

# ACCELERATED BACHELOR OF ARTS/MASTER OF ARTS IN CLASSICS

To earn an Accelerated BA/MA in Classics, a student must complete all basic requirements for the BA degree with a major in the Department of Classics, as well as additional coursework at the graduate level. (See Graduate Catalog (<https://catalog.baylor.edu/graduate-school/curriculum-departments-institutes-instruction/college-arts-sciences/classics/joint-bachelor-arts-master-arts-classics/>) for details of graduate requirements, including eligibility and admission).

## BA in Classics Requirements for a Major in Classics

Code	Title	Hours
Thirty semester hours including the following:		
<b>Required Courses</b>		
GRK 2310	Intermediate Greek Prose <sup>1</sup>	3
GRK 2320	Intermediate Greek Poetry	3
LAT 2310	Intermediate Latin Prose <sup>2</sup>	3
LAT 2320	Intermediate Latin Poetry	3
Twelve semester hours of 3000-4000 level courses in GRK or LAT		12
Select six hours from the following:		6
CLA 3000-4000 level courses		
CLA 3301/ HIS 3324	Roman History and Civilization	
CLA 3302/ HIS 3322	Greek History and Civilization	
GRK 3000-4000 level courses		
LAT 3000-4000 level courses		
PHI 3310	History of Philosophy: Classical Philosophy	
PSC 3363	Classical Political Philosophy	
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>30</b>

<sup>1</sup> If four high-school units of Greek are presented, GRK 2310 Intermediate Greek Prose is not required.

<sup>2</sup> If four high-school units of Latin are presented, LAT 2310 Intermediate Latin Prose is not required.

## MA in Classics Degree Requirements

The Master of Arts in Classics degree consists of thirty-three semester hours, including the successful completion of a three-hour thesis or non-thesis project. The requirements are as follows:

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Requirements</b>		
Thirty semester hours of coursework, including at least eighteen hours at the 5000 level:		
<b>Materials and Methods</b>		
CLA 5300	Proseminar in Classics	3
<b>Greek</b>		

GKC courses at the 5000 level <sup>1</sup>		9
<b>Latin</b>		
LAT courses at the final 5000 level <sup>2</sup>		9
<b>Supplementary Fields</b>		
Select one course from three of the following subfields:		9
<b>Ancient History</b>		
CLA 5302	Topics in Ancient History	
REL 5331	History of Ancient Christianity	
<b>Papyrology, Paleography, Linguistics, and Textual Criticism</b>		
LAT 5303	Latin Paleography	
ENG 5303	Studies in Linguistics	
<b>Art and Archaeology</b>		
ANT 4341	Archaeology of the Mediterranean <sup>3</sup>	
ANT 4V16	Archaeological Research <sup>3</sup>	
CLA 4368	Special Topics in Greek and Roman Art and Archaeology	
CLA 4369	Greek and Roman Sport and Spectacle	
<b>Ancient Thought</b>		
GTX 4V99	Special Topics in Great Texts <sup>3</sup>	
PHI 5301	Readings from Plato <sup>3</sup>	
PHI 5302	Readings from Aristotle <sup>3</sup>	
PHI 5312	Topics in Classical Philosophy <sup>3</sup>	
PSC 5343	Classical Political Thought <sup>3</sup>	
<b>Thesis/Non-Thesis</b>		
Select one of the following:		3
CLA 5V99	Thesis	
CLA 5V90	Final Project (non-thesis)	
<b>Intermediate Proficiency</b>		
Demonstrated intermediate proficiency in French, German, or Italian by one of the methods listed in the Specific Degree Requirements for the Master of Arts degree in the general information section of this catalog.		
<b>Written Exams</b>		
Three written exams, including a translation exam on Greek literature, a translation exam on Latin literature, and an exam on Greek or Roman history. Students must pass one of the two translation exams before beginning their second year of study. A student may retake a failed exam once, but failing an exam twice will result in dismissal from the program.		
<b>Oral Defense</b>		
An oral defense of the thesis or non-thesis project.		
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>33</b>

<sup>1</sup> Except for GRK 5321 Greek Grammar for Reading Knowledge, GRK 5322 Greek Prose for Reading Knowledge

<sup>2</sup> Except for LAT 5303 Latin Paleography, LAT 5321 Latin Grammar for Reading Knowledge, LAT 5322 Latin Prose and Poetry for Reading Knowledge

<sup>3</sup> Designates a course that must be approved by the Graduate Program Director. Students may petition the Graduate Program Director for a second course in a given subfield. Some students may be permitted to fulfill the requirements for this degree with courses in one classical language if they

1. have at least twelve undergraduate hours of the other language,
2. demonstrate an equivalent proficiency by passing a departmental examination, or
3. achieve a grade of B or better in GRK 5321 Greek Grammar for Reading Knowledge and GRK 5322 Greek Prose for Reading Knowledge, or LAT 5321 Latin Grammar for Reading Knowledge and LAT 5322 Latin Prose and Poetry for Reading Knowledge.