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<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 (L602)**

## **BA Anthropology with Year Abroad (L609)**

## **BA Anthropology with Placement Year (L612)**

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

### Level 1 (Certificate)

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

		Credit value
People and Cultures #	<u>ANTH1061</u>	20
Human Evolution and Diversity#	<u>ANTH1091</u>	20
Health, Illness and Society	<u>ANTH1041</u>	20
Being Human: An Introduction to the History and Practice	<u>ANTH1111</u>	20
of Anthropology		
Doing Anthropological Research	<u>ANTH1101</u>	20

 Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from Level 1 open modules offered by other Boards of Studies (including up to 20 credits of language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study).

### Level 2 (Diploma)

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

		Credit value
Anthropological Research Methods in Action	ANTH2231	20
Research Project Design	<u>ANTH2187</u>	10
Kinship and Religion	ANTH2161	20
Politics and Economics	ANTH2051	20

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

List A:		Credit value
Biology, Culture & Society	<u>ANTH2207</u>	10
Reading Ethnography	<u>ANTH2197</u>	10

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

List B:		Credit value
Our Place in Nature	<u>ANTH2071</u>	20
Evolution, Variation and Adaptation	ANTH2061	20
Sex, Reproduction and Love	<u>ANTH2111</u>	20
Global Health and Disease	<u>ANTH2141</u>	20
Environment, Climate and the Anthropocene	<u>ANTH2241</u>	20

### Level 3 (Degree)

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

		Credit value
Dissertation ~	<u>ANTH3162</u>	40
Anthropology Field Course	<u>ANTH30B1</u>	20

8. Candidates shall study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits from List C of which up

to 20 credits may be selected from the open Level 3 modules offered by other Boards of Studies. The availability of 10 credit modules will vary from year to year, with a minimum of 18 options in any given year.

List C:		Credit value
Mediterranean Connections	ANTH30G7	10
Anthropology, Art, and Experience	<u>ANTH3937</u>	10
Poison, Pollution and the Chemical Anthropocene*	<u>ANTH3237</u>	10
Exhibiting Anthropology	ANTH30A7	10
Capitalism in Ruins*	ANTH3787	10
Social Anthropology of Hormones*	ANTH3307	10
Anthropology of Ethics and Morality	ANTH3927	10
Anthropology of Sport	ANTH3957	10
Anthropological Skills for Climate Change Survival	ANTH3947	10
Power and Governance*	ANTH30F7	10
Violence and Memory*	ANTH3247	10
Anthropology of Tobacco	ANTH3257	10
Anthropology of Health Inequality*	<u>ANTH3267</u>	10
Anthropology of Physical Activity for Health*	ANTH3797	10
Evolutionary Medicine: Maternal and Infant Health	ANTH3297	10
Human Reproductive Ecology*	ANTH30H7	10
Development, Conflict and Crisis in the Lower Omo*	ANTH3277	10
Evolution of Cooperation	ANTH3877	10
Comparative Cognition and Culture*	ANTH30D7	10
Cultural Evolution of Music	<u>ANTH3777</u>	10
Technological Primates*	ANTH3317	10
Primates in Peril*	<u>ANTH3867</u>	10
Primates, Predators and the Ecology of Fear*	<u>ANTH3017</u>	10
Homo narrans: evolutionary anthropology of fiction*	ANTH30E7	10
Forensic Anthropology	<u>ANTH3887</u>	10
Palaeoanthropology and Palaeoecology	<u>ANTH3897</u>	10
Decolonising Anthropology	ANTH30C7	10
Specialised Aspects of Evolutionary Anthropology	<u>ANTH3907</u>	10
Specialised Aspects of Social Anthropology	<u>ANTH3917</u>	10
Specialised Aspects of Health and Medical	<u>ANTH3287</u>	10
Anthropology*		
Anthropology of Data and Quantification	<u>ANTH3327</u>	10
Anthropology of the Body	<u>ANTH3337</u>	10
Food Security, Nutrition, and Sustainable Livelihoods	<u>ANTH3347</u>	10
A module offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study Θ		20

### Assessment, progression and award

- 9. Modules marked with a \* are not running in 2022-23.
- 10. Modules marked with a  $\sim$  must be passed at 40% or above for the award of an honours degree. A mark of 30 39% cannot be compensated.
- 11. Modules marked with a # must be at 40% or above in order to progress to the ordinary degree at the next Level.

#### Year Abroad

- 12. Students admitted to the BA Anthropology (L602) are able to apply to transfer to the BA Anthropology (with Year Abroad) programme (L609). Students undertaking the BA Anthropology (with Year Abroad) (L609) 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 with Year Abroad.
- 13. Candidates wishing to transfer to the BA Anthropology (with Year Abroad) (L609) must:
  - a. have successfully completed Level 1 of the BA Anthropology (L602) 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 (with Year Abroad) (L609) and have their application approved by the Chair of the Board of Studies in the Department of Anthropology, and;
  - c. successfully complete Level 2 of the BA Anthropology (L602) so as to be eligible to progress to Level 3 of the BA Anthropology (L602) Honours programme.
- 14. 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 (with Year Abroad) (L609). Students who have not made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will not be permitted to continue on the BA Anthropology (with Year Abroad) (L609) programme, but must instead proceed to Level 3 of the BA Anthropology (L602) programme.

#### **Placement Year**

- 15. Students admitted to the BA Anthropology (L602) are able to apply to transfer to the BA Anthropology (with Placement Year) programme (L612). Students taking the BA Anthropology (with Placement Year) (L612) will undertake an approved placement or placements 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 (with Placement Year) (L612). If a student fails, they will transfer to the BA Anthropology (L602) programme.
- 16. Candidates wishing to transfer to the BA Anthropology (with Placement Year) (L612) must:
  - a. have successfully completed Level 1 of the BA Anthropology (L602) 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 (with Placement Year) (L612) and have their application approved by the Chair of the Board of Studies; and
  - c. secure a placement opportunity or opportunities 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 (L602) so as to be eligible to progress to Level 3 of the BA Anthropology (L602).
- 17. 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 (with Placement Year) (L612). Students who fail will not be permitted to continue on the BA Anthropology (with Placement Year) (L612) programme, but must instead proceed to the final year of the BA Anthropology programme (L602).