

## Concentration Requirements (for 20-21 Bulletin and After)

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. Media Studies and Creative Practice
- B. Cultures in Changing Environments

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 two courses in another group.

Below is a graphical illustration:

### Media Studies and Creative Practice Concentration

	<b>Group A</b>	<b>Group B</b>
<b>Major Elective</b>	18 units	6 units
<b>Free Elective</b>	3 units	

### Cultures in Changing Environments Concentration

	<b>Group A</b>	<b>Group B</b>
<b>Major Elective</b>	6 units	18 units
<b>Free Elective</b>		3 units

Students who do not opt for a Concentration should choose at least three courses in each of the two 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 and Creative Practice 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](mailto:cheungcw@hkbu.edu.hk).