



Bachelor of Languages and Linguistics (Domestic students)

Program code	Entry requirements	Prerequisites
1398	15	English (4SA)
Available at Gold Coast Campus	Overall position (OP) 2019 66	Assumed knowledge Nil
Duration 3 years full-time 6 years part-time	Rank 2019 (more) OR VET qualification Certificate III (Additional requirements)	OP 1-6 Guarantee If you receive an OP 1-6 or equivalent and meet subject prerequisites, you are guaranteed a place in this program.
Credit points 240	Offered in Trimester 1	
Indicative fee \$6,566.00* per year (more) * 2019 indicative annual CSP fee Calculate your fees		

Degree requirements: Students who started Trimester 1 - 2020

For Domestic students and those International students not required to complete the English Language Enhancement course

For the award of *Bachelor of Languages and Linguistics (BLangLing)*, you must successfully complete 240 credit points, made up of the core courses AND

- 80 credit points for the Linguistics major;
- 80 credit points for a Language major (students must choose a non-native language);
- 40 credit points of Listed electives OR 40 credit points for a minor (additional language);
- 30 credit points of Undergraduate free-choice elective/s.

Other program requirements

You must successfully complete:

- no more than 100 credit points of Level 1 courses (the first digit of a course code denotes the level);
- at least 60 credit points of Level 3 courses or higher.

This degree/s may be awarded **with Distinction** where a student achieves a minimum program GPA of 6.5 with no failed courses. The words 'This award was achieved with Distinction' will be recorded on the testamur and will appear below the conferral date of the award.

Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) Level and Type

The [Australian Qualifications Framework \(AQF\)](#) is the national policy for regulated qualifications in Australian education and training. This qualification is accredited as an AQF Level 7 - Bachelor Degree.

English Language Enhancement

Domestic students enrolled in this program whose first language is not English may complete the following **English Language Enhancement (ELE)** course as an elective.

- [5904LHS Language and Communication for Arts and Social Sciences](#)

Students whose first language is English are not permitted to undertake this ELE course.

All undergraduate International students are required to complete an **English Language Enhancement (ELE)** course unless specific criteria are met as specified in Section 1.2 of the [Bachelor Degree Policy - Schedule 1: Requirement to Complete the English Language Enhancement Course](#).

The following course must be completed in the first trimester of study:

- [5904LHS Language and Communication for Arts and Social Sciences](#)

Advice regarding the requirement to complete the ELE course is available via the *myGriffith* portal (in the To Do List).

Students whose first language is English are not permitted to undertake this ELE course.

Program learning outcomes

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Program Learning Outcomes communicate to the community the value of the Griffith educational experience as benchmarked against national qualification standards.

Program Learning Outcomes for this award describe the knowledge, skills and the application of knowledge and skills you will acquire through studying the Griffith program of your choice.

Course list: Students starting Trimester 1 - 2020

Note: Students must check the prerequisite and incompatible requirements before selecting any course within this program.

Years 1-3

The **Linguistics major** is compulsory for all students in this program.

The **Language major** is compulsory for all students in this program and must be completed in one language. Students must undertake a language major in a language in which they are not native speakers.

You must complete the following program structure for the Bachelor of Language and Linguistics degree program:

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1003LHS	Communication: A Linguistic Approach (see Note 1)	10
		OR	
Tri 1	5904LHS	Language and Communication for Arts and Social Sciences (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2		Linguistics Major	80
Tri 1,2		Language Major (see Note 2)	80
Tri 1,2		Listed electives	40
		OR	
Tri 1,2		Minor (additional language)	40
Tri 1,2		Free-choice electives	30

Note 1: Students who are required to complete the English Language Enhancement course must complete 5904LHS in their first trimester of study. All other students must complete 1003LHS.

Note 2: In addition to the languages offered at Griffith University French, German, Indonesian, Korean and Russian can be undertaken by cross-institutional study at the [University of Queensland](#) via the Brisbane Universities Language Alliance. Modern Greek can be undertaken online by cross institutional study at [Flinders University](#). The International English major is for second language speakers of English only.

Majors (6 available)

Linguistics Majors

Linguistics

Year 1 compulsory courses

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1001LHS	Linguistics 1A - Introduction to the Study of Language I	10
Tri 2	1002LHS	Linguistics 1B - Introduction to the Study of Language II	10

You must complete 60 credit points from the following courses with at least 20 credit points taken from third year level courses

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2001LHS	Learning and Teaching a 2nd/Foreign Language	10
Tri 2	2203LHS	Language, Technology and Social Media (offered online)	10
Tri 1	2007LHS	Languages of East and Southeast Asia	10
Tri 2	2204LHS	English Words and Grammar	10

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	3002LHS	Second Language Acquisition	10
Tri 1	3203LHS	Discourse, Text and Power	10
Tri 2	3205LHS	Endangered Languages	10
Tri 2	3202LHS	Intercultural Communication (capstone course)	10

Note 1: These courses are open only to students who have gained approval from the Course Convenor and the Program Director to enrol.

