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

MA Applied Linguistics for TESOL (Q3K807)

- 1. Location: Durham City.
- 2. Duration: full-time (12 months), part-time (24 months)

Admissions

- 3. Admissions criteria:
 - a. Candidates must have at least two years of professional working experience.
- 4. English language requirements:
- 5. For direct entry we require IELTS 7.0 overall including minimum 7.0 in writing and nothing below 6.5. this is detailed in the Learning and Teaching Handbook https://www.dur.ac.uk/resources/learningandteaching.handbook/Section1/A1.06.pdf

Programme structure

- 6. There are two streams within the programme. These provide candidates with the option of further focussing their Masters qualification by adding a particular specialism. The two streams lead to different degree titles:
 - a. MA Applied Linguistics for TESOL (Q3K807)
 - b. MA Applied Linguistics for TESOL (English for Academic Purposes) (Q3K907)
- 7. Candidates wishing to be eligible for the degree title named in 5.b. above must choose the following modules as part of their programme and pass them at 50% or above:

		Credit value
Dissertation (English for Academic	LANG42460 ~	60
Purposes)		
Teaching English for Academic	LANG42115 ~	15
Purposes		

8. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the modules to the value of 120 credits from the list below:

		Credit value
Language for Teachers	LANG41615 ~	15
Dissertation #	LANG40260 ~	60
Dissertation (English for Academic	LANG42460 ~	60
Purposes) #		
Advanced Teaching Practice : The	LANG42015 ~	15
Reflective Practitioner		
Second Language Development:	LANG41215 ~	15
Perspectives for Teachers		
Language Teaching Methodology	LANG42815 ~	15
(Applied Linguistics)		

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

List A:		Credit value
Teaching English for Academic	<u>LANG42115</u>	15
Purposes		
English Language Teaching Materials	<u>LANG41415</u>	15
Development and Evaluation		
Evaluation & Assessment	<u>LANG42515</u>	15
English for Specific Purposes	<u>LANG41515</u>	15
Teaching Young Learners	<u>LANG41815</u>	15
Global Englishes	<u>LANG40915</u>	15
Pragmatics and the Language	<u>LANG41915</u>	15
Classroom		

English Language Teaching	LANG41715	15
Management		
20 credits from List B		20

List B:

An appropriate credit-bearing language 20 module offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study

Assessment, progression and award

- 10. Modules marked with the \sim symbol must be passed at 50% or above. A mark of 40-49% cannot be compensated.
- 11. # indicates that students are only able to study and be assessed in one dissertation module.
- 12. Candidates who select a 20 credit language module must select 185 credits in total.