

HONG KONG METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY

Programme Requirements for Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Language Studies and Translation (BAHLTJ)

This 5-credit system programme requirements document is applicable to the following student cohorts:

<i>Year of Entry</i>	<i>Admission cohort</i>
<i>Year 1</i>	<i>On or before 2022/2023</i>
<i>Year 2</i>	<i>On or before 2023/2024</i>
<i>Year 3</i>	<i>On or before 2024/2025</i>

To be eligible for the award of the **Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Language Studies and Translation**, a student shall obtain the required number of credits specified below for the Year of entry, in courses prescribed and detailed on the programme tables.

All students admitted via Year 1 entry in 2021/22 or 2022/23, Year 2 entry in 2022/23 or 2023/24 and Year 3 entry in 2023/24 or 2024/25 must complete the four University Core Values Modules, namely Core Value I (Integrity), Core Value II (Fairness), Core Value III (Perseverance), and Core Value IV (Innovation) for graduation.

Year 1 Entry

A student admitted to the programme through Year 1 Entry needs to complete a total of 160 credits of which no more than 40 credits should be taken at Foundation Level. A student is required to complete:

1. 120 credits of core courses in Tables 1, 2 and 3; and
2. 20 credits of outside discipline courses from Table 4; and
3. 20 credits of purpose-designed General Education courses #.

Note: Please refer to the updated list of purpose-designed General Education courses posted on the University website (www.hkmu.edu.hk/FT_GE).

Year 2 Entry

A student admitted to the programme through Year 2 Entry needs to complete a total of 120 credits of which no more than 20 credits should be taken at Foundation Level. A student is required to complete:

1. 100 credits of core courses in Tables 2 and 3; and

2. 10 credits of outside discipline courses from Table 4; and
3. 10 credits of purpose-designed General Education courses[#].

Note: Please refer to the updated list of purpose-designed General Education courses posted on the University website (www.hkmu.edu.hk/FT_GE).

Year 3 Entry

A student admitted to the programme through Year 3 Entry needs to complete a total of 80 credits of core courses in Table 3.

Table 1: Core Courses (Foundation and Middle Level)

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Level	Course Group for Honours Classification
TRAN A261CF	英漢翻譯導論	5	Middle	b
TRAN A271CF	漢英翻譯導論	5	Middle	b
<i>Please select 10 credits from the following courses:</i>				
CHIN A171CF	應用文	5	Foundation	-
CHIN A172CF	語文通論	5	Foundation	-
ENGL A101F	University English Writing Skills	5	Foundation	-
ENGL A122F	Presentation Skills	5	Foundation	-

Table 2: Core Courses (Middle Level)

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Level	Course Group for Honours Classification
ENGL A211F	The Structure of Modern English: Words and Sentences	5	Middle	b
ENGL A221F	The Structure of Modern English: Sounds and Meaning	5	Middle	b
TRAN A262CF	語言結構與翻譯	5	Middle	b
TRAN A272CF	語言對比與翻譯	5	Middle	b

Table 3: Core Courses (Middle and Higher Level)

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Level	Course Group for Honours Classification
ENGL A212F	English Grammar Analysis	5	Middle	b
ENGL A222F	English Grammar and Usage	5	Middle	b
LANG A333F	Introduction to Sociolinguistics	5	Higher	a or b
LANG A338F	Semantics	5	Higher	a or b
LANG A339F	Pragmatics	5	Higher	a or b
LANG A343F	Sociolinguistic Issues in Hong Kong	5	Higher	a or b
TRAN A253CF	譯文研究	5	Middle	b

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Level	Course Group for Honours Classification
TRAN A254CF	傳譯基礎	5	Middle	b
TRAN A365CF	傳媒翻譯	5	Higher	a or b
TRAN A366CF	公共行政翻譯	5	Higher	a or b
TRAN A367CF	商業翻譯	5	Higher	a or b
TRAN A368CF	法律翻譯	5	Higher	a or b
TRAN A369F	Cultural Issues and Translation	5	Higher	a or b
TRAN A379F	Literature and Translation	5	Higher	a or b
TRAN A453CF	語言與翻譯專題	10	Higher	a or b

