

Hong Kong Credits

'Please note that Level 1 courses (1st year courses in Hong Kong universities) are very general courses and are not going to be suitable for you (unless you decide to take an introductory course outside of your degree subject as a course). Second year students at The University of Manchester would typically be expected to take Level 2 and Level 3 courses. Third year students at The University of Manchester are able to apply for Level 4 courses, but you would need to meet prerequisites.

All guidance on credit load is based on a student replacing 60 University of Manchester credits per semester. Students will also need to be mindful of minimum credit requirements for full-time status for visa requirements.

Chinese University of Hong Kong

Credit System/Standard Workload (and course catalogue links)

A normal full time load at CUHK is 15 credits per semester (most courses carry 3 units).

Course Catalogues:

http://rgsntl.rgs.cuhk.edu.hk/aqs_prd_applx/Public/tt_dsp_crse_catalog.aspx

Restrictions: Only open to Humanities students. Past students have warned that the level of courses in economics, finance and mathematics is very high in Hong Kong and may prove very challenging for a typical UK student.

Hong Kong Polytechnic University

Credit System/Standard Workload (and course catalogue links)

A normal full time load at HKPolyU is 15 credits per semester.

Course Catalogue:

<https://www.polyu.edu.hk/geo/exchange-and-study-abroad/incoming-students/>

Students of the University of Manchester going on exchange in their third year are expected to choose year 2 and year 3 courses in the new 4-year curriculum.

Students can apply for year 4 courses, but approval of them will be subject to meeting the prerequisites.

<https://www.polyu.edu.hk/international/incoming-students>
(subject list for fashion & Textiles)

Restrictions: Preference given to Textiles students.

University of Hong Kong

Credit System/Standard Workload (and course catalogue links)

A normal full time load at HKU is 30 credits per semester. Within each semester's full load of 30 credits, half of them must come from a single faculty.

Course Catalogue: <https://hku.hk/faculties/>

Restrictions: All courses are taught in English, except those offered by the Department of Chinese Architecture to which course access is extremely restricted and not available at all at postgraduate level.

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