

LIST OF STAGE 1 ELECTIVE MODULES AVAILABLE FOR STAGE 1 STUDENTS

Elective modules are modules that fall outside the subject area of your programme of study. If your programme permits elective modules to be taken then you should refer to this document only to help you select them. Students in stage 1 must choose level 4 modules with the exception of languages, which may be studied at any level provided that prerequisites are met and that you comply with [credit framework](#) rules. Please check with ArtsHumsUGandPGT@kent.ac.uk if you are in any doubt about your language level.

Although you are free to apply for any module from this Elective Modules list you should note that some modules require certain prerequisite qualifications. To view the module description (synopsis, prerequisites, assessment patterns etc.) for each of these modules please access the [module catalogue](#).

Timetables will not be published until September but please note, it is your responsibility to check your timetable prior to the start of term to ensure your elective module selections DO NOT clash with your required modules. Please note that if an elective module registration does create a timetable clash with your required modules, you will need to withdraw from the elective module and select another. Modules being taught at Medway campus are flagged with §. Please take travel into consideration when selecting a module on a different campus. Please email csao@kent.ac.uk if you need to change modules

DIVISION OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES

The Division of Arts and Humanities is undertaking a review of its courses and associated modules. This means there is a risk that some modules will not be available after OMR. Any changes will be dealt in line with [Kent's established process](#) as required by the Competition and Markets Authority (CMA). You should select your modules based on the list available. If there are any changes to your selection, you will be contacted as soon as possible with suggested alternatives. The review is planned to be completed by July 2023 at the latest.

Division-wide		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
HUMA4000	The Home	15	Autumn	4
HUMA4001	The Wild	15	Spring	4

School of Arts		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
Media				
MSTU3010	Media and Meaning	30	Autumn	4
MSTU3020	Promotional Media	15	Autumn	4
MSTU4002	Media, Identity and Diversity	30	Spring	4
Film				
FILM3130	Film Style	30	Autumn	4
FILM3150	Film Theory	30	Spring	4
FILM3160	Film Histories	30	Spring	4
Art History				
HART3000	Women Artists	30	Autumn	4
HART3001	Women Artists	15	Autumn	4
HART3160	Introduction to the History of Photography	15	Spring	4
HART3170	Introduction to the History of Photography	30	Spring	4
HART3540	Exploring Art History	15	Autumn	4
HART3550	Exploring Art History	30	Autumn	4
HART3610	Introduction to Aesthetics and the Philosophy of Art	15	Spring	4
HART3620	Introduction to Aesthetics and the Philosophy of Art	30	Spring	4
CMAT				
CMAT3040	Music Management Principles §	15	Spring	4
CMAT3050	Music in the Creative Industries §	15	Autumn	4
CMAT3070	Music and Contemporary Culture §	15	Autumn	4
CMAT3100	Introduction to Audio Synthesis §	15	Spring	4
CMAT3130	Critical Listening and Sound-Making §	15	Spring	4
CMAT3150	Marketing Communications in the Music Industry §	15	Autumn	4

§ This module is taught at Medway and will therefore not appear during Online Module Registration. If you wish to take this module, select an alternative during OMR and request a module change after OMR has closed.

School of English		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
ENGL3410	Other Worlds: Dystopias and Futures	15	Spring	4
ENGL3420	American Power, American Protest	15	Autumn	4
ENGL3430	Romantic Ecologies & the Modern Invention of Nature	15	Autumn	4

Department of Classical & Archaeological Studies		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
CLAS3290	Introduction to Archaeology	15	Autumn	4
CLAS3590	Greek for Beginners 1	15	Autumn	4
CLAS3600	Greek for Beginners 2 Cannot be taken without CLAS3590 or equivalent level	15	Spring	4
CLAS3640	Latin for Beginners 1	15	Autumn	4
CLAS3650	Latin for Beginners 2 Cannot be taken without CLAS3640 or equivalent level	15	Spring	4
CLAS3660	Classical Mythology: Themes and Approaches to Ancient Greek	15	Autumn	4
CLAS3670	Classical Archaeology: Great Sites, Key Issues	15	Spring	4
CLAS3680	Introduction to Greek Civilisation	15	Autumn	4
CLAS3690	Introduction to Roman Civilisation	15	Spring	4
CLAS3700	Mediterranean Empires from Carthage to the Indus	15	Spring	4
CLAS3720	Ancient Egypt: Key Sites and Material Culture	15	Autumn	4
CLAS3730	Classical Literature	15	Spring	4

