



## Bachelor of Languages and Linguistics (Domestic students)

Program code	Entry requirements	Prerequisites
1116	63.00	NIL
<b>Available at</b> Gold Coast Campus, Nathan Campus	ATAR/RANK 2024 ( <a href="#">more</a> )	<b>Assumed knowledge</b> Any General or Applied English subject (Units 3 and 4, C)
<b>Duration</b> 3 years full-time 6 years part-time	<b>Commencing in</b> Trimester 1 and Trimester 2	
<b>Credit points</b> 240		
<b>Indicative fee</b> \$6,500.00* per year ( <a href="#">more</a> ) * 2024 indicative annual CSP fee		

### Degree requirements: Students who started Trimester 1 - 2025

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:

- 100 credit points for the Core module
- 60 credit points for the Major module
- 80 credit points for the Flexible module

#### Other program requirements

You must successfully complete:

- no more than 120 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 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.

#### 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 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 course.**

All undergraduate International students are required to complete an **English Language Enhancement Course** unless specific criteria are met as specified in Section 5.0 [Qualifications Procedure](#).

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 English Language Enhancement Course is available via the *myGriffith* portal (in the To Do List).

**Students whose first language is English are not permitted to undertake this 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 - 2025

**Course offering information in program structures is a guide only. Please check the actual offering information in the Course Catalogue.**

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

**Language courses are designed based on students' proficiency levels. Therefore, courses should be taken sequentially, progressing from lower levels to higher ones. Once a course is successfully completed, students should not regress to a lower-level course. Furthermore, students should not enrol in two courses in the same language during the same trimester, for example, Japanese 1A and Japanese 2A in T1.**

### Year 1-3

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.

There are two majors for each language: an *ab initio* major for beginners and a *standard* major for those with prior knowledge. If you have had no experience in learning the language previously, you should take the courses that make up the **ab initio in that language. If you are unsure of which version of the major you should take, please consult with the relevant Language Coordinator.**

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

#### English Language Enhancement course

Students required to undertake the English Language Enhancement course must complete the following course in their first trimester of study in place of a course from the flexible module.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2 or 3	5904LHS		Language and Communication for Arts and Social Sciences	10

### Core Module

#### Year 1

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1003LHS		Critical Issues in Linguistics	10
Tri 1	1001LHS		Words, Sentences and Grammar in the World's Languages	10
Tri 1	1720LHS		Sustainable Careers	10
Tri 2	1040LHS		Digital Technologies and Language	10
Tri 2	1002LHS		Sounds and Sound Systems in the World's Languages	10
Tri 2	1012LHS		How to Learn Languages	10
Tri 1,2			Flexible module courses	20

#### Year 2

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2140LHS		Community Language and Fieldwork	10
Tri 2	2300LHS		Second Language Acquisition	10
Tri 1,2			Language Major	30
Tri 1,2			Flexible module courses	30

### Year 3

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2,3	3531LHS		Industry Internship 1	10
Tri 2	3202LHS		Intercultural Communication	10
Tri 1,2			Language Major	30
Tri 1,2			Flexible module courses	30

### Flexible Module

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2,3			Electives	80
			<b>OR</b>	
Tri 1,2			Second major	60
			<b>AND</b>	
Tri 1,2,3			Electives	20

## Majors (9 available)

### 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. If you have had no experience in learning the language previously, you should take the courses that make up the ab initio in that language. If you are unsure of which version of the major you should take, please consult with the Language Coordinator.

#### Ab initio Major

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1084LHS		Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 1A	10
Tri 2	1085LHS		Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 1B	10
Tri 1	2173LHS		Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 2A	10
Tri 2	2063LHS		Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 2B	10
Tri 1	3010LHS		Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 3A	20

### Standard Major

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2010LHS		Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 2A Enhanced	20
Tri 2	2011LHS		Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 2B Enhanced	20
Tri 1	3010LHS		Modern Standard Chinese (Mandarin) 3A	20

## French Language (Cross-Inst study - UQ St Lucia)

A French major may be completed by applying via the Brisbane Universities Language Alliance website. Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Students unsure of their French proficiency levels should contact the University of Queensland, School of Languages and Cultures prior to enrolling. Students should contact the School of Humanities, Languages and Social Science at Griffith for further details.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			Courses undertaken at the University of Queensland	60

### German Language (Cross-Inst study - UQ St Lucia)

A German major may be completed by applying via the Brisbane Universities Language Alliance website. Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Students unsure of their German proficiency levels should contact the University of Queensland, School of Languages and Cultures prior to enrolling. Students should contact the School of Humanities, Languages and Social Science at Griffith for further details.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			Courses undertaken at the University of Queensland	60

### Indonesian Language (Cross-Inst study - UQ St Lucia)

A Indonesian major may be completed by applying via the Brisbane Universities Languages Alliance website. Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Students unsure of their Indonesian proficiency levels should contact the University of Queensland, School of Languages and Cultures prior to enrolling. Students should contact the School of Humanities, Languages and Social Science at Griffith for further details.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			Courses undertaken at the University of Queensland	60

### Italian 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. If you have had no experience in learning the language previously, you should take the courses that make up the ab initio in that language. If you are unsure of which version of the major you should take, please consult with the Language Coordinator.

