## Contents

This module introduces the student to Sumerian literary texts and deepens his/her knowledge of Sumerian grammar. The text readings focus on Sumerian myths and epics; in addition, Sumerian hymns, prayers and incantations may also be read. Reading the texts, the student will also acquire a knowledge of the history of Mesopotamian literature and religion in light of the Sumerian literary texts.

## Intended learning outcomes

The student will acquire detailed knowledge of the grammar and vocabulary of Sumerian literary texts. He/she will be able to transliterate, translate and comment upon the form and content of the texts read or assigned in class. The student will acquire the ability to transliterate, translate and classify the contents of simple Sumerian literary texts beyond the class curriculum with the help of dictionaries and sign lists.

## Courses

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## Allocation of places

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## Additional information

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## Referred to in LPO I

(examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

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## Module appears in

Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Ancient Near Eastern Studies (2012)