

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 CLASSICAL CIVILISATION (Q820)

BA CLASSICAL CIVILISATION (WITH YEAR ABROAD) (Q821)

BA CLASSICAL CIVILISATION (WITH PLACEMENT YEAR) (Q822)

1. This programme is available at Durham City, in full-time and part-time modes of study.

Level 1 (Certificate)

2. Candidates must study and be assessed in the following modules to the value of 80 credits:

		Credit value
Monuments and Memory in the Age of Augustus #	CLAS1301	20
Introduction to the Greek World #	CLAS1601	20
Language, Translation, Interpretation	CLAS1701	20
Early Greek Philosophy #	CLAS1101	20

3. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits from Lists A1 - A4:

List A1:		Credit value
Beginners' Latin 1	CLAS1062	40
OR		
Beginners' Greek 1	CLAS1072	40
 List A2		
Intermediate Greek 1A	CLAS1541	20
AND		
Intermediate Greek 1B	CLAS1551	20
 List A3		
Intermediate Latin 1A	CLAS1561	20
AND		
Intermediate Latin 1B	CLAS1571	20
 List A4		
Lives of Objects – Greek and Roman Antiquity #	CLAS1781	20
Empire and Religion in the Age of Constantine	CLAS1791	20
Level 1 open modules up to the value of 40 credits offered by other Boards of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules to the value of 20 credits offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study)		

Level 2 (Diploma)

4. Candidates must study and be assessed in the following module to the value of 20 credits:

		Credit value
Traditions of Epic #	CLAS2151	20

5. If candidates choose modules offered in Michaelmas or Epiphany, then equal credits should be chosen from each term.
6. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 80-100 credits from Lists B1-B3.

List B1 (Year-long):		Credit value
Emperors and Dynasties #	<u>CLAS2661</u>	20
Dialogues with Antiquity #	<u>CLAS2811</u>	20
Living in the Classical World	<u>CLAS2831</u>	20
Myths of Transformation in Ovid's Metamorphoses	<u>CLAS2881</u>	20
Comedy & Tragedy, Laughter & Sorrow	<u>CLAS2971</u>	20

List B2 (Michaelmas)		
Alexandria	<u>CLAS2841</u>	20
Ancient Political Thought and Action	<u>CLAS2761</u>	20
Palace to Polis	<u>CLAS20D1</u>	20

List B3 (Epiphany)		
Communicating the Ancient World	<u>CLAS2981</u>	20
Art & Archaeology of the Greek Islands	<u>CLAS20C1</u>	20
Digital Humanities & the Ancient World	CLAS****	20

7. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 0 - 40 credits from Lists C1 - C4:

List C1:		Credit value
Beginners' Latin 2 #	<u>CLAS2032</u>	40
OR		
Beginners' Greek 2 #	<u>CLAS2062</u>	40

List C2		
Intermediate Latin 2A	<u>CLAS2521</u>	20
AND		
Intermediate Latin 2B	<u>CLAS2531</u>	20

List C3		
Intermediate Greek 2A	<u>CLAS2541</u>	20
AND		
Intermediate Greek 2B	<u>CLAS2551</u>	20

List C4		
Advanced Greek 2A	<u>CLAS2171</u>	20
Advanced Greek 2B	<u>CLAS2181</u>	20
Advanced Latin 2A	<u>CLAS2191</u>	20
Advanced Latin 2B	<u>CLAS2121</u>	20
Level 2 open modules offered by other Boards of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules to the value of 20 credits offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study)		

Level 3 (Degree)

8. Candidates must study and be assessed in the following modules to the value of 40 credits:

	Credit value
Dissertation ~	CLAS3612 40
9. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 0 - 40 credits from Lists D1 - D5:	
List D1	Credit value
Intermediate Greek 3A	CLAS3641 20
AND	
Intermediate Greek 3B	CLAS3651 20
List D2	
Intermediate Latin 3A	CLAS3681 20
AND	
Intermediate Latin 3B	CLAS3691 20
List D3	
Advanced Latin 3A	CLAS3401 20
Advanced Latin 3B	CLAS3391 20
Advanced Greek 3A	CLAS3421 20
Advanced Greek 3B	CLAS3411 20
List D4 (Michaelmas)	
Higher Latin 1	CLAS3231 20
OR	
Higher Greek 1	CLAS3431 20
List D5 (Epiphany)	
Higher Latin 2	CLAS3241 20
OR	
Higher Greek 2	CLAS3441 20
10. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40-80 credits from List E:	
List E (Year-long)	
Writing Alexander	CLAS3581 20
The Hellenistic World	CLAS3841 20
Roman Syria	CLAS3491 20
Interpreting Greek Drama Today	CLAS3831 20
The World of Catullus	CLAS3571 20
Literary Culture from Nero to Trajan	CLAS3891 20
Urbs Roma	CLAS3321 20
The Origins of Civilisation	CLAS3781 20
Level 3 open modules offered by other Boards of Studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules to the value of 20 credits offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study)	