#### *Ab initio* Major

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,3	1090LHS		Italian 1A	10
Tri 2,3	1091LHS		Italian 1B	10
Tri 1	2090LHS		Italian 2A	10
Tri 2	2096LHS		Italian 2B	10
Tri 1	3294LHS		Italian 3A	20

#### Standard Major

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2190LHS		Italian 2A (Enhanced)	20
Tri 2	2196LHS		Italian 2B (Enhanced)	20
Tri 1	3294LHS		Italian 3A	20

### 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. If you have had no experience in learning the language previously, you should take the courses that make up the ab initio major in that language. If you are unsure of which version of the major you should take, please consult with the Language Coordinator.

**Ab initio Major**

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,3	1032LHS		Japanese 1A	10
Tri 2,3	1033LHS		Japanese 1B	10
Tri 1	2040LHS		Japanese 2A	10
Tri 2	2042LHS		Japanese 2B	10
Tri 1	3040LHS		Japanese 3A	20

**Standard Major**

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2043LHS		Japanese 2A Enhanced	20
Tri 2	2045LHS		Japanese 2B Enhanced	20
Tri 1	3040LHS		Japanese 3A	20

**Korean Language (Cross-Inst study - UQ St Lucia)**

A Korean major may be completed by applying via the Brisbane Universities Languages Alliance website. Students may only undertake a language major in which they are not native speakers. Students unsure of their Korean proficiency levels should contact the University of Queensland, School of Languages and Cultures prior to enrolling. Students should contact the School of Humanities, Languages and Social Science at Griffith for further details.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			Courses undertaken at the University of Queensland	60

**Modern Greek (Cross-Inst study - Flinders University)**

A Modern Greek major may be completed ONLINE 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	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1,2			Courses undertaken at the University of Queensland	60

**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. If you have had no experience in learning the language previously, you should take the courses that make up the ab initio major in that language. If you are unsure of which version of the major you should take, please consult with the Language Coordinator.

**Ab initio Major**

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1080LHS		Spanish 1A	10
Tri 2	1081LHS		Spanish 1B	10
Tri 1	2080LHS		Spanish 2A	10
Tri 2	2081LHS		Spanish 2B	10
Tri 1	3090LHS		Spanish 3A	20

**Standard Major**

You must complete the following:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2082LHS		Spanish 2A (Enhanced)	20
Tri 2	2083LHS		Spanish 2B (Enhanced)	20
Tri 1	3090LHS		Spanish 3A	20

### Electives (1 available)

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You may select 80 credit points for the flexible module from the list below, or any Undergraduate elective/s offered across the University provided prerequisites are met. If you require guidance, please liaise with your Program Director.

You must choose courses that are not credited elsewhere in the degree program (for example majors).

Students should ensure that they do not exceed the degree requirement of no more than 120 credit points of first year level courses. Students must also complete at least 60 credit points of Level 3 courses or higher.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1505LHS		Communication Principles and Practices	10
Tri 1	1721LHS		Cultures, Texts and Communities	10
Tri 2	1520LHS		Social Media for Global Communication	10
Tri 3	1103LHS		Introduction to Creative Writing	10
Tri 1,2,3	1029LHS		Foundations of Academic Writing	10
Tri 2	2183LHS		Language, Culture and Society	10
Tri 1	2151LHS		Language and Gender	10
Tri 2	2403LHS		Translation as a Bridge Between Cultures	10
Tri 1	2204LHS		English Words and Grammar	10
Tri 1	3203LHS		Discourse, Text and Power	10
Tri 3	2406LHS		Japanese Society and Pop Culture	10
Tri 1	2550LHS		People, Place and Diversity	10
Tri 2	2106LHS		Writing Across Cultures	10
Tri 1	2181LHS		First Peoples	10
Tri 1,2,3	3002LFC		Community Internship and Partnerships for SDGs	10
Tri 1	3027GIR		Business and Politics in the Asia Pacific	10