

La Trobe University

Subject Selection Guide



for Study Abroad and Inbound Exchange

Full-Time Study Requirement

The standard full-time study load at La Trobe is 60 credit points per semester (typically 4 subjects). The majority of subjects are worth 15 credit points each.

At application, we require you to select more than 4 subjects and at most 8 subjects for approval. Note that not all subjects may be approved or there may be a timetable clash, selecting about 8 ensures some flexibility.

Campus and Semester Availability

The majority of our subjects are offered over a semester period.

LTU Semester 1 = February to June

LTU Semester 2 = July to November

Please see the link below for campus details: <http://www.latrobe.edu.au/campuses>

Finding Subjects

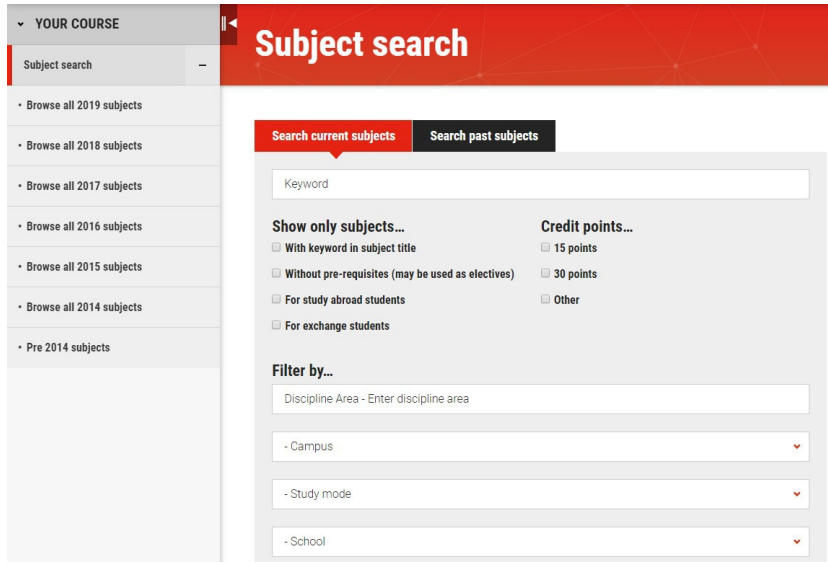
You can search for subjects by searching:

- [Subject Search Database:](#)
- [Browse all 2021 Subjects:](#)
- [La Trobe Handbook:](#) You can find information about individual degree programs and see what subjects are taught in each discipline area. This would be the best option to take if you are keen to find more if there is discipline area that fits with your home degree.

Detailed syllabi (also known as Subject Learning Guides) will only be available in the first week of classes once you have enrolled. If you need detailed subject information for subject approval in your home institution, please email studyabroad@latrobe.edu.au

Using the Subject Search Database

Once you enter the Subject Search Database, the following screen will come up:

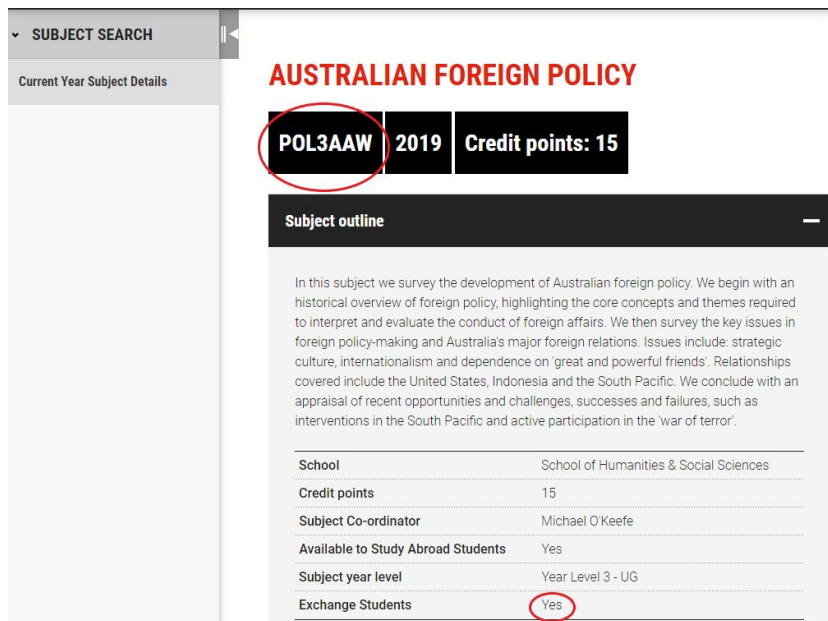


The subject database allows you to filter by discipline area, school, semester dates and campus location, as well as level of study and Exchange/Study Abroad available classes.

