Appendix 12: Honours Years / Part 3 / Supplementaries

- 1. This appendix relates to the detailed stage assessment criteria for:
 - Honours Year programmes leading to Bachelor awards with honours, and
 - Part 3 decisions with a single stage, at
 - The close of the supplementary assessment period.
- 2. The following abbreviations and rules apply in these detailed criteria (for fuller descriptions see: Appendix 2: Definitions):
 - DEU = designated essential unit; can only be passed ≥ 40%.
 - OPA = overall programme average.
 - WRP = Work-based Research Project.
 - P1 = "passed 1st attempt" and means ≥ 40%.
 - P2 = "passed 2nd attempt" see Appendix 7: Supplementary assessment.
- 3. The following detailed assessment criteria will be applied in sequence at the end of the single stage (after any supplementary assessment) in respect of compulsory or optional/elective units (but excluding extra-curricular units).
- **4.** After due consideration of the original and supplementary assessment results by the Board of Examiners for Programmes and in the absence of any relevant individual mitigating circumstances, a student who:
 - **a.** Has passed (P2) all supplementary assessments, and has passed (P1 or P2) units in Part 3 worth at least 48 credits, and has an overall programme average (OPA) of at least 70.00%, will be awarded a degree with First class honours.
 - **b.** Has passed (P2) all supplementary assessments, and has passed (P1 or P2) units in Part 3 worth at least 48 credits, and has an overall programme average (OPA) of at least 68.00%, and gained at least 70% in the Work-based Research Project, will be awarded a degree with First class honours.
 - **c.** Has passed (P2) all supplementary assessments, and has passed (P1 or P2) units in Part 3 worth at least 36 credits, and has an overall programme average (OPA) of at least 60.00%, will be awarded a degree with Second class honours Upper division.
 - **d.** Has passed (P2) all supplementary assessments, and has passed (P1 or P2) units in Part 3 worth at least 36 credits, and has an overall programme average (OPA) of at least 58.00%, and gained at least 60% in the Work-based Research Project, will be awarded a degree with Second class honours Upper division.
 - **e.** Has passed (P2) all supplementary assessments, and has passed (P1 or P2) units in Part 3 worth at least 36 credits, and has an overall programme average (OPA) of at least 50.00%, will be awarded a degree with Second class honours Lower division.
 - f. Has passed (P2) all supplementary assessments, and has passed (P1 or P2) units in Part 3 worth at least 36 credits, and has an overall programme average (OPA) of at least 48.00%, and gained at least 50% in the Work-based Research Project, will be awarded a degree with Second class honours Lower division.
 - **g.** Has passed (P2) all supplementary assessments, and has passed (P1 or P2) units in Part 3 worth at least 30 credits, and has an overall programme average (OPA) of at least 40.00%, will be awarded a degree with Third class honours.

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- h. Has passed (P2) all supplementary assessments, and has passed (P1 or P2) units in Part 3 worth at least 30 credits, and has an overall programme average (OPA) of at least 38.00%, will be awarded an Unclassified honours degree.
- i. Not met any of the foregoing criteria will have failed and will be required to withdraw from the programme and from the University.

5. The above decision-making process is illustrated as a flowchart below in Figure 3.

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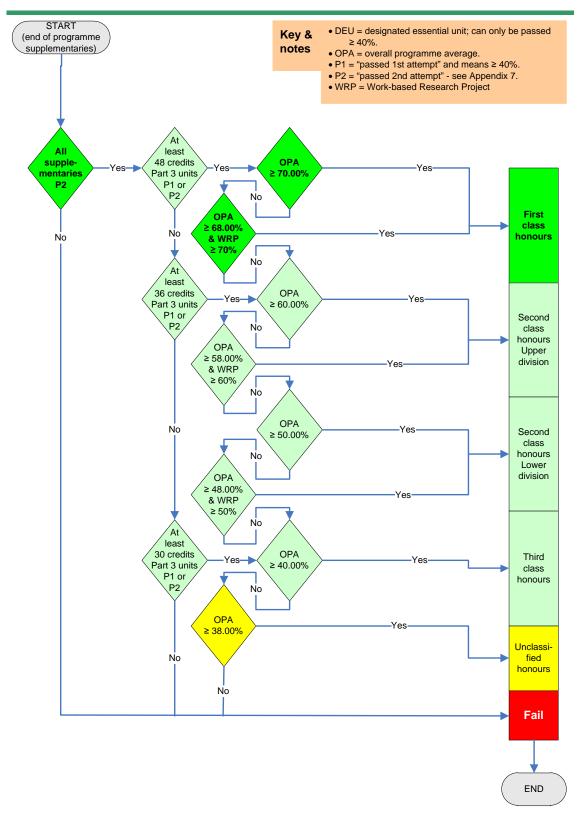


Figure 3: Honours Years / Part 3 / Supplementaries

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