



Trinity College Dublin

Coláiste na Tríonóide, Baile Átha Cliath

The University of Dublin

Two Subject Moderatorship (TSM) Arts Degree

TSM Subjects

Ancient History and Archaeology

Catholic Theological Studies

Classical Civilisation

Classical Languages

Drama Studies

Early Irish

Economics

English Literature

Film Studies

French

Geography

German

History

History of Art and Architecture

Italian

Jewish and Islamic Civilisations

Mathematics

Modern Irish

Music

Philosophy

Psychology

Russian

Sociology

Spanish

World Religions and Theology

TSM Subjects, Combinations, Patterns and Degree

TSM is a joint honors Arts degree that allows students to study two subjects to degree level. The two subjects are taught separately from one another. It is a four-year full-time degree course. The TSM Combinations grid shows all possible subject combinations. It also indicates whether subjects can be studied equally for all four years (Pattern A) or whether both subjects are studied equally for the first three years, and one subject only (the Major subject) is studied in the fourth year (Pattern B). TSM subjects are chosen from a very wide range: some will be quite new to you while others you may have enjoyed at school and wish to continue.

TSM has 26 subjects

183 combinations

2 Patterns

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Why Study TSM?

TSM provides an opportunity to develop knowledge and skills in two subjects. These subjects may be related to one another, or they may be from completely different academic disciplines, with different areas of knowledge and fields of enquiry. Studying for a TSM degree requires independent thought and critical reflection on social, historical, literary, linguistic, philosophical, scientific and ethical issues.

Studying Home and Abroad

TSM students are based on the main Trinity campus, in Dublin city centre. They have access to Trinity's many student facilities, including the largest library in Ireland, a state-of-the-art sports centre, and over 200 student societies and clubs. They can also take advantage of the cultural, historical and literary events and places in the city. Most subjects in TSM are involved in the Erasmus/ Study Abroad exchange programme, which allows students to spend up to one academic year studying at a European or International partner university as part of their degree programme.

What Happens after Graduation?

Two-Subject degrees open up a wide range of opportunities. TSM graduates are knowledgeable in their chosen fields. They are creative thinkers, independent learners and good communicators. These qualities make them highly sought after by employers. Some of the most popular careers include teaching, publishing, journalism, public relations, administration, local and central government, and management, to name but a few. A significant number of graduates also go on to further study.

How to apply for TSM

Students apply for admission via the Central Applications Office (CAO). Students select and apply for their chosen two subjects when applying to the CAO.

Do not enter TR001 on the CAO Form: Each permitted TSM combination has a unique three-digit code which must be used on your CAO application form. These codes are shown in the Trinity Undergraduate Prospectus 2017 (Page 241).

CAO Points: The minimum entry points for TSM depend on which two subjects are chosen. Within a permitted combination you must have the points required for the higher of the two subjects. The TSM (TR001) 2016 Final Minimum Entry Levels Table (on the last page of this brochure) shows the points required for each possible combination for 2016.

The Minimum Entry Points per combination are also available at:

www.tcd.ie/study/eu/undergraduate/admission-requirements/leaving-cert/minimum-points/

Further information

Please visit our website www.tcd.ie/TSM/ or email tsmadmin@tcd.ie.

TSM Combinations Grid

Possible combinations of subjects for TSM are indicated by **X** or ***** in the grid below.

X indicates combinations in which both subjects are studied for three years, and one subject only is studied in the fourth year (Pattern B).

***** indicates combinations in which students may choose to study:

- both subjects for three years and one subject only in the fourth year (Pattern B), OR
- both subjects for four years (Pattern A)

In both Pattern A and Pattern B both subjects are studied to honors degree level, level 8.

Note: Students are not permitted to commence two new languages.

TSM Pattern Combinations Grid																				
	Ancient History and Archeology	Catholic Theological Studies	Classical Civilisation	Classical Languages	Drama Studies	Early Irish	Economics	English Literature	Film Studies	French	Geography	German	History	History of Art & Architecture	Italian	Jewish and Islamic Civilisations	Mathematics	Modern Irish	Music	Philosophy
Ancient History and Archeology				X				X	X				X	X	X	X				
Catholic Theological Studies						X							X		X			X		
Classical Civilisation				X	X			X	X				X	X	X	X		X		X
Classical Languages	X		X		X	X		X		X			X	X	X	X		X		X
Drama Studies			X	X				X	X	X		X		X	X			X	X	
Early Irish		X		X									X	X		X				
Economics											*	*	X				*		*	X
English Literature	X		X	X	X				X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Film Studies					X			X	X			X			X	X		X	X	
French	X		X	X	X			X	X			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Geography							*				*	*					*		*	X
German							*	X	X	X	*		X	X	X	*	X	X		X
History	X	X	X	X		X	X	X		X	*	X		X	X	X		X	X	X
History of Art & Architecture	X		X	X	X	X		X		X			X	X	X	X		X	X	
Italian	X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X		X	X	X				X		X
Jewish and Islamic Civilisations	X		X	X		X		X	X	X	*	X	X					X		X
Mathematics							*	X		X	*	X						X	*	X
Modern Irish		X	X	X	X			X	X	X		X	X		X	X		X	X	
Music					X			X	X	X			X	X			X	X		
Philosophy		X	X	X			*	X		X	*	X	X	X	X	X	*	X	X	
Psychology							X	X		X	X				X	X	X		X	X
Russian	X		X	X	X		X	X	X	X		X	X		X	X		X		X
Sociology					X		*	X		X	*	X	X	X	X	X		X	*	X
Spanish	X		X	X	X		X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X		X		X
World Religions and Theology	X		X	X		X		X	X	X	*	X	X				X		X	X

