



Programme/Subject Structures and Modules 2025 - 26

ARCHAEOLOGY – YEAR 1

NOTE: All optional modules are subject to availability and it may be necessary to remove modules due to changes in staffing and research leave. Where modules are withdrawn following registration, students will be notified as far in advance as possible and suitable alternative modules offered.

ARCHAEOLOGY, B.A. (100% - single)

Year:	1					
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester	Pathways
Principles of Archaeology	ALGY101	15	4	Required	1	
The Origins of Humanity	ALGY105	15	4	Required	1	
Bronze Age Civilisations: Mesopotamia and the Mediterranean	ALGY106	15	4	Required	1	
From Village to City: The Origins of Chinese Civilisation	ALGY112	15	4	Required	1	
The Practice of Archaeology	ALGY102	15	4	Required	2	
Empires and Citizens: the classical Mediterranean and the Near East	ALGY131	15	4	Required	2	
Issues in Evolutionary Anthropology	ALGY141	15	4	Required	2	
Visual Culture	CLAH114	15	4	Required	2	

All Semester 1 modules are required.

Students taking a programme with an Archaeology component at 50% or higher will have to opportunity to qualify with a Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (CIfA)

accreditation. To qualify, students must have taken **ALGY101, ALGY102, ALGY248, ALGY250, ALGY399, ALGY450**, ACE Archaeological Field School assessed in ALGY248, and a further 10 days of fieldwork/employability experience.

ARCHAEOLOGY, B.A. (75% - major)

Year:	1					
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester	Pathways
Principles of Archaeology	ALGY101	15	4	Required	1	
The Origins of Humanity	ALGY105	15	4	Required	1	
Bronze Age Civilisations: Mesopotamia and the Mediterranean	ALGY106	15	4	Required	1	
The Practice of Archaeology	ALGY102	15	4	Required	2	
Empires and Citizens: the classical Mediterranean and the Near East	ALGY131	15	4	Required	2	
Visual Culture	CLAH114	15	4	Required	2	
<p>All modules in Year 1 are required.</p> <p>Students taking a programme with an Archaeology component at 50% or higher will have to opportunity to qualify with a Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (CIfA) accreditation. To qualify, students must have taken ALGY101, ALGY102, ALGY248, ALGY250, ALGY399, ALGY450, ACE Archaeological Field School assessed in ALGY248, and a further 10 days of fieldwork/employability experience.</p>						

ARCHAEOLOGY, B.A. (50% - joint)

Year:	1					
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester	Pathways
Principles of Archaeology	ALGY101	15	4	Required	1	
Bronze Age Civilisations: Mesopotamia and the Mediterranean	ALGY106	15	4	Required	1	
The Practice of	ALGY102	15	4	Required	2	

Archaeology						
Empires and Citizens: the classical Mediterranean and the Near East	ALGY131	15	4	Required	2	
<p>All modules in Year 1 are required.</p> <p>Students taking a programme with an Archaeology component at 50% or higher will have to opportunity to qualify with a Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (CIfA) accreditation. To qualify, students must have taken ALGY101, ALGY102, ALGY248, ALGY250, ALGY399, ALGY450, ACE Archaeological Field School assessed in ALGY248, and a further 10 days of fieldwork/employability experience.</p>						

The following is only applicable to students taking: ARCHAEOLOGY AND ANCIENT HISTORY, (VV14)

Year:	1					
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester	Pathways
Principles of Archaeology	ALGY101	15	4	Required	1	
Bronze Age Civilisations: Mesopotamia and the Mediterranean	ALGY106	15	4	Required	1	
Warfare, Politics and Society in the Greek World	CLAH104	15	4	Required	1	
Framing the Classical World	CLAH107	15	4	Required	1	
The Practice of Archaeology	ALGY102	15	4	Required	2	
The Rise of Rome	CLAH105	15	4	Required	2	
The Ancient City	CLAH106	15	4	Required	2	
Visual Culture	CLAH114	15	4	Required	2	
<p>All modules in Year 1 are required.</p> <p>Students taking a programme with an Archaeology component at 50% or higher will have to opportunity to qualify with a Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (CIfA) accreditation. To qualify, students must have taken ALGY101, ALGY102, ALGY248, ALGY250, ALGY399, ALGY450, ACE Archaeological Field School assessed in ALGY248, and a further 10 days of fieldwork/employability experience.</p>						

ARCHAEOLOGY, B.A. (25% - minor)

Year:	1					
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester	Pathways

Principles of Archaeology	ALGY101	15	4	Required	1	
The Practice of Archaeology	ALGY102	15	4	Required	2	
All modules in Year 1 are required.						

ARCHAEOLOGY, B.Sc. (100% - single)

Year:	1					
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester	Pathways
Principles of Archaeology	ALGY101	15	4	Required	1	
The Origins of Humanity	ALGY105	15	4	Required	1	
Bronze Age Civilisations: Mesopotamia and the Mediterranean	ALGY106	15	4	Required	1	
From Village to City: The Origins of Chinese Civilisation	ALGY112	15	4	Required	1	
The Practice of Archaeology	ALGY102	15	4	Required	2	
Empires and Citizens: the classical Mediterranean and the Near East	ALGY131	15	4	Required	2	
Issues in Evolutionary Anthropology	ALGY141	15	4	Required	2	
Visual Culture	CLAH114	15	4	Required	2	
All modules in Year 1 are required.						
Students taking a programme with an Archaeology component at 50% or higher will have to opportunity to qualify with a Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (CIfA) accreditation. To qualify, students must have taken ALGY101, ALGY102, ALGY248, ALGY250, ALGY399, ALGY450 , ACE Archaeological Field School assessed in ALGY248, and a further 10 days of fieldwork/employability experience.						

ARCHAEOLOGY, B.Sc. (75% - major)

Year:	1					
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester	Pathways
Principles of Archaeology	ALGY101	15	4	Required	1	
The Origins of	ALGY105*	15	4	Required	1	

Humanity						
Bronze Age Civilisations: Mesopotamia and the Mediterranean	ALGY106	15	4	Required	1	
The Practice of Archaeology	ALGY102	15	4	Required	2	
Empires and Citizens: the classical Mediterranean and the Near East	ALGY131	15	4	Required	2	
Visual Culture	CLAH114	15	4	Required	2	
<p>All modules in Year 1 are required.</p> <p>Students taking BSc Archaeology <i>with</i> Evolutionary Anthropology must take ALGY112 in place of ALGY105 as the module is required on both sides of the programme.</p> <p>Students taking a programme with an Archaeology component at 50% or higher will have to opportunity to qualify with a Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (CIfA) accreditation. To qualify, students must have taken ALGY101, ALGY102, ALGY248, ALGY250, ALGY399, ALGY450, ACE Archaeological Field School assessed in ALGY248, and a further 10 days of fieldwork/employability experience.</p>						

ARCHAEOLOGY OF ANCIENT CIVILISATIONS (V401)

Year:	1					
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester	Pathways
Principles of Archaeology	ALGY101	15	4	Required	1	
Bronze Age Civilisations: Mesopotamia and the Mediterranean	ALGY106	15	4	Required	1	
Introduction to Ancient Egypt I	ALGY109	15	4	Required	1	
From Village to City: The Origins of Chinese Civilisation	ALGY112	15	4	Required	1	
The Principles of Archaeology	ALGY102	15	4	Required	2	
Introduction to Ancient Egypt II	ALGY116	15	4	Required	2	
Empires and Citizens: The Classical Mediterranean and the Near East	ALGY131	15	4	Required	2	
Visual Culture	CLAH114	15	4	Required	2	
All modules in Year 1 are required						

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