Language Majors

Chinese Language

Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Language courses must be taken in sequence in accordance with the prerequisites specified. Students may commence at either first or second year depending on their level of proficiency.

Those who have completed Year 11 and 12 language study at secondary school or have some other level of proficiency should contact the relevant Language Coordinator (via the School Administrative Officer) to discuss the level at which to enrol.

You must complete 80 credit points from the following courses with at least 20 credit point taken from third year level courses.

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1084LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 1A	10
Tri 2	1085LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 1B	10
Tri 1	2010LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 2A	20
Tri 2	2011LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 2B Enhanced	20
Tri 1	3010LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 3A	20
Tri 2	3011LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 3B	20
Tri 3	2434LHS	China Study Tour (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3060LHS	Advanced Project (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3200LHS	Independent Internship (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3192LHS	Italian In-Country Independent Study Enhanced (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5010LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	5020LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5030LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	30
Tri 1,2 or 3	5040LHS	Language Exchange Study	40
Tri 1,2 or 3	5050LHS	Language Exchange Study	50

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Italian Language

You must complete 80 credit points from the following courses with at least 20 credit points taken from third year level courses.

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1090LHS	Italian 1A	10
		OR	
Tri 3	1092LHS	Intensive Italian 1A (offered South Bank only)	10
Tri 2	1091LHS	Italian 1B	10
		OR	
Tri 3	1093LHS	Intensive Italian 1B (offered South Bank only)	10
Tri 1	2095LHS	Contemporary Italy: A Survey (see Note 1) (offered Nathan only)	10
Tri 1	2090LHS	Italian 2A (offered South Bank only)	10
Tri 2	2091LHS	Italian 2B Spoken (offered South Bank only)	10
Tri 2	2092LHS	Italian 2B Written (offered South Bank only)	10
Tri 1	3094LHS	Italian Literature and Society (offered Nathan only)	10
Tri 1	3294LHS	Italian Literature and Society Enhanced (offered Nathan only)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	3192LHS	Italian In-Country Independent Study Enhanced (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	3060LHS	Advanced Project (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3200LHS	Independent Internship (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	5010LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	5020LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5030LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	30
Tri 1,2 or 3	5040LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	40
Tri 1,2 or 3	5050LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	50

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Japanese Language

Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Language courses must be taken in sequence in accordance with the prerequisites specified. Students may commence at either first or second year depending on their level of proficiency.

Those who have completed Year 11 and 12 language study at secondary school or have some other level of proficiency should contact the relevant Language Coordinator (via the School Administrative Officer) to discuss the level at which to enrol.

You must complete 80 credit points from the following courses with at least 20 credit points taken from third year level courses.

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1,3	1032LHS	Japanese 1A	10
Tri 2,3	1033LHS	Japanese 1B	10
Tri 1	2040LHS	Japanese 2A	10
		OR	
Tri 1	2043LHS	Japanese 2A Enhanced	20
Tri 1	2406LHS	Japanese Society and Pop Culture	10
Tri 2	2042LHS	Japanese 2B	10
		OR	
Tri 2	2045LHS	Japanese 2B Enhanced	20
Tri 1	3040LHS	Japanese 3A	20
Tri 2	3533LHS	Japanese for Professional Purposes	10
Tri 3	2424LHS	Japan Study Tour (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2,3	3060LHS	Advanced Project (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3200LHS	Independent Internship (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2,3	3192LHS	Italian In-Country Independent Study Enhanced (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5010LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	5020LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5030LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	30
Tri 1,2 or 3	5040LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	40
Tri 1,2 or 3	5050LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	50

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Modern Greek

Online (Cross-Inst study - Flinders University)

A Modern Greek major may be completed via [Flinders University](#). Scholarships may be available to support student study. Students should contact the [School of Humanities, Languages and Social Science](#) at Griffith for further details.

Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Students with any prior knowledge of Modern Greek must contact the Department of Language Studies at [Flinders University](#) prior to enrolling.

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2		Courses undertaken at Flinders University	80

Spanish Language

Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Language courses must be taken in sequence in accordance with the prerequisites specified. Students may commence at either first or second year depending on their level of proficiency.

Those who have completed Year 11 and 12 language study at secondary school or have some other level of proficiency should contact the relevant Language Coordinator (via the School Administrative Officer) to discuss the level at which to enrol.

