

HUMANITIES DIVISIONAL BOARD	
Title of Programme	Final Honour School in Oriental Studies - Japanese
Brief note about nature of change:	Amendments to administrative procedures for the degrees and tidying up the regulations.
Effective date:	<p>For all students on course from Michaelmas Term 2015</p> <p>For first examination from 2015-16</p>
Location of change	<i>Examination Regulations 2014, page 352.</i>
Detail of change:	Please see attached.
Explanatory Notes	<p>Changes are to reflect some administrative procedural changes and tidying up the current regulations:</p> <p>1) Take-home papers will be released on Weblearn rather than collect from the Faculty Office. Information on where the paper will be released should be included in the setting conventions. Students do not have to come to the Oriental Institute to collect their papers.</p> <p>2) Candidates must submit an electronic copy of the dissertation in Word or PDF in a memory stick or CD-Rom. The memory stick and CD-Rom must be included with the hard copies of the dissertations.</p> <p>3) All options removed from the examination regulations to the course handbooks.</p> <p>4) Standardise the wording in the examination regulations: 'thesis' to 'dissertation', 'spoken' to 'oral', 'additional language' to 'subsidiary language'.</p> <p>5) Removing some information like dissertation submission to the general regulations rather than under individual degrees so that information is only available at one place.</p>

Japanese

The Board of the Faculty of Oriental Studies shall issue the handbook for the Honour School of Oriental Studies (Japanese and Japanese with a subsidiary language) no later than the Monday of first week of the Hilary Full Term prior to the year in which candidates shall sit their Final Honour School examinations. The handbook shall include, amongst other information, course details, lists of set texts and regulations regarding the submission of dissertations and long-essays.

~~*All candidates must have fulfilled attendance requirements (as set out in the handbook) on a designated course at an agreed University, unless given exemption by the Board of the Faculty.*~~

Either, for Japanese only,

The following papers will be set:

1. Modern Japanese I.
2. Modern Japanese II.
3. ~~Spoken Japanese~~ [Oral](#).¹
4. Classical Japanese.
5. Dissertation on a subject approved by the Board of the Faculty.*
6. Special text option I.³
7. Special subject option I.³
8. Special text option II.³
9. Special subject option II.³
10. Either Special Text option III or Special subject option III.³

Or, for Japanese with a subsidiary language, Papers 1-7 above and papers 11, 12 and 13 below in Chinese, Korean or Tibetan.

11. Chinese, Korean or Tibetan Texts (Subsidiary).
12. Chinese, Korean or Tibetan History and Culture (Subsidiary).
13. Chinese, Korean or Tibetan Language (Subsidiary).

[*Refer to Section B, Special Regulations for the Honour School of Oriental Studies](#)