Department of Philosophy		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
PHIL3000	Introduction to Philosophy: Rights	15	Spring	4
PHIL3020	Introduction to Philosophy: Knowledge and Metaphysics	15	Autumn	4
PHIL3030	Introduction to Philosophy: Ethics	15	Spring	4
PHIL3100	Introduction to Philosophy: Logic and Reasoning	15	Spring	4
PHIL3150	Philosophical Reading and Writing	15	Autumn	4
PHIL3190	Classic Philosophy Text	15	Autumn	4

Department of Religious Studies		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
RSST3310	Introduction to Hinduism and Buddhism	15	Spring	4
RSST3500	The Global Search for Meaning	15	Spring	4
RSST3520	What is Religion?	15	Autumn	4

School of Culture and Languages		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
SCL Language Modules:				
When choosing a language module, please ensure that you register for the module most suited to your background in the language. This is explained further in the module outlines . Beginners' modules assume little or no prior knowledge of the language concerned. However, they are extremely intensive and best suited for students with some previous experience of learning another foreign language (e.g. at GCSE/A- level). If you wish to take a language module as elective we strongly recommend that you discuss this further with SCL at artshumsugandpgt@kent.ac.uk.				
LANG4002	Global Cultures of Business	15	Autumn	4
LANG4003	Culture and Heritage: Foundations	15	Autumn	4
LANG4004	Resistance and Revolutions	15	Autumn	4
Comparative Literature				
CPLT3050	Freedom and Oppression in Modern Literature	15	Autumn	4
CPLT3060	Guilt and Redemption in Modern Literature	15	Spring	4
CPLT3110	The Tale	30	Autumn & Spring	4
CPLT3170	Childhood & Adolescence in Modern Fiction	15	Autumn	4
CPLT3250	World Literature: An Introduction	15	Spring	4
CPLT3290	Femmes Fatales in Literature and Film	15	Autumn	4
English Language and Linguistics				
LING3020	The Structure of Language	15	Autumn	4
LING3030	Sounds of English	15	Spring	4
LING3040	Language, Self and Society	15	Spring	4
LING3050	Meaning and Discourse	15	Spring	4
LING3070	Tackling Text: Explaining Style	15	Autumn	4
LING3090	Global Englishes	15	Autumn	4
LING3120	Grammar for Everyone	15	Spring	4
LING3130	Foundations of Linguistics	15	Autumn	4
French				
FREN3000	French Lower Intermediate B1	30	Autumn & Spring	4
FREN3001	Introduction to Francophone Literature and Culture	15	Spring	4
FREN3300	French Beginners A1-A2 (Intensive)	30	Autumn	4

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German				
GRMN3010	German Lower Intermediate B1	30	Autumn & Spring	4
GRMN3120	Images of Germany, 1945-Present	15	Spring	4
GRMN3290	German Beginners A1-A2 (Intensive)	30	Autumn & Spring	4
Hispanic Studies				
HISP3000	Spanish Lower Intermediate B1	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HISP3020	Spanish Beginners A1-A2 (Intensive)	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HISP3120	Identity, Politics and Power in the Hispanic World	15	Spring	4
Italian				
ITAL3010	Italian Beginners A1-A2 (Intensive)	30	Autumn & Spring	4
World Languages				
Please note that that you can choose from any of the World Language modules at any level or any stage provided that the language prerequisites are met and you comply with credit framework rules. The full list of available World Language modules can be found here . Level 4 Languages are as follows:				
WOLA3020	Mandarin Chinese Beginners	15	Autumn	4
WOLA3030	Mandarin Chinese Elementary Cannot be taken without WOLA3020 or equivalent level	15	Spring	4
WOLA3040	Japanese Beginners	15	Autumn	4
WOLA3050	Japanese Elementary Cannot be taken without WOLA3040 or equivalent level	15	Spring	4
WOLA3070	Arabic Beginners	15	Autumn	4
WOLA3080	Arabic Elementary Cannot be taken without WOLA3070 or equivalent level	15	Spring	4
WOLA3090	Russian Beginners Not running 2023/24	15	Autumn	4
WOLA3100	Russian Elementary Not running 2023/24 Cannot be taken without WOLA3090 or equivalent level	15	Spring	4
Please note that SCL will be running Beginners Language Express courses in Arabic, Japanese, Mandarin and Russia that are non-credit-bearing and co-curricular, and are therefore open to all students regardless of whether or not they have the option to undertake Elective study. More information can be found via this link: https://www.kent.ac.uk/language-centre				
International Programmes- English Language Skills				
These modules are for International Students whose first language is not English. If you are unsure whether these modules are appropriate for you we strongly recommend that you discuss this further with International Programmes .				
ENLA4001	Developing English Language Skills	15	Autumn	4
ENLA4002	Extending English Language Skills	15	Spring	4
ENLA4007	Talking Cultures: Exploring Intercultural Awareness Competencies	15	Autumn	4