You must complete 80 credit points from the following courses (with at least 20 credit points taken from level 3 courses (for example 3xxxLHS):

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1080LHS	Spanish 1A	10
Tri 2	1081LHS	Spanish 1B	10
Tri 1	2080LHS	Spanish 2A	10
		OR	
Tri 1	2082LHS	Spanish 2A (Enhanced)	20
Tri 2	2081LHS	Spanish 2B	10
		OR	
Tri 2	2083LHS	Spanish 2B (Enhanced)	20
Tri 2	3087LHS	Spanish for Professional Purposes (Enhanced)	20
Tri 1	3090LHS	A Window into Hispanic Cultures (Enhanced)	20
Tri 3	3356LHS	Touring Cultures: Collecting words and images in Peru (see Note 1) (not offered from 2019)	20
Tri 1,2,3	3060LHS	Advanced Project (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3200LHS	Independent Internship (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2,3	3192LHS	Italian In-Country Independent Study Enhanced (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5010LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	5020LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5030LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	30
Tri 1,2 or 3	5040LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	40
Tri 1,2 or 3	5050LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	50

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Minors (5 available)

Additional Language (Chinese)

Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Language courses must be taken in sequence in accordance with the prerequisites specified. Students may commence at either first or second year depending on their level of proficiency.

Those who have completed Year 11 and 12 language study at secondary school or have some other level of proficiency should contact the relevant Language Coordinator (via the School Administrative Officer) to discuss the level at which to enrol.

You must complete 40 credit points from the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1084LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 1A	10
Tri 2	1085LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 1B	10
Tri 1	2010LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 2A	20
Tri 2	2011LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 2B Enhanced	20
Tri 1	3010LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 3A	20
Tri 2	3011LHS	Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 3B	20
Tri 3	2434LHS	China Study Tour (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2,3	3060LHS	Advanced Project (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3200LHS	Independent Internship (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2,3	3192LHS	Italian In-Country Independent Study Enhanced (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5010LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	5020LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5030LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	30
Tri 1,2 or 3	5040LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	40
Tri 1,2 or 3	5050LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	50

Note 1: These courses are open only to students who have gained approval from the Course Convenor and the Program Director to enrol.

Additional Language (Italian)

Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Language courses must be taken in sequence in accordance with the prerequisites specified. Students may commence at either first or second year depending on their level of proficiency.

Those who have completed Year 11 and 12 language study at secondary school or have some other level of proficiency should contact the relevant Language Coordinator (via the School Administrative Officer) to discuss the level at which to enrol.

You must complete 40 credit points from the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1090LHS	Italian 1A	10
		OR	
Tri 3	1092LHS	Intensive Italian 1A (offered South Bank only)	10
Tri 2	1091LHS	Italian 1B	10
		OR	
Tri 3	1093LHS	Intensive Italian 1B (offered South Bank only)	10
Tri 1	2090LHS	Italian 2A (offered South Bank only)	10
Tri 1	2095LHS	Contemporary Italy: A Survey (see Note 1) (offered Nathan only)	10
Tri 2	2091LHS	Italian 2B Spoken (offered South Bank only)	10
Tri 2	2092LHS	Italian 2B Written (offered South Bank only)	10
Tri 1	3094LHS	Italian Literature and Society (offered Nathan only)	10
Tri 1	3294LHS	Italian Literature and Society Enhanced (offered Nathan only)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	3060LHS	Advanced Project (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3200LHS	Independent Internship (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3192LHS	Italian In-Country Independent Study Enhanced (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5010LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	5020LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5030LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	30
Tri 1,2 or 3	5040LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	40
Tri 1,2 or 3	5050LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	50

Note 1: These courses are open only to students who have gained approval from the Program Director to enrol in the course.

Additional Language (Japanese)

Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Language courses must be taken in sequence in accordance with the prerequisites specified. Students may commence at either first or second year depending on their level of proficiency.

Those who have completed Year 11 and 12 language study at secondary school or have some other level of proficiency should contact the relevant Language Coordinator (via the School Administrative Officer) to discuss the level at which to enrol.

You must complete 40 credit points from the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1,3	1032LHS	Japanese 1A	10
Tri 2,3	1033LHS	Japanese 1B	10
Tri 1	2040LHS	Japanese 2A	10
		OR	
Tri 1	2043LHS	Japanese 2A Enhanced	20
Tri 1	2406LHS	Japanese Society and Pop Culture	10
Tri 2	2042LHS	Japanese 2B	10
		OR	
Tri 2	2045LHS	Japanese 2B Enhanced	20
Tri 1	3040LHS	Japanese 3A	20
Tri 2	3533LHS	Japanese for Professional Purposes (offered Gold Coast only)	10
Tri 3	2424LHS	Japan Study Tour (see Note 3)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3060LHS	Advanced Project (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3200LHS	Independent Internship (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3192LHS	Italian In-Country Independent Study Enhanced (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5010LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	5020LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5030LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	30
Tri 1,2 or 3	5040LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	40
Tri 1,2 or 3	5050LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	50

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Additional Language (Spanish)

Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Language courses must be taken in sequence in accordance with the prerequisites specified. Students may commence at either first or second year depending on their level of proficiency.

