

Academic Year 2023/24

Master of Arts in English Literature

Code: 4022 F/P

Master of Arts in English Literature (Children's Literature)

Code: 4168 F/P

Notes

- (i) *These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.*
- (ii) *A core module is a module which a student must pass.*
- (iii) *A compulsory module is a module which a student is required to study.*
- (iv) *All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or distance learning.*

1. Programme structure

- (a) The programme is available for study in both full-time and part-time modes.
- (b) The period of study for full-time mode shall be 1 year starting in September. The period of study for part-time mode shall normally be 2 years starting in September. The programme comprises modules to a credit value of 180.
- (c) The programme has an optional pathway available to students who wish to focus on Children's Literature; it comprises of modules to a credit of 180.
- (d) Full-time students shall take modules to a credit value of 60 in each semester.
- (e) All full-time candidates, studying for an MA English Literature (with no pathway), shall take the following compulsory modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8542	Research Methods II	20		20		7		
SEL8674	Research Methods (Literature)	20	20			7		

- (f) All full-time candidates, studying for an MA English Literature (with no pathway), shall take one of the following modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8047	Dissertation: Long-Form Essay	60			60	7		
SEL8694	Dissertation: Online Exhibition	60			60	7		

- (g) All full-time candidates, studying for an MA English Literature (with no pathway), shall take four of the following modules (not all modules will be available each year):

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8533	Radicalisms	20		20		7		
SEL8536	Literary Geographies	20	20			7		
SEL8540	Poetology	20		20		7		
SEL8543	Manuscript, Print Digital	20	20			7		
SEL8685	Children's Literature and Black Britain	20	20			7		
SEL8692	Prize Culture and the Children's Book	20		20		7		

Children's Literature Pathway (Full Time):

- (h) All Full-time candidates, studying for an MA English Literature (Children's Literature), shall take the following compulsory modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8674	Research Methods (Literature)	20	20			7		
SEL8542	Research Methods II	20		20		7		
SEL8685	Children's Literature and Black Britain	20	20			7		
SEL8692	Prize Culture and the Children's Book	20		20		7		

- (i) All full-time candidates, studying for an MA English Literature (Children's Literature), shall take one of the following modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8047	Dissertation: Long-Form Essay	60			60	7		
SEL8694	Dissertation: Online Exhibition	60			60	7		

- (j) The remaining 40 credits will be made up of two modules chosen from a list of modules available in the programme handbook.

Year 1 (Part-time)

- (a) Candidates studying for an MA English Literature (with no pathway), shall take the following compulsory module:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
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SEL8674	Research Methods (Literature)	20	20			7		
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- (b) All part-time candidates, studying for an MA English Literature (with no pathway), shall take two of the following modules, one in Semester 1 and one in Semester 2 (not all modules will be available each year):

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8533	Radicalisms	20		20		7		
SEL8536	Literary Geographies	20	20			7		
SEL8540	Poetology	20		20		7		
SEL8543	Manuscript, Print Digital	20	20			7		
SEL8685	Children's Literature and Black Britain	20	20			7		
SEL8692	Prize Culture and the Children's Book	20		20		7		

Children's Literature Pathway (Part Time):

- (c) Candidates studying for an MA English Literature (Children's Literature), shall take the following compulsory modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8674	Research Methods (Literature)	20	20			7		
SEL8692	Prize Culture and the Children's Book	20		20		7		

- (d) Students will be expected to take a minimum of two further modules from the available modules listed in 1. (g), with the option of one outside module that will require approval by the DPD.

Year 2 (Part-time)

- (a) Candidates studying for an MA English Literature (with no pathway), shall take the following compulsory module:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8542	Research Methods II	20		20		7		

- (b) Candidates studying for an MA English Literature (with no pathway), shall take one of the following modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8047	Dissertation: Long-Form Essay	60			60	7		

SEL8694	Dissertation: Online Exhibition	60			60	7		
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- (c) All part-time candidates, studying for an MA English Literature (with no pathway), shall take two of the following modules (excluding the modules already taken in Year 1), one in Semester 1 and one in Semester 2 (not all modules will be available each year; the minimum number of available modules will be five):

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8533	Radicalisms	20		20		7		
SEL8536	Literary Geographies	20	20			7		
SEL8540	Poetology	20		20		7		
SEL8543	Manuscript, Print Digital	20	20			7		
SEL8685	Children's Literature and Black Britain	20	20			7		
SEL8692	Prize Culture and the Children's Book	20		20		7		

Children's Literature Pathway (Part Time):

- (d) Candidates studying for an MA English Literature (Children's Literature), shall take the following compulsory modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8685	Children's Literature and Black Britain	20	20			7		
SEL8542	Research Methods II	20		20		7		

- (e) Candidates studying for an MA English Literature (Children's Literature), shall take one of the following modules:

<i>Code</i>	<i>Descriptive title</i>	<i>Total Credits</i>	<i>Credits Sem 1</i>	<i>Credits Sem 2</i>	<i>Credits Sem 3</i>	<i>Level</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Mode</i>
SEL8047	Dissertation: Long-Form Essay	60			60	7		
SEL8694	Dissertation: Online Exhibition	60			60	7		

2. Assessment methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module are explained in the module outline.