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#### **Humanities Divisional Board**

# Approved by Associate Head of Education on 5 July 2024

## **Title of Programme**

Honour School of English and Modern Languages

## Brief note about nature of change:

Removal of a potential ambiguity in the regulations and clarifies what options students taking the joint school can take.

#### Effective date

For students starting FHS MT24

For first examination in 2024-25

### Location of change

In examination regulations 2022/23:

https://examregs.admin.ox.ac.uk/Regulation?code=hsoeandmodelang&srchYear=2023&srchTerm=1&year=2022&term=1

### **Detail of change**

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- <sup>1.28</sup>(v) *Literature in English 1760 to 1830* [as specified for the Honour School of English Language and Literature, Course I, Subject 5].
- 1.29 (vi) Special Options (an extended essay of not fewer than 5,000 and not more than 6,000 words in length) [ As specified for the Honour School of English Language and Literature, Course I & II, Subject 6]. See in addition the regulations in 3, for 'Submitted work'.
- 1.30 OR: Part III

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### **Explanatory Notes**

For English Paper 6 (special options), EML students should have the same options available as ELL students. Currently there is an ambiguity in the regulations which could be read to imply that the 1550-1660 period paper is not available to EML students taking Course II as a P6 option, as it specifies "an extended essay", but this exclusion was never intended.