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SCHOOL OF
ARTS, LANGUAGES
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FACULTY OF ARTS

2+2

ARTICULATION

Your chance to study for two years at
The University of Manchester and graduate
with two degrees: one from The University of
Manchester and one from your home institution.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER WELCOMES STUDENTS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD



The School of Arts, Languages and Cultures is internationally recognised in the fields of human cultures, beliefs, and languages. The School is the largest of its kind in the UK, and boasts seventeen different disciplinary areas, plus teaching in nearly 20 languages. The School of Arts, Languages and Cultures also recently celebrated the 10th anniversary of the Manchester Confucius Institute, reaffirming the School's commitment to international engagement, and promotion of world languages, societies and cultures.

The School has articulation arrangements with a number of selective partners, which allows an opportunity for registered undergraduate students to spend two years studying in the UK, graduating with a degree from The University of Manchester and a degree from their home institution. This arrangement is known as "2+2", denoting two years in each institution, offering the benefits of studying in two educational systems.

What our academic tutors say:

In the School of Arts, Languages and Cultures we have a strong tradition of attracting high calibre students from the top Chinese universities. Over the years I have been extremely impressed with the performance of our Chinese 2+2 students both academically and socially...

Our 2+2 students are an essential component of the student community academically, socially and culturally. Their international perspective on life adds a vital component to the vibrant and outward looking culture of our University.

Dr. Thea Cameron-Faulkner,
Senior Lecturer In Linguistics and English Language

WHAT PROGRAMMES CAN YOU CHOOSE?

We have different arrangements with different partners, each tailored to the specialities and expertise within each institution. So, it is important for you to check with your University/department what programmes are included in the agreement.

You may be able to choose a programme similar to your current degree programme, but you will also have the opportunity to study new and exciting fields within the School of Arts, Languages and Cultures. There are pre-requisites for some programmes. Please contact the 2+2 office if you are unsure (twoplustwosalc@manchester.ac.uk).

Sample programmes open to articulation:

- BA Linguistics
- BA Linguistics and Sociology
- BA Linguistics and Social Anthropology
- BA English Language
- BA East Asian Studies
- BA History of Art

If you want to find out more about the programmes and the courses taught in the two years at the University of Manchester, please visit www.manchester.ac.uk and search the degree programme you wish to explore.

I am planning to pursue postgraduate study after graduation. I believe Manchester gives me the best possible platform.

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2+2 student



WHAT ARE THE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS?

Each application will be considered on its own merit. Typically you are expected to have the following qualifications:

You must sit the UKVI English Language test that is recorded with a camera. A minimum IELTS Score of 7.0 must be obtained. If you achieve 6.5 with each component no less than 6.0, you could be asked to attend a pre-sessional English course to improve your language and meet the requirement in time for enrolment.

An average grade of 75 out of 100 or GPA 3.0 out of 4.0 is to be achieved in the first two years of degree study at your home institution. We will need scanned copies of your transcripts from your institution as proof of your grades.

Pre-requisites are set for each programme based on the courses you have studied at your home institution. You are encouraged to take as many possible relevant courses in your first two years as part of your academic preparation.

Please contact the 2+2 team for specific pre-requisite details for your year of entry.

What is the application process?

Please contact the 2+2 office for the updated application form for your year and detailed information about how to apply.

The application deadline is set each year around early April. Please check and make sure you do not miss the deadline.



WHAT IS IT LIKE TO STUDY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER?

All students are treated the same with equal rights and access to University resources. You receive the same qualification (degree certificate) and qualify for scholarships as any other student on the programme. You can join student societies and clubs to further your hobbies and meet new friends. You will be guaranteed a place in university accommodation for both years of the 2+2 programme.



What our TwoPlusTwo students say:

Manchester is a very prestigious university, so I did not want to waste the chance to be part of it... the University has successfully created an embracing culture where diversity is respected and valued. I feel glad to be a student here. The School has strong and responsible academic staff. I really feel that I am learning new things, establishing new ways of thinking and receiving supportive guidance... Alan Gilbert Learning Commons is my favourite. It is the best learning commons that I have ever seen."

Wenling Ding, Second year 2+2, Linguistics and Sociology, and winner of the 2016 Martin Harris Prize.

Wenling Ding (second from the right) with Dr Ana Carden-Coyne, Director of External Relations, Sir Martin Harris, fellow prize-winners and Professor Alessandro Schiesaro, Head of School.

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Wenling Ding, 2+2 student

THE UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER

Manchester is a truly multicultural university, welcoming 40,000 students a year from 154 countries to our friendly campus community. As well as a thriving student community, the campus is under-going a one billion pound redevelopment, creating a world class learning environment.



I was very glad and grateful that the University guarantees international students with student accommodation, because I got my [visa] really late.

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2+2 student



CITY OF MANCHESTER

Beyond the University you'll find that the city of Manchester is a diverse and modern place where a taste of home is never far away. Manchester's character is defined as much by its people as it is by its history and achievements. The city is one of the most multicultural in the UK, with nearly 200 languages spoken here.



Though Manchester offers a unique experience, combining world cultures into one fascinating city, the Chinatown, centred around the impressive imperial arch, is the second largest in the UK. Ever popular for its countless restaurants, Asian supermarkets and events, Chinatown fills the area with vibrant colour and flavours.

The Northern Quarter is Manchester's hidden gem of boutique shops, cafes, and restaurants. Once an old warehouse district, it is now an iconic area to explore and relax in.

Manchester is known as the Northern Powerhouse; the city's cultural, economic, and academic development was recognised by the New York Times in 2015, naming Manchester the 26th best city to visit in the world. The visit of President Xi Jinping of China in 2015 and the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge in 2016 to the University reflect Manchester's prominence on a national and global stage.

President Xi Jinping, seen here with George Osborne, Professor Sir Kostya Novoselov and Professor Dame Nancy Rothwell, President and Vice-Chancellor, is shown graphene samples.

In addition to city and university, Manchester is situated close to some of the UK's most beautiful national parks, and there are excellent transport links to Scotland, The Lake District, and the picturesque North Wales coastline.

www.visitmanchester.com

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The School of Arts, Languages and Cultures is the largest grouping of arts, languages and humanities scholars and students in the UK. Study with us and you'll benefit from multidisciplinary learning opportunities and world-renowned cultural resources as well as the creative fabric of Manchester itself.

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