Those who have completed Year 11 and 12 language study at secondary school or have some other level of proficiency should contact the relevant Language Coordinator (via the School Administrative Officer) to discuss the level at which to enrol.

You must complete 40 credit points from the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1080LHS	Spanish 1A	10
Tri 2	1081LHS	Spanish 1B	10
Tri 1	2080LHS	Spanish 2A	10
		OR	
Tri 1	2082LHS	Spanish 2A (Enhanced)	20
Tri 2	2081LHS	Spanish 2B	10
		OR	
Tri 2	2083LHS	Spanish 2B (Enhanced)	20
Tri 2	3087LHS	Spanish for Professional Purposes (Enhanced)	20
Tri 1	3090LHS	A Window into Hispanic Cultures (Enhanced)	20
Tri 3	3356LHS	Touring Cultures: Collecting words and images in Peru (see Note 1) (not offered from 2019)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	3060LHS	Advanced Project (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3200LHS	Independent Internship (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	3192LHS	Italian In-Country Independent Study Enhanced (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5010LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1,2 or 3	5020LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	20
Tri 1,2 or 3	5030LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	30
Tri 1,2 or 3	5040LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	40
Tri 1,2 or 3	5050LHS	Language Exchange Study (see Note 1)	50

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Chinese/English Interpreting and Translation

You must complete the following courses.

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	3012LHS	Chinese/English Business Interpreting 1	10
Tri 2	3013LHS	Chinese/English Business Interpreting 2	10
Tri 1	3014LHS	Chinese/English Written Communication 1	10
Tri 2	3015LHS	Chinese/English Written Communication 2	10

Electives (2 available)

Free-choice electives

You may select free-choice electives from the list below or any **Undergraduate free-choice elective** offered across the University provided prerequisites are met. If you require guidance please liaise with your Program Director.

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1007LHS	Understanding the Social World	10
Tri 1	2036LHS	Writing Short Fiction	10
Tri 1	2101LHS	Australia and the World: 1788 to the Present	10
Tri 1	2143LHS	Sociology of Identity	10
Tri 1	2139LHS	Power and Politics (not offered from 2019)	10
		OR	
Tri 1	3056LHS	Popular Music, Culture and Identity (offered online from 2019)	10
Tri 1	2141LHS	Gothic Afterlives	10
Tri 1	2512LHS	Public Writing and Professional Practice	10
Tri 1	2718LHS	Structures of (in)security	10
Tri 1	3052LHS	Writing History	10
Tri 1	3506LHS	Feature Writing (not offered from 2021)	10
		OR	
Tri 1	3507LHS	Human Rights, Media and Change	10
Tri 1	3518LHS	Media Campaigns and Strategies	10
Tri 1	3723LHS	Popular Genres	10
Tri 1,3	2513LHS	Media Law	10
Tri 1,2,3	3060LHS	Advanced Project	10
Tri 2	2026LHS	Sociology of Youth	10
Tri 2	2034LHS	Aboriginal Political Histories	10
Tri 2	2054LHS	The Body in History	10
Tri 2	2055LHS	A History of Terrorism and Political Violence	10
Tri 2	2106LHS	Writing Across Cultures	10
Tri 2	2509LHS	Media, Politics and Public Opinion	10
Tri 2	2610LHS	Great Empires of Islamic Civilization (not offered from 2019)	10
Tri 2	2611LHS	Islam, Media and Conflict (not offered from 2019)	10
		OR	
Tri 1	2615LHS	Religious and Ideological Extremism	10
Tri 2	3053LHS	Contemporary Aboriginal Issues	10
Tri 2	3145LHS	War, Peace and Security: Humanity and History	10

Listed electives

Languages and Linguistics courses

Students not electing to do a Minor (additional Language) must complete 40 credit points from the following course list. This 40 credit points must be completed using courses that are not credited elsewhere in the degree program (for example majors).< 7457>

Trimester	Course code	Course title	CP
Tri 2	1402LHS	Language, Culture and Society	10
Tri 1	2095LHS	Contemporary Italy: A Survey	10
Tri 1	2201LHS	English as a Global Language	10
Tri 1	2406LHS	Japanese Society and Pop Culture	10
Tri 3	2424LHS	Japan Study Tour (see Note 1)	10
Tri 3	2434LHS	China Study Tour (see Note 1)	10
Tri 1	3403LHS	Translation as a bridge between cultures	10
Tri 2	3150LHS	Language and Gender	10
Tri 3	3356LHS	Touring Cultures: Collecting words and images in Peru (see Note 1) (not offered from 2019)	20

Note 1: These courses are open only to student that have gained approval from the Course Convenor and Program Director.