

School of Geography & Geosciences

Including: Earth and Environmental Sciences, Geography, Sustainable Development

Entry to Honours

(Earth and Environmental Sciences)

Students who attain an average of grade 11.0 or above at the first sitting of the requisite 2000-level modules and who meet all other programme requirements will be given automatic offers of entry into Honours programmes*.

*Apart from students on Integrated Masters degrees.

(Geography and Sustainable Development)

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Students permitted automatic entry to Honours will only be permitted to trail one module to a maximum of 30 sub-honours credits into Honours.

This School also allows 'Qualified Entry to Honours' as defined in: **Entry to Honours**

BSc / MA Honours

The general requirements are 480 credits over a period of normally four years (and not more than five years) or part-time equivalent, of which the final two years form an approved Honours programme of 240 credits, of which 90 credits are at 4000 level and at least a further 120 credits at 3000 and/or 4000 levels.

BSc / MA Honours with Integrated Year Abroad

The general requirements are 540 credits over a period of normally five years (and not more than six years) or part-time equivalent, of which the final three years are an approved Honours programme of 300 credits, of which 60 credits are gained during the integrated year abroad, 90 credits are at 4000 level and at least a further 120 credits at 3000 and/or 4000 levels.

MGeol Honours

The general requirements are 600 credits over a period of normally five years (and not more than six years) or part-time equivalent, of which the final three years form an approved Honours programme of 360 credits, of which 120 credits are at 5000 level and at least 210 credits are at 3000 and 4000 levels.

Study Abroad: In the case of students who spend part of the Honours programme on a recognised Study Abroad scheme, the Programme Requirements will be amended to take into account overseas courses which are approved by the relevant St Andrews School in the Learning Agreement.

(see <http://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/studyabroad/outgoingstudents/AcademicInformation/>).

Geography - Single Honours BSc or MA

First Year (2014/5 or earlier):	20 credits: GG1001 or GG1002.
First Year: (2015/6 or later):	40 credits: GG1001 and GG1002.
Second Year:	60 credits: GG2011 and GG2012 - with passes at grade 11 or better in both at the first sitting or 13.5 in the re-assessment.
Third Year:	60 credits: SG3201; 60 credits in three of: GG3220 - GG3289, (EG3020 + EG3031), SG3220 - SG3289.
Fourth Year:	50 credits: GG4298; 50 credits in GG4201 and two of SG4221 - SG4229; GG4221 - GG4229. Between 20 and 25 further credits: GG3220-GG3289, SG4221 - SG4229 ((ID4001 or ID4002) with GG3302) (EG3020 - EG4020 + EG3031 or EG3032 or EG4031 as appropriate) SG3220 - SG3289.

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Geography - Joint Honours BSc or MA	
(BSc Honours) Geography and one of: Biology ^E , Economics, Management, Mathematics, Statistics	(MA Honours) Geography and one of: Arabic, Art History, Classical Studies ^{na-14} , Comparative Literature, Economics, Film Studies, French ^W , Hebrew, International Relations, Italian ^W , Management, Mediaeval History, Middle East Studies, Modern History, Philosophy, Psychology, Scottish History, Social Anthropology, Spanish ^W , Theological Studies ^{na-14} Not available to entrants from 2014
^E Also applies to Environmental Biology and Geography (not available to entrants from 2013/4) ^W Available also as 'With Integrated Year Abroad' degree	
Geography element of Joint Honours BSc or MA: First Year (2014/5 or earlier): 20 credits: GG1001 or GG1002. First Year: (2015/6 or later): 40 credits: GG1001 and GG1002. Second Year: 60 credits: GG2011 and GG2012 - with passes at grade 11 or better in both at the first sitting or 13.5 in the re-assessment. Third Year: 30 credits: SG3202; Up to 60 credits: GG3220 - GG3289, GG3301, (EG3020 + EG3031), SG3220 - SG3289. Fourth Year: 30 credits: GG4297 Further credits: GG3220 - GG3289, GG3302, GG4220 - GG4229, GG4301, (ID4001 or ID4002), (EG3020 – EG4020 + EG3031 or EG3032 or EG4031 as appropriate), SG3220 - SG3289, SG4220 - SG4229 - to a total of between 90 and 150 credits in these modules across Third and Fourth Years. In total, 240 credits are required at 3000 and 4000 level, including at least 90 credits in total at 4000 level in either subject.	

Geography 'with'... - Honours MA
Geography with Persian, Social Anthropology or Spanish^W ^W Available also as 'With Integrated Year Abroad' degree
Geography Major element of MA Honours 'with' degree: First Year (2014/5 or earlier): 20 credits: GG1001 or GG1002. First Year: (2015/6 or later): 40 credits: GG1001 and GG1002. Second Year: 60 credits: GG2011 and GG2012 - with passes at grade 11 or better in both at the first sitting or 13.5 in the re-assessment. Third Year: At least 30 credits: SG3202 - SG3203; Further credits: GG3220 - GG3289, GG3301, (EG3020 + EG3031), SG3220 - SG3289.. - to a total of between 80 and 100 credits in GG, EG and/or SG modules for the Year. Fourth Year: 50 credits: GG4298; 20 credits in one of: SG4220 - SG4229; GG4220 - GG4229; Further credits: GG3221 - GG3289, GG3302, GG4201, GG4301, (ID4001 or ID4002), (EG3020 - EG4020 + EG3031 or EG3032 or EG4031 as appropriate), SG3221 - SG4289, SG4220 - SG4229 to a total of 180 credits in these modules across Third and Fourth Years. In total, 240 credits are required at 3000 and 4000 level, including at least 90 credits at 4000 level in either subject.

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... 'with' Geography - Honours BSc or MA	
(BSc Honours) Mathematics with Geography	(MA Honours) Psychology, Russian^W, Social Anthropology or Spanish^W with Geography
^W Available also as 'With Integrated Year Abroad' degree	
<p>Geography Minor element of BSc or MA Honours 'with' degree:</p> <p>First Year (2014/5 or earlier): 20 credits: GG1001 or GG1002.</p> <p>First Year: (2015/6 or later): 40 credits: GG1001 and GG1002.</p> <p>Second Year: 60 credits: GG2011 and GG2012 - with passes at grade 11 or better in both at the first sitting or 13.5 in the re-assessment.</p> <p><i>Exemption from GG2012 may be granted, with the permission of the Head of School, for students having passes in GG1001 and GG1002 and passes at 11 or better in GG2011 and in a 2000-level module in a cognate discipline. Students who gain entry with such a combination may be excluded from Honours optional modules for which they are insufficiently prepared.</i></p> <p>Third and Fourth Years: 60 credits in three of: GG3221 - GG3289, SG4220 - SG4229; GG4220 - GG4229, (EG3020 - EG4020 + EG3031 or EG3032 or EG4031 as appropriate), SG3221 - SG3289.</p> <p>In total, 240 credits are required at 3000 and 4000 level, including at least 90 credits at 4000 level.</p>	

Students still completing degree programmes as defined in previous Course Catalogues should discuss their module selections with their Honours Adviser(s).