

Faculty of Arts and Philosophy

Preparatory Course Master of Arts in Linguistics and Literature -- English

Language of instruction: Dutch

Programme version 5

1 General Courses

Subscribe to 1 module from the following list.
Choice depends on the previous training.

1.1 Previous Training: Bachelor in Applied Language Studies | Language Studied 30 credits

1.1.1 Mandatory Courses 20 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005752 English Literature: Introduction [en] <i>Gert Buelens -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:J	150
2	A005757 English Literature: Overview up to 1800 [en] <i>Elly McCausland -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
3	A005756 English Literature: Overview 1800 to Present [en] <i>Marco Caracciolo -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:2	150
4	A005793 Introduction to the Study of Linguistics and Literature <i>Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:2	150

1.1.2 Elective Courses 10 credits

Subscribe to 10 credit units from the following list.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005798 Theory of Literature I: Topics in European Literary History <i>Koen De Temmerman -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
2	A005794 General Linguistics I: Theories and Methods <i>Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:1	150
3	A005760 English Literature: American Literature [en] <i>Wibke Schniedermann -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
4	A005762 English Literature: Modern Period [en] <i>Alexander Vandewalle -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
5	A005761 English Literature: Historical Period [en] <i>Louise Benson James -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:2	150
6	A005758 English Linguistics: Phonology [en] <i>Ellen Simon -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:1	150
7	A005764 English Linguistics: Text & Genre & Translation <i>Stef Slembrouck -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5				150
8	A005763 English Linguistics: Analysis of Spoken Interaction [en] <i>Stef Slembrouck -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:2	150
9	A005759 English Linguistics: Syntax and Semantics [en] <i>Miriam Taverniers -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:2	150

1.2 Previous Training: Bachelor in Applied Language Studies | Language not Studied 65 credits

1.2.1 General Courses 5 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005793 Introduction to the Study of Linguistics and Literature <i>Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:2	150

1.2.2 Language: English

60 credits

Subscribe to 60 credit units from the following list, with 5 credit units with reference *.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005751 English: General Language Proficiency [en] <i>Miriam Taverniers -- Department of Linguistics</i>	6			A:J	180
2	A005752 English Literature: Introduction [en] <i>Gert Buelens -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:J	150
3	A005753 English Linguistics: Introduction [en] <i>Ellen Simon -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:1	150
4	A005754 History and Culture of the English-speaking World [en] <i>Brecht de Groote -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4			A:2	120
5	A005755 English: Academic Language Proficiency [en] <i>Ellen Simon -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:J	150
6	A005757 English Literature: Overview up to 1800 [en] <i>Elly McCausland -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
7	A005758 English Linguistics: Phonology [en] <i>Ellen Simon -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:1	150
8	A005756 English Literature: Overview 1800 to Present [en] <i>Marco Caracciolo -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:2	150
9	A005759 English Linguistics: Syntax and Semantics [en] <i>Miriam Taverniers -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:2	150
10	A005760 English Literature: American Literature [en] <i>Wibke Schniedermann -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
11	A005763 English Linguistics: Analysis of Spoken Interaction [en] <i>Stef Slembrouck -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:2	150
12	A005764 English Linguistics: Text & Genre & Translation <i>Stef Slembrouck -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5	*			150
13	A005762 English Literature: Modern Period [en] <i>Alexander Vandewalle -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5	*		A:1	150
14	A005761 English Literature: Historical Period [en] <i>Louise Benson James -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5	*		A:2	150

1.3 Previous Training: Other Bachelors

85 credits

1.3.1 General Courses

10 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005798 Theory of Literature I: Topics in European Literary History <i>Koen De Temmerman -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
2	A005794 General Linguistics I: Theories and Methods <i>Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:1	150

1.3.2 Language: English

60 credits

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1	A005751 English: General Language Proficiency [en] <i>Miriam Taverniers -- Department of Linguistics</i>	6			A:J	180
2	A005752 English Literature: Introduction [en] <i>Gert Buelens -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:J	150
3	A005753 English Linguistics: Introduction [en] <i>Ellen Simon -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:1	150
4	A005754 History and Culture of the English-speaking World [en] <i>Brecht de Groote -- Department of Translation, Interpreting and Communication</i>	4			A:2	120
5	A005755 English: Academic Language Proficiency [en] <i>Ellen Simon -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:J	150
6	A005757 English Literature: Overview up to 1800 [en] <i>Elly McCausland -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5			A:1	150
7	A005758 English Linguistics: Phonology [en] <i>Ellen Simon -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5			A:1	150

8	A005756	English Literature: Overview 1800 to Present [en] <i>Marco Caracciolo -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5		A:2	150
9	A005759	English Linguistics: Syntax and Semantics [en] <i>Miriam Taverniers -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5		A:2	150
10	A005760	English Literature: American Literature [en] <i>Wibke Schniedermann -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5		A:1	150
11	A005763	English Linguistics: Analysis of Spoken Interaction [en] <i>Stef Slembrouck -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5		A:2	150
12	A005764	English Linguistics: Text & Genre & Translation <i>Stef Slembrouck -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5	*		150
13	A005762	English Literature: Modern Period [en] <i>Alexander Vandewalle -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5	*	A:1	150
14	A005761	English Literature: Historical Period [en] <i>Louise Benson James -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5	*	A:2	150

1.3.3 Research Project

15 credits

Subscribe to 15 credit units from the following list, with

- 5 credit units from the courses with reference °,
- 4 credit units from the courses with reference k,
- 6 credit units from the courses with reference *.

The theoretical course unit (Theory of Literature II: Reading Theories or General Linguistics II: Language Variation and Language Change) and the seminar are selected within the same discipline of the Final Project (the research project constitutes a discipline-specific unity).

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	A005799 Theory of Literature II: Reading Theories <i>Jurgen Pieters -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5	°		A:1	150
2	A005800 General Linguistics II: Language Variation and Language Change <i>Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics</i>	5	°		A:1	150
3	A006736 Bachelor's Dissertation Seminar Literature <i>Gert Buelens -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	4	k		A:J	120
4	A006737 Bachelor's Dissertation Seminar Linguistics <i>Klaas Willems -- Department of Linguistics</i>	4	k		A:J	120
5	A006751 Final Project <i>Peter Lauwers -- Department of Linguistics</i>	6	*		A:J	180

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 2026-2027	f: annually, from 2027-2028	i: annually, from 2028-2029
b: tri-annually	d: bi-annually, from 2026-2027	g: bi-annually, from 2027-2028	j: bi-annually, from 2028-2029
	e: tri-annually, from 2026-2027	h: tri-annually, from 2027-2028	k: tri-annually, from 2028-2029