



Programme/Subject Structures and Modules 2025 – 26

IRISH STUDIES – 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 Where modules are withdrawn following registration, students will be notified as far in advance as possible and suitable alternative modules offered.

IRISH STUDIES (100% - single)

Year:	1				
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester
English Literature in Ireland: Jonathan Swift to WB Yeats	IRIS103	15	4	Optional	1
Northern Ireland before the 'Troubles': From Partition to Civil Rights and Armalites	IRIS107	15	4	Optional	1
Warriors, Witches and Legends: The Origins of Ireland	IRIS109	15	4	Optional	1
Beginners' Irish Language 1	IRIS141	15	4	Optional	1
Close Reading	ENGL103*	15	4	Optional	1
Introduction to Film Language	FILM101*	15	4	Optional	1
Power, Belief and Identity: Medieval and Early Modern Worlds, c500-1600CE	HIST115*	15	4	Optional	1
British Politics I	POLI101*	15	4	Optional	1
Field Trip to Ireland and Study Methods	IRIS102	15	4	Optional	2
Modern and Contemporary Irish Writing: From James Joyce to Sally Rooney	IRIS104	15	4	Optional	2
Ireland's Battle of Ideas	IRIS114	15	4	Optional	2
Beginners' Irish Language 2	IRIS142	15	4	Optional	2
Ways of Reading	ENGL113*	15	4	Optional	2
Approaches to Film	FILM102*	15	4	Optional	2
Modern Britain: Democracy, War and Modernity	HIST116*	15	4	Optional	2
British Politics II	POLI102*	15	4	Optional	2

Students take 60 credits of optional modules in each semester.

***Students may take a maximum of 30 credits of non-IRIS coded modules.**

****FILM101** is a pre-requisite for **FILM102**.

IRISH STUDIES (75% - major)

Year:	1				
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester
English Literature in Ireland: Jonathan Swift to WB Yeats	IRIS103	15	4	Optional	1
Northern Ireland Before The 'Troubles': From Partition to Civil Rights and Armalites	IRIS107	15	4	Optional	1
Warriors, Witches and Legends: The Origins of Ireland	IRIS109	15	4	Optional	1
Beginners' Irish Language 1	IRIS141	15	4	Optional	1
Close Reading	ENGL103*	15	4	Optional	1
Introduction to Film Language	FILM101**	15	4	Optional	1
Power, Belief and Identity: Medieval and Early Modern Worlds, c.500-1600CE	HIST115*	15	4	Optional	1
British Politics I	POLI101*	15	4	Optional	1
Field Trip to Ireland and Study Methods	IRIS102	15	4	Optional	2
Modern and Contemporary Irish Writing: From James Joyce to Sally Rooney	IRIS104	15	4	Optional	2
Ireland's Battle of Ideas	IRIS114	15	4	Optional	2
Beginners' Irish Language 2	IRIS142	15	4	Optional	2
Ways of Reading	ENGL113*	15	4	Optional	2
Approaches to Film	FILM102**	15	4	Optional	2
Modern Britain: Democracy, War and Modernity	HIST116*	15	4	Optional	2
British Politics II	POLI102*	15	4	Optional	2
Students take 45 credits of optional modules in each semester. *Students may take a maximum of 30 credits of non-IRIS coded modules. **FILM101 is a pre-requisite for FILM102.					

IRISH STUDIES (50% - joint)

Year:	1				
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester
English Literature in Ireland: Jonathan Swift to WB Yeats	IRIS103	15	4	Optional	1
Northern Ireland Before the 'Troubles': From Partition to Civil Rights and Armalites	IRIS107	15	4	Optional	1
Warriors, Witches and Legends: The Origins of Ireland	IRIS109	15	4	Optional	1
Beginners' Irish Language 1	IRIS141	15	4	Optional	1
Field Trip to Ireland and Study Methods	IRIS102	15	4	Optional	2
Modern and Contemporary Irish Writing: From James Joyce to Sally Rooney	IRIS104	15	4	Optional	2
Ireland's Battle of Ideas	IRIS114	15	4	Optional	2
Beginners' Irish Language 2	IRIS142	15	4	Optional	2
Students take 30 credits of optional modules in each semester.					

IRISH STUDIES (25% - minor)

Year:	1				
Module Title	Code	Credits	Level	Type	Semester
English Literature in Ireland: Jonathan Swift to WB Yeats	IRIS103	15	4	Optional	1
Northern Ireland before the 'Troubles': From Partition to Civil Rights and Armalites	IRIS107	15	4	Optional	1
Warriors, Witches and Legends: The Origins of Ireland	IRIS109	15	4	Optional	1
Beginners' Irish Language 1	IRIS141	15	4	Optional	1
Field Trip to Ireland and Study Methods	IRIS102	15	4	Optional	2
Modern and Contemporary Irish Writing: From James Joyce to Sally Rooney	IRIS104	15	4	Optional	2
Ireland's Battle of Ideas	IRIS114	15	4	Optional	2
Beginners' Irish Language 2	IRIS142	15	4	Optional	2
Students take 15 credits of optional modules in each semester.					