

Philadelphia University
Faculty of Arts / Department of English
Study Plan

M.A in English Language & Literature
Thesis Option (2008/2009)

General Rules and Conditions:

Master in English Language and Literature is of two options: Thesis Option and Non-Thesis Option.

1. This plan conforms to the regulations of the general frame of the programs of graduate studies.
2. The student may be required to study one or more undergraduate course(s) as prerequisite (s) for (a) course(s) in his MA study plan.
3. The student should study (24) credit hours with a cumulative average of (75%) and above as follows:

1. Obligatory Courses

(15 Credit Hours)

Course No.	Course	Credit Hours
0120701	Methods of Research	3
0120710	Schools of Linguistics	3
0120780	Literary Theory	3
0120723	Stylistics	3
0120760	Modern British and American Novel	3

2. Electives

(9 Credit Hours)

A. Language

Course No.	Course	Credit Hours
0120711	Advanced English Grammar	3
0120712	English Phonetics and Phonology	3
0120713	English Semantics and Pragmatics	3

0120714	Contrastive Linguistics	3
0120720	Applied Linguistics	3
0120721	Sociolinguistics	3
0120722	Discourse Analysis	3
0120730	History of English Language	3
0120731	Special Topic in Language	3

OR

B. Literature

(9 Credit Hours)

Course No.	Course	Credit Hours
0120740	Medieval Literature	3
0120741	Shakespeare and the Renaissance	3
0120750	Modern Poetry	3
0120770	Modern British and American Drama	3
0120781	Advanced Literary Theory	3
0120782	World Literature	3
0120783	Post- Colonial Literature	3
0120784	Special Topic in Literature	3

3. Thesis (0120799)

(9 Credit Hours)

4. Supporting Courses: The student may be given a number of supporting courses according to his/her B.A study plan.

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5. The student may be required to study one or more undergraduate course(s) as prerequisite (s) for (a) course(s) in his MA study plan.
6. The student should study (33) credit hours with a cumulative average of (75%) and above as follows:

1. Obligatory Courses

(18 Credit Hours)

Course No.	Course	Credit Hours
0120701	Methods of Research	3
0120710	Schools of Linguistics	3
0120780	Literary Theory	3
0120723	Stylistics	3
0120760	Modern British and American Novel	3
0120702	Research Project	3

2. Electives**(15 Credit Hours)****A. Language**

Course No.	Course	Credit Hours
0120711	Advanced English Grammar	3
0120712	English Phonetics and Phonology	3
0120713	English Semantics and Pragmatics	3
0120714	Contrastive Linguistics	3
0120720	Applied Linguistics	3
0120721	Sociolinguistics	3
0120722	Discourse Analysis	3
0120730	History of English Language	3
0120731	Special Topic in Language	3

OR**B. Literature****(15 Credit Hours)**

Course No.	Course	Credit Hours
0120740	Medieval Literature	3
0120741	Shakespeare and the Renaissance	3
0120750	Modern Poetry	3
0120770	Modern British and American Drama	3
0120781	Advanced Literary Theory	3
0120782	World Literature	3
0120783	Post- Colonial Literature	3
0120748	Special Topic in Literature	3
0120740	Medieval Literature	3

3. Comprehensive Exam**(0120798)**

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