

Art History

University of St Andrews

Content

Teaching and research interests in Art History at the University of St Andrews extend from the medieval to the modern periods, focusing on the major arts of painting, sculpture and architecture, but also encompassing applied arts, graphic arts and photography.

Courses in Art History aim to provide a context in which students gain intellectual breadth and learn to become verbally and visually articulate. Students learn to assess images of all kinds critically and perceptively. A wide range of factors are considered: the analysis of style, content and meaning; patronage and social significance; the implicit and explicit ideas behind works; broad questions of theory and aesthetics.

Start Date

September

Qualification

Degree

Study Method

Full time

Award Title

MA Hons

UCAS Code

V350

Course Length

4 years

Faculty

Faculty of Arts

Department

Art History

Entry Requirements

2026 entry requirements

Standard entry:

4 Highers at AAAB plus English and one from Maths, Biology, Chemistry, Computing Science, Geography, Physics or Psychology at National 5 at B. Applications of Maths will be accepted but must be at National 5 at A.

Widening access entry:

4 Highers at AABB plus English and one from Maths, Biology, Chemistry, Computing Science, Geography, Physics or Psychology at National 5 at B. Applications of Maths will be accepted but must be at National 5 at A. (You may gain entry to the Gateway programme with 4 Highers at BBBB).

SCQF Level

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Progression Routes

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Combination Courses

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