

Faculty of Arts and Philosophy

Bachelor of Arts in Applied Language Studies: a combination of at least two languages -- Dutch, English, Language Technology

Language of instruction: Dutch

Programme version 1

1 General Courses

1.1 General and Domain-specific Courses 24 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A704152 Introduction to Culture Analysis <i>Brecht de Groote -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3		1	A:1	90
2	A704153 Introduction to Digital Text Analysis <i>Els Lefever -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	5		1	B:1	150
3	A005705 Dutch Linguistics: Introduction to Sociolinguistics <i>Ulrike Vogl -- Department of Linguistics</i>	3		1	A:1	90
4	A704052 Introduction to Translation Studies <i>Lieve Joonen -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3		1	A:2	90
5	A703002 Introduction to Law <i>Sebastiaan Vandenbogaerde -- Department of Interdisciplinary Study of Law, Private Law and Business Law</i>	3		1	A:2	90
6	A704051 Second Language Acquisition and Second Language Learning <i>June Eyckmans -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3		1	A:2	90
7	A703006 Introduction to Translation Technology <i>Lieve Macken -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4		2		120

1.2 Dutch

Students who go on exchange in the third year, choose the course with reference A. Students who follow the home programme in the third year, choose the subject with reference B. All students choose 1 course with reference C.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005709 Dutch Linguistics: Grammar – Word Classes and Syntax of the Clause <i>Timothy Colleman -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5		1	A:1	150
2	A704155 Dutch: Language Proficiency <i>Ruud Ryckaert -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3		1	A:2	90
3	A703012 Dutch: Writing Skills <i>Chloé Lybaert -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3		2	A:J	90
4	A704156 Dutch: Inter- and Crosscultural Perspective <i>Sarah Van Hoof -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3		2	A:1	90
5	A704161 Dutch: Pronunciation <i>Ruud Ryckaert -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3		2	A:1	90
6	A704157 Dutch: Research Seminar <i>Sarah Van Hoof -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	5		2	A:2	150
7	A005904 Dutch: Translation from Foreign Language [fr, nl] <i>Anneleen Spiessens -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3		2	B:2	90
8	A703018 Dutch: Intercultural Project <i>Bram Lambrecht -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4	B	3	A:1	120
9	A704159 Dutch: Advanced Speaking Skills <i>Ruud Ryckaert -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3	C	3	A:2	90
10	A704160 Dutch: Society and Culture of the Low Countries <i>Bram Lambrecht -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3	A	3	A:2	90

11	A704158	Dutch: Editing Techniques	3	C	3	A:2	90
<i>Chloé Lybaert -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>							

1.3 Research Project 6 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A703009 Bachelor's Essay	6		3	A:J	180
Lieve Jookan -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication						

2 Courses Related to the Main Subject and Language Technology 189 credits

Students enrolled for the exchange programme, for English choose

- 2 out of 3 courses with reference A and the course with reference B, if no literature course is chosen at the host university
 - the 3 courses with reference A if a literature course was chosen at the host university
- Students enrolled in the third year for the home programme, for English take all three courses with reference A as well as the course with reference B.

2.1 English 45 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005811 English: Language Proficiency I <i>Bernard De Clerck -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	8		1	A:J	240
2	A005753 English Linguistics: Introduction [en] <i>Ellen Simon -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5		1	A:1	150
3	A005754 History and Culture of the English-speaking World [en] <i>Brecht de Groote -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4		1	A:2	120
4	A005817 English: Language Proficiency II <i>Evy Woumans -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	5		2	A:1	150
5	A005819 Translation Dutch-English <i>David Chan -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	5		2	A:1	150
6	A005821 Culture and Society of the English-speaking World [en] <i>Lieve Jookan -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4		2	A:2	120
7	A005820 English for Specific Purposes: Academic Writing and Presentation <i>Lieve Jookan -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	5		2	A:2	150
8	A005824 English for Specific Purposes: Professional Communication <i>Bernard De Clerck -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3	A	3	A:2	90
9	A005822 English for Specific Purposes: Introduction to Interpreting and (Re)Presentation <i>Katrijn Maryns -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3	A	3	A:2	90
10	A005823 English for Specific Purposes: Translation and Transcreation <i>Joeri Van Liefveringe -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3	A	3	A:2	90
11	A703042 English: Literature [en, nl] <i>David Chan -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3	B	3	A:2	90

