



Programme changes for 2021/2

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Department / School	History
Programme(s)	BA History BA History & Politics BA History & Economics BA History & History of Art BA History & Philosophy BA History & French BA English & History

Summary of Changes

We'll be continuing to assess students through a combination of coursework and online exams, and specific assessment plans will be available for each module by the start of the module.

There will be no changes to the structures of our programmes. As usual, in addition to our core modules, students will choose from a wide range of option modules taught by specialists, which change each year. Students are offered the opportunity to indicate their preferences and are allocated to modules via the module app. We ensure that the most students possible get the highest of their choices preferable.

If Covid restrictions allow, we will be asking the University to allow closed exams as part of the assessment for our stage 3 Special Subject modules as in normal years. If closed exams are not possible, all assessments will be online.

If Covid restrictions allow, students will still have the opportunity to participate in study abroad and placement year activities.

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Programme(s)	<p>BA in English Language and Linguistics BA in Two Languages BA in One Language and Linguistics BA in Linguistics with one Language BA in Linguistics BA in Linguistics and Mathematics BA in French, German and Philosophy BA in History/French (Equal)</p> <p>MA in Comparative Syntax and Semantics MA in Phonetics and Phonology MA in Psycholinguistics MA in Sociolinguistics MA in Linguistics MA in Forensic Phonetics</p> <p>For other combined programmes contact the lead Department: BA in English/Linguistics -> Department of English and Related Literature BA in Philosophy/Linguistics -> Department of Philosophy</p>

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Assessments

We will continue to assess students through a combination of written coursework and online exams. Specific assessment plans will be available by the start of each module.

Assessments that usually take place in-person, for small groups or individuals e.g. oral exams and group presentations, are expected to take place in-person throughout 2021-22 (in both teaching scenarios, that is, with and without social distancing). However, for LFA groups which are taught wholly online, the oral exam will take place online also.

Programme Structures

Undergraduate students will continue to have all the same core modules available on all

programmes, with a wide variety of option modules offered in second and final year.

- Available module options for 2021-22 were announced in April.
- Two final year option modules have been cancelled because only a very small number of students expressed interest in taking them.
- No further changes to the range of modules offered are anticipated.

All postgraduate core and option modules are expected to run as planned.