Are you interested in battles, myths, astrology, riddles and magic, languages and literature, graphic novels, avatars and cosplay, building models and theatre sets, digging in the dirt, or exploring underwater? If you answered yes to any of these, then Classics at Queen’s is a good fit for you! Classics is the study of ancient Greek and Roman civilizations over the past 3,000 years. As a student, you can examine all aspects of these civilizations: ancient Greek and Latin languages, history, religion, myth, science, philosophy, literature, art, and archaeology.

**Top 4 Reasons to Study Classics**

1. We take a multidisciplinary approach, involving the study of Greek and Latin languages, as well as history, literature, archaeology, religion, mythology, philosophy, drama, and science.

2. Students have the opportunity to get hands-on experience by participating in our department’s archaeological excavations abroad.

3. During the summer, the Bader International Study Centre offers a Field School in British Archaeology. This intensive five-week program combines two courses on Roman Medieval Britain with the practical learning experience of excavation.

4. We offer exchange opportunities to 100+ schools in over 30 countries.

**Top 4 Alumni Jobs**

- 6% of alumni work in Museums, Libraries & Galleries
- 9% of alumni work in Law
- 9% of alumni work in Government
- 36% of alumni work in Education

**Alumni Story**

“Within the Department of Classics, I found a great community of students at both the graduate and undergraduate level. The professors are friendly and supportive, and the classes are varied and interesting.”

-Craig Harvey, BAH ’11

**2018-19 Thresholds**

- 2.0 cGPA Automatic Acceptance
- Open Pending List

*Thresholds are made on a competitive basis and are updated annually. For the latest information please visit: QUartscl.com

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CLASSICAL STUDIES MAJOR MAP

1ST YEAR

In first year you will have the chance to explore the foundations of Classical Studies along with some electives.

See the back page for specific courses to consider.

Attend Majors Night in the Winter term to learn more about Plan options.

2ND YEAR

Start going deeper into the discipline of Classical Studies, while considering a minor and/or certificate such as Media Studies. Attend Degree + in the fall term to learn more about Certificates and Internship options.

Want to make sure your academics are where you want them to be? Visit SASS (Student Academic Support Services) and the Writing Centre for some help.

3RD YEAR

A chance to start grouping courses in areas of interest, or to keep it more general and explore many areas of Classical Studies. Meet with an Academic Advisor to make sure you are on track and have planned out your courses for next year — for some ideas, see the back page.

4TH OR FINAL YEAR

In fourth year you will have the chance to participate in research-based courses that can lead to Graduate School or to your future career path. Make sure to finish up all your courses for your major and your optional minor and/or certificates.

GET THE COURSES YOU NEED

GET RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Join teams or clubs on campus, such as the Classics Departmental Student Council (DSC).

Volunteer at the Queen's Archives.

See the AMS Clubs Directory or the Queen's Get Involved page for more ideas.

GET CONNECTED WITH THE COMMUNITY

Volunteer on or off campus with different community organizations.

Attend Classics Department Faculty and Visiting Faculty Presentations and Workshops.

Connect with Classics professors at social events (Tea with Profs, etc.) hosted by the Classics DSC.

GET THINKING GLOBALLY

Speak to a QUC advisor or get involved in their programs, events and training opportunities.

Prepare for work or study in a multi-cultural environment by taking QUIC's Intercultural Competency Certificate, and research possible immigration regulations.

GET READY FOR LIFE AFTER GRADUATION

Grappling with program decisions? Go to Majors Night or get some help thinking about career options from Career Services.

Build your transferable skills in time management, problem-solving, writing and more with Student Academic Success Services.

What will I learn?

A degree in Classical Studies can equip you with valuable and versatile skills, such as:

- Knowledge of Greek and Roman civilizations, including their history, archaeology, science and literature
- Language skills to interpret and translate texts from Latin and Ancient Greek
- Knowledge of excavation methods and hands-on experience with archaeological digs
- Oral and written communication through a variety of writing assignments and seminar presentations
- Research skills to synthesize large amounts of information and identify relevant data
- Using primary and secondary sources to analyze and solve historical problems
- Critical thinking to address assumptions and critique historical arguments
- Logical reasoning to make judgments based on historical evidence
- How to work both independently and as part of a team
- How to manage both resources and time

Where can I go?

A degree in Classical Studies can take your career in many directions. Many students choose to continue their academic inquiry with a Master's. Our students are equipped with a strong foundation for careers in:

- Anthropology
- Archaeology
- Classical research and teaching
- Editing
- History
- Journalism
- Library information sciences
- Museum work
- Religion and theology
- Theatre performance

Taking time to explore career options, build experience and network can help you have a smooth transition to the world of work after graduation.
Sample Year by Year

1ST YEAR
- CLST 102/3.0
- CLST 103/3.0
- 24.0 units of electives

2ND YEAR
- CLST 200/3.0
- CLST 201/3.0
- 12.0 units of CLST, GREK, LATN, CLST_Sub options at the 100 level or above
- 12.0 units of electives and/or minor

3RD YEAR
- 6.0 units of CLST, GREK, LATN, CLST_Sub options at the 300 level or above
- 6.0 units of CLST, GREK, LATN, CLST_Sub options at the 200 level or above
- 6.0 units of CLST, GREK, LATN, CLST_Sub options at the 100 level or above
- 12.0 units of electives and/or minor

4TH YEAR
- 6.0 units from CLST at the 400 level
- 12.0 units of CLST, GREK, LATN, CLST_Sub options at the 300 level or above
- 12.0 units of electives and/or minor

For the full degree Plan and other study options in the Classics Department visit:
queensu.ca/classics/undergraduate/classics-courses-glance

Note that degree requirements are revised regularly. The most current requirements, including course lists and options, are found in the Academic Calendar at: QUartsci.com/academic-calendar