



# FIRST CYCLE, BACCALAUREATE



# A PHILOSOPHY IN DIALOGUE WITH THE CHALLENGES OF TODAY'S MAN.

## PRESENTATION

The Faculty of Philosophy of the Pontifical Athenaeum Regina Apostolorum offers an encounter between **faith and reason, culture and science**, proposing to **rigorous rational thought** the valuable contribution of the **Christian worldview**. Rooted in **tradition** and **open** to the challenges of the present, the Faculty places **didactic innovation** at the center of its academic path, providing **advanced pedagogical and technological tools** for a dynamic and personalized formation. APRA's Faculty of Philosophy aims to be a laboratory of ideas and open discussion, where pedagogical innovation is translated into **flexible educational paths**, state-of-the-art technological tools and personalized attention to each student's path. In a constantly evolving world, we are committed to integrating knowledge, traditions and new methodologies, fostering the academic, human and spiritual growth of each student, in order to form **Christian leaders** who are ready and able to impact today's society, **competently and responsibly** guiding cultural and social changes from a perspective of **service and witness**.

## WHO SHOULD APPLY?

- **People interested** in obtaining a systematic and organic training in **Christian philosophy**, which enables them to **confront** the present **culture**.
- **Seminarians, Religious** men and women, **Lay people** who aspire to enrol in the baccalaureate of Theology or Licentiate of Philosophy in an ecclesiastical faculty.

The Faculty promotes the possibility of **easy integration** for access to civil master's faculties for **teaching purposes**.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Academic degree that allows access to university studies in the country of origin.

## STRUCTURE

The **three-year degree** is a First Cycle degree that lasts 3 years (180 ECTS) and gives access to theological studies and the Licentiate in Philosophy.

The **two-year degree** in Philosophy lasts 2 years (120 ECTS) and does not lead to a university degree, but gives access to the Baccalaureate in Theology.



**LANGUAGE:** Classes are held in Italian



**DATE:** Classes: from October 5<sup>th</sup> 2026 to May 29<sup>th</sup> 2027

Registration: from May 4<sup>th</sup> 2026 to September 24<sup>th</sup> 2026



**CREDITS:** Three-year degree 180 ECTS  
Two-year core Philosophy studies 120 ECTS

## PROGRAM

### 1<sup>st</sup> YEAR

#### Basic disciplines

Introduction to Philosophy, Philosophical Methodology.

#### Fundamental disciplines

Logic, Philosophy of Knowledge, Philosophy of Science, Philosophy of Nature, History of Ancient Philosophy, History of Medieval Philosophy.

#### Related disciplines

Modern language, Seminar of your choice.

### 2<sup>nd</sup> YEAR

#### Fundamental disciplines

Metaphysics, Philosophical Theology, Philosophy of Man, Moral Philosophy, History of Modern Philosophy, History of contemporary philosophy.

#### Related disciplines

Philosophical Latin, Course and Seminar of your choice.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> YEAR

#### Fundamental disciplines

Formal and Applied Logic, Philosophical Anthropology, Political Philosophy, Phenomenology and Philosophy of Religion, Philosophy of Language, Aesthetics, History of Hermeneutic and Analytical Philosophy.

#### Related disciplines

Faith and reason, Course and Seminar of your choice, synthesis seminar. Bachelor's thesis and comprehensive Exam.



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