

Concentration Requirements (for 19-20 Bulletin and Before)

Students need to complete 24 units of major elective courses.

Students who want to have a Concentration should select 21 units from one of the following groups:

- A. Theory and Culture
- B. Media Studies
- C. Arts and Creativity

They could utilize 18 units of their major electives + 3 free elective units to make up the 21 units as mentioned above. The remaining 6 units (24 – 18 units) of their major electives should go to one course in each of the other two groups for the purpose of broadening study horizons.

Below is a graphical illustration:

	<u>Theory and Culture Concentration</u>			<u>Media Studies Concentration</u>			<u>Arts and Creativity Concentration</u>		
	Group A	Group B	Group C	Group A	Group B	Group C	Group A	Group B	Group C
Major Elective	18 units	3 units	3 units	3 units	18 units	3 units	3 units	3 units	18 units
Free Elective	3 units				3 units				3 units

Students who do not opt for a Concentration should choose at least two courses in each of the three groups and come up with 24 units as their major electives.

Benefits

Concentration will appear on the academic transcript for students who have fulfilled the Concentration requirement. E.g. Bachelor of Arts (Hons.) in Humanities (Media Studies Concentration). Concentration shown on the transcript can help potential employers get a better understanding of what students have studied when they are in the job market and offer other academic institutes a clearer picture of which research fields students have engaged in when they are applying for further studies.

Reminder Notes to Senior Year Entrants

As you may have transferred units granted under the category of major electives, please check your graduation audit report on how these units may be counted towards the concentrations. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact Dr. Charles Cheung (Senior Year Students' Advisor) on cheungcw@hkbu.edu.hk.