Table 4: Outside Discipline Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Level
CCA A200CF	視覺文化：泛媒體寫作坊	5	Middle
CCA A201CF ¹	電影新浪潮	5	Middle
CCA A203CF ¹	電影大師研究	5	Middle
CHIN A245CF	中文傳意技巧	5	Middle
CHIN A277CF	中國文學導論	5	Middle
CHIN A278CF	中國文化導論	5	Middle
ECON A231CF	微觀經濟學導論	5	Middle
ECON A231F	Introduction to Microeconomics	5	Middle
ECON A232CF	宏觀經濟學導論	5	Middle
ECON A232F	Introduction to Macroeconomics	5	Middle
ENGL A102F	Classic American Films	5	Foundation
ENGL A103F	British and American Short Stories	5	Foundation
ENGL A131F	Introduction to English Fiction	5	Foundation
ENGL A132F	Introduction to English Drama and Poetry	5	Foundation
ENGL A203F	Hitchcock Films	5	Middle
ENGL A204F	Modern British and American Drama	5	Middle
ENGL A205F ³	Folktales and Children's Literature in English	5	Middle
ENGL A231F	English Literature in the Modern World	5	Middle
ENGL A235F ³	World Englishes and Globalization	5	Middle
MGT B240CF	管理原理與實務	5	Middle
MKT B250CF	市場學導論	5	Middle
MKT B250F	Introduction to Marketing	5	Middle
POLS A122F	Foundations of Social Sciences: Political Science	5	Foundation
POLS A221F	Introductory Comparative Politics	5	Middle
PSYC A124F	Foundations of Social Sciences: Psychology	5	Foundation
PSYC A221F	Introductory Psychology	5	Middle

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Level
PTH A201CF	中級普通話 (一)	5	Middle
PTH A202CF	中級普通話 (二)	5	Middle
PUAD A222F	Introduction to Public Administration	5	Middle
SOCI A123F	Foundations of Social Sciences: Sociology	5	Foundation
SOCI A221F	Social Problems and Social Issues	5	Middle

Note:

1. *List of change in course code:*

Original Course Code	Revised Course Code	Effective Term
<i>CCA A201BF</i>	<i>CCA A201CF</i>	<i>2022 Spring</i>
<i>CCA A203BF</i>	<i>CCA A203CF</i>	<i>2023 Autumn</i>

2. *With effect from the 2021 Spring Term, the following courses have been removed from the list of outside discipline courses. Students completed any of these courses before the 2021 Spring Term could have its course credits (5 credits) counted to satisfy the requirement of outside discipline courses:*

Outside discipline courses removed	Course Title
<i>CHIN A164CF</i>	<i>中國人文學科基礎課程：中國歷史概論</i>
<i>CHIN A165CF</i>	<i>中國人文學科基礎課程：中國文學史</i>
<i>CHIN A241CF</i>	<i>中文傳意 (一)</i>
<i>CHIN A242CF</i>	<i>中文傳意 (二)</i>
<i>CHST A203CF</i>	<i>當代中國文化(一)</i>
<i>CHST A204CF</i>	<i>當代中國文化(二)</i>
<i>ENGL A104F</i>	<i>World Englishes and Cultures</i>
<i>ENGL A105F</i>	<i>Hong Kong Literature in English</i>
<i>ENGL A106F</i>	<i>English in Media and Popular Culture</i>
<i>ENGL A107F</i>	<i>Children's Literature in English</i>

3. *Students who have completed these courses from the 2023 Autumn Term or thereafter may have the course credits counted to satisfy the requirement of outside discipline courses.*

Honours Classification

For the purpose of honours classification of the **Bachelor of Arts with Honours in Language Studies and Translation** programme, the weighted grade point average (WGPA) will be calculated as follows:

- (1) Group (a) courses: 40 credits of Higher Level courses from Table 3.
- (2) Group (b) courses: 40 credits of Middle and Higher Level courses from Tables 1, 2 and 3 where such credits have not been taken into account for calculation in Group (a) courses.
- (3) The weight for the calculation of WGPA for Group (a) courses is one.

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