UNIVERSITY OF LIMERICK
OLLSCOIL LUIMNIGH
School of Modern Languages and Applied Linguistics

WHAT SUBJECTS DO YOU OFFER?

The School of Modern Languages and Applied Linguistics (MLAL) at the University of Limerick brings together the core subjects of:

FRENCH	GERMAN	JAPANESE
LINGUISTICS & TESOL*	DIGITAL CULTURE & COMMUNICATIONS	SPANISH

* Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

WHICH COURSES DO YOU RUN?

The School of Modern Languages and Applied Linguistics flagship courses are LM044 BA in Applied Languages and LM040 BA in European Studies.

Our subjects can be found on a variety of other undergraduate courses in UL, details of which are further below. Our subjects can often be taken in conjunction with Irish.

✓ Can I get any additional help with language learning?

The Language Learning Hub is a free service for UL students. It offers support for language learning and access to language learning material in many languages.

✓ Can I take an extra language on top of my own course?

Of course! You can take any of our language modules extra to your own modules; you will just need to apply during week 1 of semester.

✓ Will I get the opportunity to study abroad ?

All of our courses include a semester abroad, and a semester doing work experience.

Why study languages in UL?

- Excellent facilities and support services;
- Great opportunities to study and work abroad during your undergraduate studies;
- Vibrant and welcoming place to study languages with enthusiastic teaching staff;
- Fantastic job prospects for language graduates.

What our students say:

👤 *"My favourite things about studying languages in UL? The Language Learning Hub facilities, opportunities to meet and get to know native speakers and the Erasmus options!"*

👤 *"Why UL? The quality of education in languages is very high, lecturers are very friendly and the campus is amazing."*

WHICH COURSES CAN I STUDY YOUR SUBJECTS IN?*

Programme	No. of languages studied:	French (Adv.)	German (Beg.)	German (Adv.)	Spanish (Beg.)	Spanish (Adv.)	Japanese (Beg.)	TESOL	Linguistics	Digital Culture & Comm-
LM040 BA in European Studies	1 or 2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	No	✓	No	**European Literature & Film**
LM044 BA in Applied Languages	2 or 3 (one at advanced level)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓**	✓	✓	✓
LM002 Bachelor of Arts	0 to 2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	No	✓	✓	✓
LM039 BA in Journalism & Digital Communication	0 to 1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓**	No	No	✓
LM029 LLB Law Plus	0 to 2	✓	No	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LM050 Business Studies	0 to 1	✓	No	✓	✓	✓	✓	No	No	No
LM056 International Business	0 to 1	✓	No	✓	✓	✓	✓	No	No	No
LM091 Bachelor of Education in Languages	2 (one at advanced level)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	No	No	No

*These options are subject to change by the University of Limerick** Japanese Adv is also available*

WHAT CAREERS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO ME IF I STUDY LANGUAGES?

Language graduates get great jobs as, by studying languages, you acquire a whole range of skills that can be applied to a broad variety of professions.

In particular, you will have very good communication skills, which are highly valued by employers. Learning a language gives you another way of looking at, analyzing, and interpreting the world; it also encourages creativity and collaborative learning. These attributes all make you more attractive to potential employers.

As a result, language graduates can choose from a variety of careers and professions, for example (non-exhaustive list):

- International Business (Marketing, Finance, Personnel)
- Translating and Interpreting (within EU institutions and international companies)
- Localization and Technical Writing, particularly for digital media
- Teaching (not just second-level, but also professional language training)
- Media and information industry
- Tourism