2.2 Language Technology 44 credits

Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005868	Introduction to Processing Language with Python <i>Loic De Langhe -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	5		1	B:1	150
2	A005869	Data and Corpusmanagement with Python: Theory and Applications <i>Cynthia Van Hee -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	5		1	A:2	150
3	A703008	Digital Communication <i>Veronique Hoste -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	5		1	B:2	150
4	A005870	NLP and Linguistic Analysis	5		2		150
5	A704029	Technical Writing [en] <i>Joke Daems -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	5		2	A:1	150
6	A005871	Introduction to Machine Learning and Feature Engineering for NLP	5		2		150
7	A004200	Quantitative Research Methods in Linguistics <i>Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5		2	B:2	150
8	A005873	ICALL for Language Engineers	4		3		120
9	A005872	NLP for Good: Societal Applications	5		3		150

2.3 Immersion

Subscribe to 1 module (abroad or at Ghent University) from the following list. Subject to approval by the faculty.
Only following a motivated written request and in (view of) exceptional circumstances can students obtain the Study Programme

Committee's permission to abstain from taking the immersion abroad and, consequently, take the module 'Home Programme'.

2.3.1 Exchange Programme

Subscribe to 1 module from the following list. Subject to approval by the faculty.

Students who have followed the Educational Track have 15 credits more electives in the Master's Programme in Teaching or are exempted from these courses in the Abridged Master's Programme in Teaching. The other students must take these courses within the (Abridged) Master's Programme in Teaching.

2.3.1.1 Educational Track

30 credits

Subscribe to 30 credit units from the following list, with 6 credit units with reference °.

The two Teaching Methodologies must correspond to the chosen languages in the bachelor's programme.

At least 24 of the 30 credit units are included in the Learning Agreement with the host university. If the host university does not offer a sufficient range of equivalent educational electives, the student can submit an application to the UGent faculty to take other electives.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A704060 Immersion: Language and Interculturality [fr, nl, tr, en, es, ru, de, it] <i>Patrick Goethals -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	15		3	A:1	450
2	H002169 Powerful Learning Environments <i>Bram De Wever -- Department of Educational Studies</i>	6		3	A:1	180
3	H002186 Introduction to Teaching Methodology: German [de, nl] <i>Benjamin Biebuyck -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	3	°	3	A:1, B:2	90
4	H002187 Introduction to Teaching Methodology: English [en, nl] <i>June Eyckmans -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3	°	3	A:2, B:1	90
5	H002190 Introduction to Teaching Methodology: French [fr, nl] <i>Pascale Hadermann -- Department of Linguistics</i>	3	°	3	B:J	90
6	H002193 Introduction to Teaching Methodology: Dutch <i>Youri Desplenter -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	3	°	3	B:1, A:2	90
7	H002194 Introduction to Teaching Methodology: Spanish [es, nl] <i>Maribel Montero Perez -- Department of Linguistics</i>	3	°	3	A:J	90
8	H002195 Introduction to Teaching Methodology: Foreign Languages <i>Maribel Montero Perez -- Department of Linguistics</i>	3	°	3	A:J, B:1	90
9	H002182 Reference Internship: Languages <i>Maribel Montero Perez -- Department of Linguistics</i>	3		3	A:J	90

2.3.1.2 Applied Language Studies Track

27 credits

Subscribe to 27 credit units from the following list.

The student takes one of the following combinations:

- Immersion (27 credit units)
- Immersion (24 credit units) + Study Abroad Project (3 credit units)

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A703007 Immersion: Language and Interculturality [tr, fr, de, nl, en, it, es, ru] <i>Patrick Goethals -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	27		3	A:1	810
2	A704061 Immersion: Language and Interculturality [fr, nl, tr, en, es, ru, de, it] <i>Patrick Goethals -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	24		3	A:1	720
3	A704063 Study Abroad Project [fr, nl, tr, en, ru, de, it] <i>June Eyckmans -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3		3	A:1	90

2.3.2 Home Programme

Subscribe to 1 module from the following list. Subject to approval by the faculty.

Students who have followed the Educational Track have 15 credits more electives in the Master's Programme in Teaching or are exempted from these courses in the Abridged Master's Programme in Teaching. The other students must take these courses within the (Abridged) Master's Programme in Teaching.

2.3.2.1 Educational Track

Subscribe to 15 credit units from the following list, with 6 credit units with reference °. Subject to approval by the faculty.

