

Birmingham Foundation Academy Progression Requirements - Arts, Social Sciences, Business and Law

Upon successful completion of the Arts, Social Sciences, Business and Law Pathway of the Birmingham Foundation Academy Programme you will be guaranteed a place on one of the following degree programmes, subject to achieving the required year average and any other progression requirements listed below. Unless otherwise stated, the undergraduate degrees listed below are 3 year programmes (you would therefore study for a total of 4 years including the Foundation Academy year). It is possible to progress to the University's four-year undergraduate programmes, for example, the MEng/MSci (integrated Masters) or programmes with a year in industry or year abroad. In such cases Birmingham Foundation Academy students holding an offer for a 4-year programme will be able to apply for an extension of their studies in their final year.

* Students who are proficient in English can opt to take two advanced English modules (Advanced Academic Skills 1 & 2 in place of Academic English and Study Skills 1 & 2). § Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics must be taken with Business and the Market

Degree Programme	Compulsory Modules	Optional Modules	Progression Requirements
Birmingham Business School			
Accounting and Finance BSc Business Management BSc Business Management BSc Business Management with Communications BSc Business Management with Year in Industry BSc (4 years) International Business with Communications BSc (4 years) International Business with Language BSc (4 years) Economics BSc Economics with Language BSc (4 years) International Business BSc (4 years) Mathematical Economics with Statistics BSc Money,Banking and Finance BSc Money,Banking and Finance with Language BSc (4 years)	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2* Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics	Two of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 60% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2* A mark of at least 65% is required in Quantitative methods for Business and Economics
School of Government & Society			
International Relations with Economics BA	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2* Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics	Two of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2* A mark of at least 65% is required in Quantitative methods for Business and Economics
International Relations BA International Relations BA International Relations with Economics BA International Relations with Language BA (4 years) International Relations with Political Science BA Political Economy BA Political Science BA Sociology BA	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2*	Four of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics§ The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2*

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School of Social Policy			
Social Policy BA	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2*	Four of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics [§] The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2*
Policy, Politics and Economics BA	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2* Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics	Two of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2* A mark of at least 65% is required in Quantitative methods for Business and Economics
School of Education			
Education BA Education and History BA Education and Sociology BA	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2*	Four of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics [§] The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2*
Birmingham Law School			
Law LLB Law with Business LLB	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2*	Four of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics [§] The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 60% and A mark of at least 65% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2*
Law with French LLB (4 years) Law with German LLB (4 years)	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2*		An overall average of 60% and A mark of at least 65% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2* Depending on your qualifications, you may be interviewed to establish that your understanding of French or German is appropriate for the beginning of the programme.

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School of English, Drama and American & Canadian Studies			
American and Canadian Studies BA Business and American Studies BA (4 years) American and Canadian Studies and Film BA (Joint Honours)	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2*	Four of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics [§] The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2*
English Language BA			An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 65% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2*
English and American Literature BA English BA English Language and Literature BA English with Creative Writing BA			An overall average of 60% and A mark of at least 65% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2* You will take a short written test to demonstrate your ability to read and comprehend poetry and literature written before 1800
Drama and Theatre Arts BA			An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2* You will attend a workshop in which your capacity for work with others in drama will be assessed
Drama and English BA (Joint Honours)			An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2* You will take a short written test to demonstrate your ability to read and comprehend poetry and literature written before 1800 and you will attend a workshop in which your capacity for work with others in drama will be assessed

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School of Philosophy, Theology & Religion			
Philosophy BA Philosophy BA Joint Honours Philosophy, Religion and Ethics BA Theology and Religion BA Theology and Religion BA Joint Honours	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2*	Four of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics [§] The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2*
School of Languages, Cultures, Art History and Music			
French Studies BA (4 years) Modern Languages BA (4 years) Modern Languages and/or with Film Studies BA (4 years) Modern Languages with Business Management BA (4 years)	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2*	Four of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics [§] The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2* You will need to demonstrate previous experience of languages and you may be invited to an interview to confirm your aptitude. (If you wish to study French, you will need to demonstrate that your understanding of French is appropriate for the beginning of the programme and may be interviewed to establish this.)
German Studies BA (4 years) Hispanic Studies BA (4 years) Italian Studies BA (4 years)			An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2* You will need to demonstrate previous experience of languages and you may be invited to an interview to confirm your aptitude.
Music BA Music BA Joint Honours			An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2* You will also need to have passed Grade 6 in ABRSM Music Theory and Grade 5 on an Instrument or Singing
History of Art BA History of Art BA Joint Honours			An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2*

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School of History and Cultures			
Ancient History BA Archaeology and Anthropology BA Classical Literature and Civilisation BA Archaeology and Ancient History BA Classical Literature & Civilisation and History of Art BA Classical Literature & Civilisation and Italian Studies BA Classical Literature & Civilisation and Philosophy BA English Language and Classical Literature & Civilisation BA English Literature and Classical Literature & Civilisation BA Archaeology & Ancient History and History BA Drama and Classical Literature and Civilisation BA Classical Literature & Civilisation and History BA Anthropology and Classical Literature and Civilisation BA Archaeology & Ancient History and Computer Science BA Archaeology & Ancient History and Geography BA	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2*	Four of the following modules: Politics, Policy and Protest Social Policy, Welfare and Society Business and the Market Quantitative Methods for Business and Economics [§] The European Heritage The Country and the City Colonial Encounters	An overall average of 55% and A mark of at least 60% is required in the Academic English and Study Skills 1* and Academic English and Study Skills 2*
The Liberal Arts & Science Programme			
Students who successfully complete the Birmingham Foundation Academy year, can progress to the Liberal Arts & Sciences Programme (LAS). Many of the subject above can be taken as a Major in the LAS Programme. See the LAS website for further information	Academic English and Study Skills 1* Academic English and Study Skills 2*	The modules you are required to take will depend on your Major during the Liberal Arts & Science Programme	A mark of at least 70% is required in all modules. Please Note: Liberal Arts & Science has an of additional entry requirement of an interview. All students will need to pass an interview during their foundation year before progressing onto the LAS programme.