World	ARCH1141	20
Scientific Methods in Archaeology 1	ARCH1041	20
A module offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study Θ		

Level 2 (Diploma)

5. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following module:

		Credit value
Debating Archaeology and Anthropology	<u>ANTH2121</u>	20

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

List C:		Credit value
Interrogating Anthropology ∞	<u>ANTH2151</u>	20
Developing Archaeological Research Ω	ARCH2181	20

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

List D:		Credit value
Evolution, Variation and Adaptation	ANTH2061	20
Politics and Economics	ANTH2051	20
Kinship and Religion	<u>ANTH2161</u>	20
Our Place in Nature	ANTH2071	20
Sex, Reproduction and Love	<u>ANTH2111</u>	20
Global Health and Disease	ANTH2141	20
Anthropology Field Course [£]	ANTH2131	20
A module offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study Θ		20

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

List E:		Credit value
Professional Training ¥ [£]	ARCH2191	20
Developing Archaeological Research≠Ω	ARCH2181	20
Scientific Methods in Archaeology 2	ARCH2041	20
Prehistoric Europe: From Foragers to State Formation	ARCH2081	20
Becoming Roman: From Iron Age to Empire in Italy and the West	ARCH2091	20
Ancient Mediterranean Civilisations: East and West	ARCH2161	20
Archaeology of medieval and Post-medieval Britain in its	ARCH2131	20
European Context		
The East Mediterranean World in the Bronze Age	ARCH2141	20
Advanced Skills (20 Credits)	ARCH2221	20
A module offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study Θ		20

Level 3 (Degree)

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

List F:		Credit value
Dissertation (Interdisciplinary Anthropology and Archaeology)	ANTH3742	40
Dissertation (Anthropology) ~	ANTH3162	40
Dissertation (Archaeology) ~	ARCH3362	40

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

	Credit value
<u>ANTH3797</u>	10
<u>ANTH3811</u>	20
<u>ANTH3832</u>	40
<u>ANTH3787</u>	10
ANTH3801	20
ANTH3822	40
<u>ANTH3777</u>	10
<u>ANTH3761</u>	20
<u>ANTH3762</u>	40
	ANTH3811 ANTH3832 ANTH3787 ANTH3801 ANTH3822 ANTH3777 ANTH3761

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

List H:		Credit value
Specialised Aspects of Archaeology (40 credits)	ARCH3472	40
Specialised Aspects of Archaeology (20 credits)	<u>ARCH3451</u>	20
Advanced Professional Training ¥ [£]	ARCH3581	20
CurrentArchaeology	ARCH3591	20
Interpreting Heritage	ARCH3601	20
Museum Representation	ARCH3621	20
A module offered by the University's Centre for Foreign		20
Language Study Θ		

Assessment, progression and award

- 12. Modules marked with a # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the next level of the Ordinary Degree.
- 13. Not more than one dissertation may be submitted.
- 14. Only one module offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study marked O may be taken at Level 1 and only one such module over Levels 2 and 3 combined. Note that if Doing Anthropological Research ANTH 1101 is taken at Level 2, a Level 1 20 credit module offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study cannot also be taken at Level 2.
- 15. Modules marked with a ~ must be passed at 40% or above for the award of an honours degree.
- 16. A mark of 30 39% cannot be compensated.
- 17. Modules marked with a ¥ require students to attend three weeks on a placement specified by the Board of Studies in Archaeology. For the Level 2 module Professional Training this will normally be an excavation placement during the summer preceding entry to Level 2. For the Level 3 module Advanced Professional Training this will normally take place during the summer preceding entry to Level 3.
- 18. Modules marked with ≠ cannot be chosen if the same module has already been chosen under List C.
- 19. Module marked with ∞ is a prerequisite for Dissertation (Anthropology) (ANTH 3162).
- 20. Module marked with Ω is a prerequisite for Dissertation (Archaeology) (ARCH 3362).
- 21. Modules marked with a £: fieldwork modules can be taken in both Anthropology and Archaeology but University funding will only be available for fieldwork in **one** of the Departments.

Year Abroad

- 22. Students admitted to the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64) are able to apply to transfer to the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Year Abroad) programme (LF01). Students undertaking the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Year Abroad) (LF01) programme will undertake an approved study placement in an overseas university taking a course of study chosen in consultation with the programme director and the host institution. During the year abroad students will be assessed at module level by the host University. Assessment does not contribute to the marks used to determine the award of the degree but successful completion is required to qualify for the BA Anthropology and Archaeology with Year Abroad.
- 23. Candidates wishing to transfer to the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Year Abroad) (LF01) must:
 - a. have successfully completed Level 1 of the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64) 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 Anthropology (the lead Department for the programme) to be admitted to the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Year Abroad) (LF01) and have their application approved by the Chairs of the Boards of Studies in the Department of Anthropology and the Department of Archaeology, and;
 - c. successfully complete Level 2 of the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64) so as to be eligible to

progress to Level 3 of the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64) Honours programme.

24. Students who the Board of Examiners for the Department of Anthropology deem to have made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will continue to Level 3 of the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Year Abroad) (LF01). Students who have not made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will not be permitted to continue on the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Year Abroad) (LF01) programme, but must instead proceed to Level 3 of the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64) programme.

Placement Year

- 25. Students admitted to the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64) are able to apply to transfer to the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Placement Year) programme (LF02). Students taking the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Placement Year) (LF02) will undertake an approved placement in a UK or overseas organisation consisting of at least 40 weeks of professional-level work experience.
 - Following the placement year, students will be required to successfully complete a placement assessment as agreed by the Department, to determine whether the programme learning outcomes have been met. Assessment does not contribute to the marks used to determine the award of the degree but successful completion is required to qualify for the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Placement Year) (LF02). If a student fails, they will transfer to the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64) programme.
- 26. Candidates wishing to transfer to the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Placement Year) (LF02) must:
 - a. have successfully completed Level 1 of the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64) 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 Anthropology to be admitted to the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Placement Year) (LF02) and have their application approved by the Chair of the Board of Studies; and
 - c. secure a placement opportunity comprising at least 40 weeks of professional-level work experience, agreed with the Departmental Placement Year Convenor and Faculty Placement Officer; and
 - d. successfully complete Level 2 of the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64) so as to be eligible to progress to Level 3 of the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (LF64).
- 27. Students whom the Board of Examiners for the Department of Anthropology deem to have fulfilled the programme learning outcomes and who successfully pass the placement assessment will continue to Level 3 of the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Placement Year) (LF02). Students who fail will not be permitted to continue on the BA Anthropology and Archaeology (with Placement Year) (LF02) programme, but must instead proceed to the final year of the BA Anthropology and Archaeology programme (LF64).