Trinity’s Programme Pathways

This document sets out all of the programme pathways for all programmes (except programmes in Health Sciences)

There are several programme structures, or ‘architecture’ types, under which particular programmes are grouped:

**Common Architecture**

There are four structures that fall under the ‘Common Architecture’: Single Honors, Joint Honors, Common Entry and Multidisciplinary. They primarily involve programmes from the Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences.

**Professional Architecture**

This structure is used for Single Honors degree programmes that are subject to external professional accreditation or whose curricula are necessarily shaped by the content requirements of professional bodies, e.g., Engineering, Computer Science, Global Business.

**Science Architecture**

This structure was designed for the four Science streams: Biological and Biomedical Sciences; Chemical Sciences; Geography and Geoscience; Physical Sciences.

See ‘Find Your Programme’s Pathways’ on www.tcd.ie/courses/undergraduate/your-trinity-pathways to find out where your programme sits.

More Information:
www.tcd.ie/courses/undergraduate/your-trinity-pathways
Common Architecture

FRESHMAN YEARS: 120 ECTS
ENTRY ROUTE:

SINGLE HONORS

S1
60 ECTS

S1
40 ECTS
&
OM/TE
20 ECTS

SINGLE HONORS DEGREE

S1
40 ECTS
&
NMS
20 ECTS

MAJOR WITH MINOR DEGREE

KEY: S1 - Subject 1 | OM - Open Modules | TE - Trinity Electives | NMS - New Minor Subject | JF - Junior Freshman | SF - Senior Freshman
**Common Architecture**

**SOPHISTER YEARS:** 120 ECTS

**Exit ROUTE:**

**SINGLE HONORS DEGREE**

**MAJOR WITH MINOR DEGREE**

*If took up NMS in SF*

**KEY:**
- **S1** - Subject 1
- **OM** - Open Modules
- **TE** - Trinity Electives
- **NMS** - New Minor Subject
- **JS** - Junior Sophister
- **SS** - Senior Sophister
Common Architecture

FRESHMAN YEARS: 120 ECTS
ENTRY ROUTE:

Joint Honors

S1
30 ECTS

S2
30 ECTS

S1
40 ECTS & OM/TE 20 ECTS

S1
40 ECTS & S2 20 ECTS

S1
20 ECTS & S2 20 ECTS & OM/TE 20 ECTS

SINGLE HONORS DEGREE

MAJOR WITH MINOR DEGREE

JOINT HONORS DEGREE

KEY: S1 - Subject 1 | S2 - Subject 2 | OM - Open Modules | TE - Trinity Electives | JF - Junior Freshman | SF - Senior Freshman
Common Architecture

**SOPHISTER YEARS:** 120 ECTS

**EXIT ROUTE:**

- **S1** 50 ECTS & S2 or OM/TE 10 ECTS
- **S1** 40 ECTS & S2 20 ECTS
- **S1** 30 ECTS & S2 20 ECTS
- **S1** 30 ECTS & S2 20 ECTS
- **JS** 50 ECTS & S2 or OM/TE 10 ECTS
- **SS** 40 ECTS & CAPSTONE 20 ECTS
- **DEGREE**
- **SINGLE HONORS DEGREE**
- **MAJOR WITH MINOR DEGREE**
- **JOINT HONORS DEGREE**

**KEY:** S1 - Subject 1 | S2 - Subject 2 | OM - Open Modules | TE - Trinity Electives | JS - Junior Sophister | SS - Senior Sophister
**Common Architecture**

**FRESHMAN YEARS: 120 ECTS**

**ENTRY ROUTE:**

- **Common Entry**
  - S1 10 ECTS
  - S2 10 ECTS
  - S3 10 ECTS
  - S4 10 ECTS
  - Other 10 ECTS
  - Other 10 ECTS

- **JF**
  - S1 40 ECTS & OM/TE 20 ECTS

- **SF**
  - S1 40 ECTS & S2 20 ECTS

- **DEGREE**
  - SINGLE HONORS DEGREE
  - MAJOR WITH MINOR DEGREE
  - JOINT HONORS DEGREE

**KEY:**
- S1 - Subject 1
- S2 - Subject 2
- S3 - Subject 3
- S4 - Subject 4
- OM - Open Modules
- TE - Trinity Electives
- JF - Junior Freshman
- SF - Senior Freshman
Common Architecture

**SOPHISTER YEARS:** 120 ECTS

**EXIT ROUTE:**

**JS**
- S1
  - 50 ECTS & S2 or OM/TE
  - 10 ECTS

**SS**
- S1
  - 40 ECTS & S2
  - 20 ECTS

**DEGREE**
- S1
  - 40 ECTS & CAPSTONE
  - 20 ECTS

- S1
  - 20 ECTS & S2
  - 20 ECTS & CAPSTONE
  - 20 ECTS

**KEY:**
- S1 - Subject 1
- S2 - Subject 2
- OM - Open Modules
- TE - Trinity Electives
- JS - Junior Sophister
- SS - Senior Sophister
Common Architecture

FRESHMAN YEARS: 120 ECTS
ENTRY ROUTE:

JF

S1, S2, S3
...Sn
60 ECTS

SF

S1, S2, S3
...Sn
60 ECTS

SOPHISTER YEARS: 120 ECTS

JS

S1, S2, S3
...Sn
100 ECTS
@ LEVELS 3/4

+ SS

CAPSTONE
20 ECTS

DEGREE:

KEY: S1 - Subject 1 | S2 - Subject 2 | JF - Junior Freshman | SF - Senior Freshman | JS Junior Sophister | Senior Sophister
**Professional Architecture**

**Freshman YEARS:** 120 ECTS  
**Entry ROUTE:**

**SOPHISTER YEARS:** 120 ECTS  

**AWARD:**  
SINGLE HONORS [PROFESSIONAL]

*ECTS in S1 varies depending on when OM/ TE are taken as prescribed by the programme. Capstone Project is taken in SS year*

KEY:  
S1 - Subject 1 | S2 - Subject 2 | OM - Open Modules | TE - Trinity Electives | JF - Junior Freshman | SF - Senior Freshman | JS - Junior Sophister | SS - Senior Sophister
Science Architecture

Freshman YEARS: 120 ECTS
Entry ROUTE:

SF

Sophister YEARS: 120 ECTS

SS

DEGREE:

*ECTS in S1 varies depending on when OM are taken as prescribed by the programme.

KEY: S1 - Subject 1 | OM - Open Modules | TE - Trinity Electives | JF - Junior Freshman | SF - Senior Freshman | JS - Junior Sophister | SS - Senior Sophister