

# Arabic Studies Major

<b>Year and Campus:</b>	2011																
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<b>Overview:</b>	<p>The Asia Institute offers two streams of Arabic language study:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Beginners: the beginners stream is available to students who have little or no knowledge of Arabic. It is available at both first and second year although students intending to complete a major will need to commence their language study in their first year.</li> <li># Post-VCE: the post-VCE stream is usually only available to students who have obtained a pass in VCE Arabic, or its equivalent.</li> </ul>																
<b>Objectives:</b>	see course objectives																
<b>Structure &amp; Available Subjects:</b>	<p>A major in Arabic studies usually consists of 112.5 points comprising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># two level 1 subjects in Arabic (25 points); and</li> <li># three level 2 subjects in Arabic (37.5 points); and</li> <li># four level 3 subjects in Arabic (50 points).</li> </ul> <p>A major must include either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Arabic 3A and Arabic 3B</li> </ul> <p>or</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Arabic 4A and Arabic 4B.</li> </ul> <p>Students who commenced their degree before 2007 will need to complete 125 points toward this major in order to complete the major. For the specific major structure you must follow, refer to the handbook produced in the year you commenced your degree, available online at <a href="https://psc.unimelb.edu.au/">https://psc.unimelb.edu.au/</a> (<a href="https://psc.unimelb.edu.au/">https://psc.unimelb.edu.au/</a>)</p>																
<b>Subject Options:</b>	<p><b>Beginners stream</b> The beginners stream of Arabic is usually structured:</p> <p><b>Level One</b> Arabic 1A Arabic 1B</p> <p><b>Level Two</b> Arabic 2A Arabic 2B Arabic in Context 1</p> <p><b>Level Three</b> Arabic 3A Arabic 3B Arabic in Context 2 One elective subject</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>ARBC10005 Arabic 1A</td> <td>Not offered 2011</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ARBC10006 Arabic 1B</td> <td>Not offered 2011</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ARBC20004 Arabic 2A</td> <td>Not offered 2011</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ARBC20005 Arabic 2B</td> <td>Not offered 2011</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	ARBC10005 Arabic 1A	Not offered 2011	12.50	ARBC10006 Arabic 1B	Not offered 2011	12.50	ARBC20004 Arabic 2A	Not offered 2011	12.50	ARBC20005 Arabic 2B	Not offered 2011	12.50
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ARBC20001 Arabic in Context 1	Semester 1	12.50
ARBC30004 Arabic 3A	Not offered 2011	12.50
ARBC30005 Arabic 3B	Not offered 2011	12.50
ARBC30001 Arabic in Context 2	Semester 2	12.50

**Post-VCE stream**

The post-VCE stream of Arabic is usually structured:

**Level One**

Arabic 3A

Arabic 3B

**Level Two**

Arabic 4A

Arabic 4B

Arabic in Context 1

**Level Three**

Arabic 5A

Arabic 5B

Arabic in Context 2

One elective subject

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
ARBC10003 Arabic 3A	Not offered 2011	12.50
ARBC10004 Arabic 3B	Not offered 2011	12.50
ARBC20002 Arabic 4A	Semester 1	12.50
ARBC20003 Arabic 4B	Semester 2	12.50
ARBC20001 Arabic in Context 1	Semester 1	12.50
ARBC30002 Arabic 5A	Semester 1	12.50
ARBC30003 Arabic 5B	Semester 2	12.50
ARBC30001 Arabic in Context 2	Semester 2	12.50

**Elective subjects**

These subjects are available at level two and/or level three

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
ISLM30003 Ethical Traditions in Islam	Semester 2	12.50
ISLM20003 The Qur'an: An Introduction	Semester 2	12.50
ISLM30001 Islam in the West	Semester 2	12.50
HIST30015 The Modern Middle East	Semester 1	12.50
HIST30026 The History of the Arab-Israeli Conflict	Semester 2	12.50

**Related Course(s):**

Bachelor of Arts  
 Bachelor of Arts & Bachelor of Commerce  
 Bachelor of Arts & Bachelor of Music  
 Bachelor of Arts (Combined Theology)  
 Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science

**Bachelor of Arts and Sciences**  
**Bachelor of Engineering (Chemical) and Bachelor of Arts**  
**Bachelor of Engineering (Electrical) and Bachelor of Arts**