



# Program Planner – Master of Applied Linguistics (1.5 years duration) (MAppLing)

## For students commencing in the Master of Applied Linguistics (1.5 years duration) in Semester 2 2023

### MAppLing structure

Students in the 1.5 year program complete 24 units from the following:

- 8 units MAppLing Core Courses, and
- Either
  - The Dissertation Option (16 units), or
  - The Portfolio Option (16 units).

#### The Dissertation Option

Students who choose the dissertation option complete a research dissertation (6 units) in their final semester of study. They complete a further 10 units in either a Field of Study (e.g. TESOL Studies or Language Discourse Analysis) (8 units), plus 2 units from MAppLing Program Elective Courses OR 10 units from MAppLing Program Elective Courses (no Field of Study).

#### The Portfolio Option

Students who choose the portfolio option have more units available to take towards MAppLing Program Elective Courses than students who choose the dissertation option. The portfolio option comprises SLAT7852 *Portfolio & Synthesis* (2 units) plus either a Field of Study (e.g. TESOL or Language Discourse Analysis) (8 units) and 6 units from MAppLing Program Elective Courses OR 14 units from MAppLing Program Elective Courses (no Field of Study).

### How to use this planner

This document assists you to draft an enrolment plan to complete the Master of Applied Linguistics (1.5 years duration).

Core courses that must be taken in sequence are pre-filled. Read the program rules below, then add the courses that are required to complete the option you choose. You will find your field of study and course requirements on the Programs and Courses [website](#). Don't forget to save the document to your files.

If you would like a staff member to check your plan, please email it to [hass@uq.edu.au](mailto:hass@uq.edu.au) from your UQ student email address.

Students are responsible for ensuring that they have complied with the rules relating to their program and have completed sufficient units to meet graduation requirements. Program planning advice is not binding on the Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences or The University of Queensland.



## Program Rules

### 1. Course selection

Selected courses must include at least 8 units at level 7.

Selected courses must include at least 12 units at level 6 or higher.

Selected courses must include at most 6 units at level 3.

Selected courses must include at most 12 units at level 4.

### 2. No credit for Foundational Courses

No credit will be given for SLAT7001, SLAT7705, SLAT7706, WRIT6001 or WRIT7035.

### 3. Exit award

#### Award of the Graduate Diploma in Applied Linguistics

A student who withdraws from the program after completing 16 units may apply and be awarded the Graduate Diploma in Applied Linguistics.



### Option A: Dissertation Option (24 units)

<b>MAppLing Core Courses (8 units) + Dissertation (6 units) + Field of Study (8 units) + MAppLing Elective Course (2 units)</b>
<b>Field of Study e.g. TESOL or Language Discourse Analysis:</b>
<b>MAppLing Core Courses (8 units) + Dissertation (6 units) + MAppLing Program Elective Courses (10 units) (no Field of Study)</b>

Students who choose the dissertation option complete a research dissertation (6 units) in their final semester of study. They complete a further 10 units in either a Field of Study (e.g. TESOL Studies or Language Discourse Analysis) (8 units), plus 2 units from MAppLing Program Elective Courses OR 10 units from MAppLing Program Elective Courses (and do not complete a Field of Study). Students are required to complete 8 units for all MAppLing Core Courses.

**It is strongly recommended to complete all Field of Studies courses BEFORE program electives.**

Student name:		Student number:	
Year 1 Semester 2, 2023		Year 1 Semester 2, 2023	
Core Course	2 units	SLAT7806	2 units
Core Course	2 units	SLAT7860	2 units
Field of Study or Program Elective Course	2 units		2 units
Field of Study or Program Elective Course	2 units		2 units
Year 1 Semester 1, 2024		Year 1 Semester 1, 2024	
Core Course	2 units	SLAT7805	2 units
Core Course	2 units	SLAT7826	2 units
Field of Study or Program Elective Course	2 units		2 units
Field of Study or Program Elective Course	2 units		2 units
Year 2 Semester 2, 2024		Year 2 Semester 2, 2024	
Dissertation <sup>1</sup>	6 units	SLAT7853	6 units
Field of Study or Program Elective Course	2 units		2 units

### Notes:

1. To be eligible to enrol in SLAT7853 *Dissertation*, you must have a GPA of 6, including at least a 6 in SLAT7806 *Research Methods*. Admission is discretionary according to supervisor's interest and permission.



### Option B: Portfolio Option (24 units)

<b>MAppLing Core Courses (8 units) + Portfolio (2 units) + Field of Study (8 units) + MAppLing Program Elective Courses (6 units)</b>
<b>Field of Study e.g. TESOL or Language Discourse Analysis:</b>
<b>MAppLing Core Courses (8 units) + Portfolio (2 units) + MAppLing Program Elective Courses (14 (no Field of Study))</b>

The portfolio option comprises SLAT7852 *Portfolio & Synthesis* (2 units) plus either a Field of Study (e.g. TESOL Studies) (8 units) and 6 units MAppLing Program Elective Courses OR 14 units from MAppLing Program Elective Courses (and do not complete a Field of Study). Students are required to complete 8 units for all MAppLing Core Courses.

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Field of Study or Program Elective Course	2 units		2 units
Field of Study or Program Elective Course	2 units		2 units
Year 2 Semester 1, 2024		Year 2 Semester 1, 2024	
Portfolio Course	2 units	SLAT7852	2 units
Field of Study or Program Elective Course	2 units		2 units
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