➤ Choosing the Subjects:

The individual subject description is in the section under “Subject Outline” (please see picture below). Please pay close attention to the subject description that is immediately next to the Subject code - ensure that it doesn’t specify “not currently available”.

Subject year level will be indicted by the numeric in the middle of the subject code. Codes that contain “1, 2 or 3” are for Undergraduate students and those that contain either a “4, 5 or 6” are for postgraduate students (e.g. ABC4ABC). You must be currently enrolled into a Postgraduate program at your home university to be eligible to choose the subjects with a “4, 5 or a 6”. This section will also state if the subject is available to Study Abroad or Exchange students.



Students must make sure to check ‘Subject Particulars’ tab to check the subject’s ‘Pre-requisites’ to confirm that they have completed an equivalent subject/s. This is to ensure that you have the pre-knowledge that is required to undertake this subject. You will need to provide proof that you have met these with your application.



“Subject Options” tab will show the campus and Semester or weeks the class is taught. Please ensure that you choose subjects relevant to the semester you wish to study with us:

Subject options

Select to view your study options...

- Campus

- Study mode

Start date between:

and

[Refine](#) [Key dates](#)

- Melbourne, 2020, Semester 2, Day

You may further expand each campus offering to learn more details about the required assessments and contact hours for the subject (see picture below):

Class requirements

Lecture/Workshop **Week: 31 - 43**
One 2.0 hours lecture/workshop per week during the day from week 31 to week 43 and delivered via face-to-face.

Tutorial **Week: 31 - 43**
One 1.0 hours tutorial per week during the day from week 31 to week 43 and delivered via face-to-face.

Assessments

| Assessment element | Comments | % | ILO* |
|---|----------|----|------------|
| Tutorial exercises (Approx. 1000 words) | | 25 | 01, 02, 03 |
| 1-hour exam (equivalent to 1000 words) | | 25 | 01, 02, 03 |
| 2,000-word essay | | 50 | 01, 02, 03 |

Searching the [La Trobe 2021 Handbook](#):

If you would like to browse specific study areas, you can search through the Handbook for degree majors.

First click on Undergraduate or Postgraduate to find courses at your study level.

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Postgraduate coursework details for 2020

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Graduate research course details for 2020

Then select the College:

Courses

› [College of Arts, Social Sciences and Commerce](#)

› [College of Science, Health and Engineering](#)

Then select Majors, Minors and Electives to browse study areas:

Courses

› [Diplomas](#)

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After clicking on the option, a list of subjects available in the major, as well as electives in the specific area will be listed.

See the next page for some of La Trobe's main disciplines and links.

Major Discipline-Based Study Areas

Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

Read through our major areas of study for [Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences](#).

- Aboriginal Studies
- Ancient Societies and Human Origins
- Anthropology
- Asian Studies
- Classics and Ancient History
- Creative and Professional Writing
- Crime, Justice and Legal Studies
- English
- Environmental Humanities
- Gender, Sexual and Diversity Studies
- History
- International Studies
- Latin American Studies
- Linguistics
- Philosophy
- Politics
- Screen, Media and Performance
- Sociology
- Sustainability and Development
- Visual Cultures

Languages

Read through our major areas of study for [Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences](#).

- Ancient Greek Studies
- Auslan
- Chinese
- French
- Hindi
- Indonesian
- Japanese
- Latin
- Modern Greek Studies
- Spanish

Business

Read through our AACSB-accredited major areas of study for [Business](#).

- Agribusiness
- Accounting
- Economics
- Event Management
- Financial Management
- Human Resource Management
- International Business
- Management
- Management and Marketing
- Marketing
- Sport Management
- Tourism and Hospitality

Education

Read through our major areas of study for [Education](#).

- Outdoor Education
- Educational Studies

Law

Read through our major areas of study for [Law](#).

- Law Electives
- Law Core Subjects
- Criminology

Health Sciences

Read through our major areas of study for [Health Sciences](#).

- Exercise Sciences
- Human Nutrition
- Nursing and Midwifery
- Orthoptics
- Podiatry
- Prosthetics and Orthotics
- Sports Coaching and Developments

IT & Engineering

Read through our major areas of study for [IT and Engineering](#).

- Business Information Systems
- Computer Science
- Cybersecurity
- Information Technology
- Civil Engineering
- Electrical and Electronic Engineering
- Industrial Engineering

Science and Psychology

Read through our major areas of study for [Science and Psychology](#).

- Agricultural Science
- Animal and Veterinary Biosciences
- Biomedicine
- Pharmacy
- Psychology
- Wildlife and Conservation Biology
- Science
 - Biochemistry
 - Botany
 - Chemistry
 - Data Science
 - Environmental Geoscience
 - Genetics
 - Mathematics
 - Microbiology
 - Molecular biology
 - Nanotechnology
 - Pharmaceutical Chemistry
 - Physics
 - Statistics
 - Zoology