Assessment, progression and award

11. With reference to the Core Regulations for Undergraduate Programmes pt 13 *“Where undergraduate modules are delivered entirely in a single term, students undertaking such modules should be permitted to take no more than 70 credits in total in a single term.”*

12. Modules marked # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the next level of study.
13. Modules marked ~ must be passed at 40% or above for the award of an honours degree. A mark of 30-39% cannot be compensated.

Year 3 (Year Abroad)

14. Students admitted to the BA Classical Civilisation (Q820) are able to apply to transfer to the BA Classical Civilisation (with Year Abroad) programme (Q821). Students undertaking the BA Classical Civilisation (with Year Abroad) (Q821) will undertake an approved study placement in an overseas university taking a course of study chosen in consultation with the Department of Classics & Ancient History and with the host institution in which modules relating to Classics and Ancient History comprise a minimum of 50%. 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 Classical Civilisation (with Year Abroad) (Q821).
15. Candidates wishing to transfer to the BA Classical Civilisation (with Year Abroad) (Q821) must:
 - a. have successfully completed Level 1 of the BA Classical Civilisation (Q820) and progressed to Level 2 of the Honours programme; and
 - b. during their Level 2 study, apply to the Board of Studies in the Department of Classics & Ancient History to be admitted to the BA Classical Civilisation (with Year Abroad) (Q821) and have their application approved by the Chair of the Board of Studies; and
 - c. secure an international placement abroad/year abroad opportunity, agreed with the Department Exchange Co-ordinator; and
 - d. successfully complete Level 2 of the BA Classical Civilisation (Q820) so as to be eligible to progress to Level 3 of the BA Classical Civilisation (Q820).
16. Students whom the Board of Examiners for the Department of Classics & Ancient History deem to have made satisfactory progress on the year abroad, judged by reference to each student's learning agreement, will continue to Level 3 of the BA Classical Civilisation (with Year Abroad) (Q821). Students who are not deemed to have made satisfactory progress on the year abroad by the Board of Examiners for the Department of Classics & Ancient History will not be permitted to continue on the BA Classical Civilisation (with Year Abroad) (Q821) programme, but must instead proceed to Level 3 of the BA Classical Civilisation (Q820).

Year 3 (Placement Year)

17. Students admitted to the BA Classical Civilisation (Q820) are able to apply to transfer to the BA Classical Civilisation (with Placement Year) programme (Q822). Students taking the BA Classical Civilisation (with Placement Year) (Q822) 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 Classical Civilisation (with Placement Year) (Q822). If a student fails, they will transfer to the BA Classical Civilisation (Q820) programme.
18. Candidates wishing to transfer to the BA Classical civilisation (with Placement Year) (Q822) must:
 - a. have successfully completed Level 1 of the BA Classical Civilisation (Q820) and progressed to Level 2 of the Honours programme; and
 - b. during their Level 2 study, apply to the Board of Studies in the Department of Classics & Ancient History to be admitted to the BA Classical Civilisation (with Placement) (Q822) and have their application approved by the Chair of the Board of Studies; and
 - c. secure a placement / year abroad 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 Classical Civilisation (Q820) so as to be eligible to progress to Level 3 of the BA Classical Civilisation (Q820).
19. Students whom the Board of Examiners for the Department of Classics & Ancient History deem to have fulfilled the programme learning outcomes and who successfully pass the placement assessment will continue to Level 3 of the BA Classical Civilisation (with Placement Year) (Q822). Students who fail will not be permitted to continue on the BA Classical Civilisation (with Placement Year) (Q822) programme, but must instead proceed to the final year of the BA Classical Civilisation programme (Q820).