The Teaching Methodologies must correspond to the chosen languages in the bachelor's programme.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	H002169 Powerful Learning Environments <i>Bram De Wever -- Department of Educational Studies</i>	6		3	A:1	180
2	H002186 Introduction to Teaching Methodology: German [de, nl] <i>Benjamin Biebuyck -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	3	°	3	A:1, B:2	90
3	H002187 Introduction to Teaching Methodology: English [en, nl] <i>June Eyckmans -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	3	°	3	A:2, B:1	90
4	H002190 Introduction to Teaching Methodology: French [fr, nl] <i>Pascale Hadermann -- Department of Linguistics</i>	3	°	3	B:J	90
5	H002193 Introduction to Teaching Methodology: Dutch <i>Youri Desplenter -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	3	°	3	B:1, A:2	90

6	H002182	Reference Internship: Languages <i>Maribel Montero Perez -- Department of Linguistics</i>	3	3	A:J	90
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2.3.2.1.1 Foreign Language

Subscribe to no less than 4 and no more than 7 credit units from the list below or from the course offerings in linguistics and literature. Students German take 7 credit units. Students English and French take 4 credit units. Subject to approval by the faculty.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005747 German: Contemporary Problems [de] <i>Gunther Martens -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	4		3	A:1	120
2	A005748 German Literature: Enlightened Classics [de] <i>Gunther Martens -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	3		3	A:2	90
3	A704074 English: Intercultural Project [en, nl] <i>Bernard De Clerck -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4		3	A:1	120
4	A704075 French: Intercultural Project [fr, nl] <i>Laurence Swaelens -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4		3	A:1	120

2.3.2.1.1.1 Course offerings in Linguistics and Literature

Subscribe to no more than 7 credit units from the course offerings in Linguistics and Literature, distributed over the first standard learning path as follows: no more than 7 credit units in year 3. Subject to approval by the faculty.

2.3.2.2 Applied Language Studies Track

2.3.2.2.1 Foreign Language

Subscribe to no less than 4 and no more than 7 credit units from the list below or from the course offerings in linguistics and literature. Students German take 7 credit units. Students English and French take 4 credit units. Subject to approval by the faculty.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005747 German: Contemporary Problems [de] <i>Gunther Martens -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	4		3	A:1	120
2	A005748 German Literature: Enlightened Classics [de] <i>Gunther Martens -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	3		3	A:2	90
3	A704074 English: Intercultural Project [en, nl] <i>Bernard De Clerck -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4		3	A:1	120
4	A704075 French: Intercultural Project [fr, nl] <i>Laurence Swaelens -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4		3	A:1	120

2.3.2.2.1.1 Course offerings in Linguistics and Literature

Subscribe to no more than 7 credit units from the course offerings in Linguistics and Literature, distributed over the first standard learning path as follows: no more than 7 credit units in year 3. Subject to approval by the faculty.

2.4 Elective Courses

Students in the exchange programme's educational track don't choose elective courses.
Students in the exchange programme's applied language studies track choose 3 credit units.
Students in the home programme's educational track choose 7 credit units.
Students in the home programme's applied language studies track choose 22 credit units.

2.4.1 Free Choice

Subscribe to no more than 22 credit units from the three options below. Subject to approval by the faculty.

- 1 The study programmes of Ghent University (including the [Ghent University Elective Courses](#)) or of another university of the Flemish Community
- 2 The not taken skills courses of your foreign languages
- 3 The course Community Service Learning (see submodule 2.4.1.1 Community Service Learning) To be taken in year 3.

Teaching

When a course is not taught (solely) in the programme's language of instruction, the effectively used languages are indicated in square brackets following the course name, using the following ISO codes:

bg: Bulgarian	de: German	es: Spanish	ja: Japanese	pl: Polish	sh: Croatian/Serbian	zh: Chinese
cs: Czech	el: Greek	fr: French	nl: Dutch	pt: Portuguese	sl: Slovene	
da: Danish	en: English	it: Italian	no: Norwegian	ru: Russian	sv: Swedish	

Semester

Semesters are indicated by their number (1 or 2); semester 3 represents the summer period and J indicates a course spanning semesters 1 and 2. When a capital letter precedes a semester number, the course has multiple offerings. The letter indicates the offering concerned.

When a semester is shown in brackets, the course is not offered this year in the specific offering.

The offering frequency and first year of offering are indicated by the following codes:

a: bi-annually	c: annually, from 2025-2026	f: annually, from 2026-2027	i: annually, from 2027-2028
b: tri-annually	d: bi-annually, from 2025-2026	g: bi-annually, from 2026-2027	j: bi-annually, from 2027-2028
	e: tri-annually, from 2025-2026	h: tri-annually, from 2026-2027	k: tri-annually, from 2027-2028