

Sample Courses Classical Studies

First Year Courses	
CS 1000	Ancient Greece and Rome
LA 1000	Introductory Latin
GK 1000	Introductory Ancient Greek
General Courses	
CS2200	Classical Mythology
CS2300	Sport and Recreation in the Ancient World
CS2301A/B	Crime and Punishment in Ancient Greece and Rome
CS2350A/B	Roman Conquest and Cultural Identities
CS2480A/B	Roman Emperors: The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly
CS2500A/B	Ancient Cities in the Mediterranean
CS2525A/B	Egyptian Art and Architecture
CS2800A/B	Greek and Latin Elements in English
CS2810A/B	Ancient Greece on Film
CS2840A/B	Cleopatra: Histories, Dreams, and Distortions
Honors Courses	
LA 2000	Advanced Latin
GK 2000	Advanced Ancient Greek
CS3100E	Greek and Roman Drama
CS3151F/G	The Age of Augustus
CS3211F/G	Ancient Tricksters, Global Perspectives
CS3300F/G	Ancient Greek and Roman Sexuality
CS3350F/G	Women in Ancient Rome
CS3410E	Greek History
CS3530E	Greek Art and Archaeology
CS3550E	Archaeology of Rome and Italy
CS3800F/G	Classics and Pop Culture
CS3906F/G	Greeks, Romans, and Barbarians
CS4999E	Honors Thesis (Independent Study)
International Experiential Learning Courses	
CS3010F/G	Study Tour to Greece: Ancient Greek History, Archaeology and Culture
CS3050F/G	Study Tour to Italy: Roman History, Archaeology and Culture
CS4580F/G	Vindolanda Field School

NOTE: Not all courses may be offered each year.

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About the Department of Classical Studies

Classical Studies at Western is broadly based on the study of the language, literature, history, culture and archaeology of the Greek and Roman world. An innately interdisciplinary program, Classics combines the main fields of Greek and Latin literature, history and archaeology with other subjects such as religion, mythology, political theory, law, philosophy, sports, music, sexuality and gender issues. Classical Studies is not just an exploration of ancient civilizations in the Mediterranean, but how Greece and Rome fundamentally shaped our own world and the way we think today.

Why Choose Classical Studies?

Considering the growing trend of students choosing university degrees which will lead to direct employment, why enroll in a liberal arts program such as Classical Studies? Classical Studies helps to develop excellent skills in communication and problem solving, and have given a distinct advantage to our graduates who have gone on to careers in a wide range of career sectors. Students planning to continue in professional fields such as law and medicine find that Classical Studies establishes a solid background for professional study and sets them apart from others with good records but less diverse and ambitious programs.

The interdisciplinary nature of Classical Studies makes it an ideal combination for a double major with other fields in the Faculty of Arts and Humanities and other Faculties, such as Biology, English, Film Studies, History, Media and Information Studies, Medical Sciences, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Visual Arts and more.

The Modules

The Classical Studies modular degree structure affords the opportunity to combine various subjects from different Departments and Faculties. A module is a structured set of courses specified by a Department, Faculty, or Affiliated College to fulfill the requirements of an Honors Specialization, Specialization, Major or Minor, to be entered after first year. The accompanying chart (over) shows how modules can be combined in three different types of degrees offered: Honors Bachelor, Bachelor (Four Year) or Bachelor (Three Year). There are four possible modules of study that may be entered after First Year:

**Honours Specialization (9.0 or more specified courses)
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**Major (6.0 or more specified courses)
Minor (4.0 or more specified courses)**

Note: The modules taken must fit within these degree structures. Departments, Schools, Faculties and Affiliated Colleges may offer some or all of the modules. See Faculty and Department listings for details. Combinations other than those shown have not been approved; consequently, they may not be taken. Enrolment in some modules may be limited.



Approved Module Combinations for Degrees

Degree Type	Honors Specialization Module	Specialization Module	Major Module	Major Module	Minor Module	Minor Module
Honors Bachelor	E					
Honors Bachelor	E		A			
Honors Bachelor	E				A	
Honors Bachelor			E	E		
Bachelor (Four Year)		E				
Bachelor (Four Year)		E	A			
Bachelor (Four Year)		E			A	
Bachelor (Four Year)			E	A		
Bachelor (Four Year)			E		A	
Bachelor (Four Year)			E		A	A
Bachelor (Three Year)			E			
Bachelor (Three Year)			E		A	
Bachelor (Three Year)					E	E

Essential Modules: E Additional Modules: A

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Career Opportunities

Sample Careers

- Journalist
- Computer Programmer
- Publisher
- Teacher
- Librarian
- Curator
- Archaeologist
- Lawyer
- Business Administrator
- Medical Researcher

Meet Prem

The Vindolanda Field School is a really unique opportunity because students with little to no archaeological experience are put in one of the most valuable sites in the world, at least in Roman history. They learn the tools of the trade, but also get this ability to see amazing finds that are actually used in a research excavation, and are not just run of the mill kind of excavations or designed for student study. You and the archaeologists see some of the cool artifacts for the first time.

- Prem Sai Ramani, SASAH and Chemistry Student

