The University of Otago and Dalian University of Foreign Languages (DUFL)





Joint Degree Programme

Complete three semesters of prescribed study for the Bachelor of Arts in English with DUFL, plus four semesters of study at Otago and earn a University of Otago Bachelor of Arts (BA), majoring in English or Linguistics.

Why Otago?

As New Zealand's first university, founded in 1869, the University of Otago has earned an international reputation for the quality of its teaching and research.

Among the top 1% of universities in the world, Otago has the highest possible international quality rating and is ranked as the best university in New Zealand for international student learning, teaching, studies, and facilities.

Otago's world-class teaching and legendary lifestyle make it the first choice for students within New Zealand and from around the globe

Bachelor of Arts (Linguistics or English) at Otago

A Bachelor of Arts (BA) is excellent preparation for almost any career.

The Linguistics major will improve English language skills while training students in TESOL and applied linguistics. The English major prepares graduates for any career that uses English as a primary language of communication.

When completing their chosen major, students also select electives from the list provided.

Entrance requirements

Applicants must have completed the prescribed DUFL papers with an overall grade point average of B.

Admission will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

Applicants must meet the University of Otago's English language entry requirements: IELTS score of 6.0 in the academic module (with no individual band below 5.5).

Career opportunities

Graduates may be eligible for a post-study work visa in New Zealand for up to three years. Details can be found at immigration.govt.nz



TOP 1%

Ranked in the top 1% of universities in the world (QS World University Rankings)



Rated top university in New Zealand for international student experience (International Student Barometer)



Highest possible international quality rating



95% of graduates go into work or on to further study (Otago graduate Opinion Survey)



Unmatched record in the National Teaching Excellence Awards: 7 Supreme Award winners



More than 200 undergraduate and postgraduate programmes to choose from

Study Plan

Year +0.5	Year 1		Year 2		:	Year 3		Year +0.5
Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 3		Semester 5		Jennester o	Semester 7	Semester 8
DUFL	DUFL	DUFL (Application and visa progress)	Otago	Otago		Otago	Otago (Degree awarded by December)	DUFL (Degree awarded by July)
Sep	Mar	Sep	Mar	Jul			Jul	Mar

Students should discuss paper selection with the University of Otago coordinator to ensure an appropriate course is selected for the Otago semesters.

Students who wish to complete Semester 8 at DUFL for the additional award of a DUFL degree should consult the DUFL Programme Coordinator for further information.

Fees and Scholarships

2022 Estimated cost of programme: NZ\$31,366 per year

For scholarship information, visit

otago.ac.nz/international-scholarships

Key details

After successful completion of two semesters of the Bachelor of Arts in English programme at DUFL, students are eligible for up to 126 points credit to enter the University of Otago Bachelor of Arts Programme, majoring in English or Linguistics.

University of Otago Schedule for the Bachelor of Arts in Linguistics

- LING 111 Language and its Structure
- · One additional LING 100-level paper
- Three papers from 200-level LING or two papers from 200-level LING and EDUC 252 How People Learn
- Four 300-level LING papers
- Four elective papers* from the following options:
 - GLBL 101 Introduction to Intercultural Communication
 - GLBL 302 A World of Stories: Global Storytelling in the Digital Age
 - · LING 390 Directed Reading
 - DHUM 201 Digital Humanities: Method and Critique
 - · ENGL 127 Effective Writing
 - ENGL 128 Effective Communication
 - ENGL 220 Creative Writing: Reading for Writers
 - · ENGL 227 Essay and Feature Writing
 - ENGL 327 The Essay: Creative Non-Fiction

University of Otago Schedule for the Bachelor of Arts in English

- · One from:
 - ENGL 121 English Literature
 - The Remix OR ENGL 131 Controversial Classics
- · One from:
 - ENGL 120 Creative Writing: How to Captivate and Persuade
 - · ENGL 127 Effective Writing
 - ENGL 128 Effective Communication
- · Three from:
 - ENGL 218 Shakespeare: Stage, Page and Screen
 - ENGL 222 Contemporary American Fiction
 - ENGL 242 New Zealand Literature: Nation and Narration
 - ENGL 243 Special Topic: Tartan Noir: Scottish Crime Fiction
- Four 300-level ENGL papers
- Four elective papers* from the following options:
 - · LING 111 Language and its Structure
 - LING 230 Interaction and Identify in Context
 - · LING 231 TESOL: Guide to Language Teaching
 - GLBL 101 Introduction to Intercultural Communication
 - GLBL 302 A World of Stories: Global Storytelling in the Digital Age
 - DHUM 201 Digital Humanities: Method and Critique

Award of University of Otago Bachelor of Arts majoring in Linguistics or English upon successful completion.

* Students may consult with the UO coordinator if they wish to replace one of these elective papers with another Otago paper.



Further Information

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