Trinity College Dublin. Two-Subject Moderatorship (TR001): 2016 FINAL minimum entry levels

	AH	AR	CC	CL	CT	DR***	EC	EI	EN	FR	FS	GE	GG	HS	IT	JS	MI	MT	MU**	PH	PS	RU	SC	SP	WR
AH	-	440	-	445	-	-	-	-	515	410*	-	-	-	525	420*	375*	-	-	-	-	-	410	-	470*	400
AR	440	-	440	445	-	440	-	-	515	440	-	440	-	525	440	440	-	-	440	475	-	-	450*	470*	440
CC	-	440	-	445	-	380	-	-	515	390*	-	-	-	525	385*	410	415	-	-	475	-	410	-	450*	355*
CL	445	-	445	-	-	445	-	n/a	515	445	-	-	-	525	445	445	445	-	-	475	-	445	-	470*	445
CT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n/a	-	-	-	-	-	525	430	-	430	-	-	430	-	-	-	-	-
DR***	-	440	380	445	-	-	-	-	515	415	485*	405	-	-	420*	-	415	-	435	-	-	410	450*	380*	-
EC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	470*	495*	525	-	-	-	555*	-	505*	570*	505*	505*	505*	-
EI	-	n/a	-	n/a	n/a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n/a	n/a	-	n/a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n/a
EN	515	515	515	515	-	515	-	-	-	515	515	515	-	525	515	515	515	555*	515	515	570*	515	515	515	515
FR	410*	440	390*	445	-	415	-	-	515	-	485*	415	-	515*	420*	415	410*	515*	435	475	570*	415	450*	455*	390*
FS	-	-	-	-	-	485*	-	-	515	485*	-	455*	-	-	485*	450*	470*	-	485*	-	-	485*	-	485*	485*
GE	-	440	-	-	-	405	470*	-	515	415	455*	-	405	485*	420*	410	415	555*	-	475	-	410	425*	435*	405
GG	-	-	-	-	-	-	495*	-	-	-	-	405	-	525	-	-	-	555*	-	475	570*	-	450*	-	-
HS	525	525	525	525	525	-	525	n/a	525	515*	-	485*	525	-	525	525	480*	-	525	525	-	525	525	525	525
IT	420*	440	385*	445	430	420*	-	-	515	420*	485*	420*	-	525	-	-	420*	-	-	475	570*	400*	450*	465*	-
JS	375*	440	410	445	-	-	-	-	515	410*	450*	410	-	525	-	-	415	-	-	475	570*	410	450*	470*	-
MI	-	-	415	445	430	415	-	-	515	415	470*	415	-	480	415	415	-	-	435	475	-	415	420*	445*	415
MT	-	-	-	-	-	-	555*	-	555*	515*	-	555*	555*	-	-	-	-	-	555*	555*	570*	-	-	-	-
MU**	-	440	-	-	-	435	-	-	515	435	485*	-	-	525	-	-	435	555*	-	465*	570*	-	-	-	-
PH	-	475	475	475	475	-	505*	-	515	475	-	475	475	525	475	475	475	555*	465*	-	570*	475	475	-	475
PS	-	-	-	-	-	-	570*	-	570*	570*	-	-	570*	-	570*	570*	-	570*	570*	570*	-	-	570*	-	570*
RU	410	-	410	455	-	410	505*	-	515	415	485*	410	-	525	400*	410	415	-	-	475	-	-	450*	410	
SC	-	450*	-	-	-	450	505*	-	515	450*	-	425*	450*	525	450*	540*	420*	-	-	475	570*	-	470*	450*	
SP	470*	470*	450*	470*	-	380*	505*	-	515	455*	470*	435*	-	525	465*	470*	445*	-	-	-	-	450*	470*	405*	
WR	400	440	355*	455	-	-	-	n/a	515	390*	485*	405	-	525	-	-	415	-	-	475	570*	410	450*	405*	-

* Not all applicants at this level were offered places. ** Applicants are assessed on a music test and interview and on their leaving certificate examination results.
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