

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

## MA CLASSICS (Q8K307)

1. Location: Durham City.
2. Duration: full-time (12 months), part-time (24 months).
3. All candidates will register and be assessed in either 180 or 190 credits.

### Programme structure

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

<b>List A:</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Dissertation	<a href="#">CLAS51260</a>	60

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20-40 credits from **List B:**

<b>List B (Original Language):</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Latin for Research	<a href="#">CLAS40330</a>	30
Ancient Greek for Research	<a href="#">CLAS40430</a>	30
Latin Text Seminar	<a href="#">CLAS40530</a>	30
Greek Text Seminar	<a href="#">CLAS40630</a>	30
Modules to the value of 20, 30 or 40 credits at Levels 1-4 in an ancient or modern language relevant to research in the area of Classics offered by Classics & Ancient History or another Board of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study)		20/30/40

6. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 90-110 credits from **Lists C-F:**

<b>List C (Philosophy):</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Cicero Philosophus	<a href="#">CLAS44030</a>	30
Aristotle's Systems	<a href="#">CLAS43530</a>	30

<b>List D (History):</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Edessa: The Athens of The East	<a href="#">CLAS44430</a>	30
Greek Epigraphy	<a href="#">CLAS44530</a>	30
Religious Life in the Roman Near East	<a href="#">CLAS41130</a>	30

<b>List E (Literature, Intellectual Culture and Reception):</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Latin Love Elegy	<a href="#">CLAS40930</a>	30
The Classical Tradition: Art, Literature, Thought	<a href="#">CLAS42230</a>	30
What the Ancients Knew: Science in Greece and Rome	<a href="#">CLAS43830</a>	30
Baroque Modes : Classical Excess and its Reception in Literature and the Visual Arts	<a href="#">CLAS44330</a>	30
Linear B Mycenaean Greek and Homers World	<a href="#">CLAS45230</a>	30

<b>List F:</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Independent Research Topic	<a href="#">CLAS44730</a>	30
Modules to the value of 20, 30 or 40 credits from List B		20/30/40
Modules to the value of 30 credits at Level 4 from those offered by another Board of Studies		30
Modules to the value of 20 or 40 credits at Levels 1, 2 or 3 from those offered by Classics & Ancient History or another Board of Studies		20/40

### Assessment, progression and award

7. Modules marked \$ are taught in Michaelmas Term 2023 only.

8. Modules marked % are taught in Epiphany Term 2024 only.
9. Candidates may take no more than 40 credits of modules at Levels 1-3 in total. Candidates must select at least 150 credits at Level 4, and no more than 190 credits in total.
10. Modules from another Board of Studies may be taken only with the approval of the Board of Studies concerned and the Board of Studies in Classics & Ancient History.
11. If a candidate fails a module and does not wish to wait for the time of the next normal assessment for that module, he/she may request from the Board of Studies an opportunity to resit the relevant examination(s) or resubmit the relevant work before the end of the academic year.