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## Ancient culture studies 220 (AKG 220)

**Qualification** Undergraduate

**Faculty** [Faculty of Humanities](#)

**Module credits** 20.00

**Programmes** [BA](#)

[BA Languages](#)

[BA Law](#)

[BPolSci Political Studies](#)

**Prerequisites** AKG 210

**Contact time** 2 lectures per week

**Language of tuition** Module is presented in English

**Department** Ancient and Modern Languages and Cultures

**Period of presentation** Semester 1 or Semester 2

### Module content

Interpretation of material remains

The physical remains of the ancient Near East (namely Mesopotamia, Syria-Palestine and Egypt) and the ancient Greek and Roman worlds, namely artefacts and architecture, are examined within their socio-historical context to interpret the physical representations of their worldviews. Contemporary society's interaction with material remains of the ancient world will also be examined.

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