School of History		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
HIST3001	A Global History of Empires, c.1500-1965	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HIST3002	Captain Swing to the Sex Pistols: Modern Britain, 1830-2000	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HIST3003	Europe Transformed: Revolution, War and Diplomacy, 1700-2000	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HIST3004	Introduction to Military History	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HIST3005	Introduction to the History of Health and Medicine	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HIST3006	Medieval Europe (c. 400 – c. 1450)	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HIST3007	Race & Rights: America in the World	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HIST3008	The Early Modern World: Conflict & Culture, 1450-1750	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HIST4270	The British Army and Society since 1660	30	Autumn & Spring	4
HIST4280	War and Society in Europe c.1779-1990	30	Autumn & Spring	4

DIVISION OF COMPUTING, ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

School of Computing		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
COMP3200	Introduction to Object-Oriented Programming	15	Autumn	4
COMP3230	Databases and the Web	15	Spring	4
COMP3280	Human Computer Interaction	15	Autumn	4

DIVISION OF HUMAN AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

School of Anthropology and Conservation		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
ANTB3020	Foundations of Biological Anthropology	30	Autumn & Spring	4
ANTB3160	How Humans Evolved Cannot be taken with ANTB3020	15	Autumn	4
ANTS3010	Introduction to Social Anthropology	30	Autumn & Spring	4
ANTS3070	Thinkers and Theories in Anthropology	15	Spring	4
GEOG3001	People, Place and Environment	15	Autumn	4
GEOG3004	Environmental Sustainability	15	Spring	4
GEOG3005	Geographical Patterns and Processes	15	Spring	4
HECO3030	Survey and Monitoring for Biodiversity	15	Spring	4
WCON3050	Biodiversity	15	Autumn	4
WCON3111	Principles of Biogeography and Ecology	15	Spring	4

School of Economics	NO STAGE 1 ECONOMICS MODULES ARE AVAILABLE AS ELECTIVE			
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School of Politics and Int. Relations		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
POLI3000	States and the World	15	Autumn	4
POLI3002	The Power of Political Ideas	15	Autumn	4
POLI3003	War, Violence and Peace	15	Spring	4
POLI3004	Political Systems of the World	15	Spring	4
POLI3350	Making Sense of Politics	30	Autumn	4

School of Psychology		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
PSYC3040	Introduction to Psychology I (available for non-Psychology students only)	15	Autumn	4
PSYC3050	Introduction to Psychology II (available for non-Psychology students only)	15	Spring	4
PSYC3060	Introduction to Forensic Psychology	15	Autumn	4
PSYC3110	Business Psychology: An Introduction Non-Psychology students must take PSYC3040 in Autumn or PSYC3050 in Spring alongside this module	15	Spring	4
PSYC3140	Introduction to Clinical Psychology	15	Spring	4

DIVISION OF NATURAL SCIENCES

School of Biosciences		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
BIOS3070	Human Physiology and Disease Cannot be taken without BIOS3050 or A-level Biology	15	Spring	4

School of Physical Sciences		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
FSCI3010	Introduction to Forensic Science	15	Autumn	4

DIVISION FOR THE STUDY OF LAW, SOCIETY AND SOCIAL JUSTICE

School of Social Policy, Sociology and Social Research		CREDIT AMOUNT	TERM TAUGHT	CREDIT LEVEL
SAPO3000	Social Policy and Social Control	15	Autumn	4
SAPO3010	Health, Care and Wellbeing	15	Autumn	4
SOCI3340	Modern Culture	15	Autumn	4
SOCI3350	Contemporary Culture and Media	15	Spring	4
SOCI3360	Sociology of Everyday Life	15	Spring	4
SOCI3370	Fundamentals of Sociology	15	Autumn	4
SOCI3410	Critical Thinking	15	Spring	4
SOCI4080	Sociological Theory: The Classics	15	Spring	4

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