

MIT Architecture

MArch Curriculum Fall 2025 – Spring 2026

	1 4 Classes 48 Units	2 4 Classes 36–48 Units	3 4 Classes 36–48 Units	4 4 Classes 36–48 Units	5 4 Classes 36–48 Units	6 3–4 Classes 36–48 Units	7 1–2 Classes 24–32 Units
	Core	Options				Thesis	
Design Studio	4.151 (21) Architecture Design Core Studio I	4.152 (21) Architecture Design Core Studio II	4.153 (21) Architecture Design Core Studio III	4.154 (21) Architecture Design Option Studio	4.154 (21) Architecture Design Option Studio	4.154 (21) Architecture Design Option Studio	4.THG (24) MArch Thesis
Architectural Studies	4.105 (9) Cultures of Form			4.123 (9) Architectural Assemblies	4.222 (6) Professional Practice	4.189 (9) Preparation for MArch Thesis	
ACT (Art, Culture, & Technology)				ACT Elective 4.3xx (9) <i>(taken any semester)</i>			
BT (Building Technology)	4.464 (9) Environmental Technologies in Buildings	4.462 (9) Introduction to Structural Design	4.463 (9) BT Systems: Structures & Envelopes				
COMP (Computation)		COMP Restricted Elective (9)* 4.117, 4.511, 4.521, or 4.567 <i>(any semester offered)</i>			COMP Elective 4.5xx (9) or MAS.xxx (9) <i>(taken any semester)</i>		
HTC (History, Theory & Criticism)	4.210 (9) Positions: Cultivating Critical Practice	4.645 (9) Selected Topics in Architecture: 1750 to the Present	HTC Restricted Elective (9)* 4.607, 4.612, 4.647, 4.652, or 4.241 <i>(any semester offered)</i>		HTC Elective 4.6xx (9) <i>(taken any semester)</i>		
URB (Urbanism)			URB Elective 11.xxx (9) <i>(taken any semester)</i>				
Electives				Open Elective x.xxx (9) <i>(taken any semester)</i>	Open Elective x.xxx (9) <i>(taken any semester)</i>	Open Elective x.xxx (6) <i>(taken any semester)</i>	

*Note: COMP and HTC Electives taken Fall 2025 onwards may be counted towards the COMP Restricted Elective or HTC Restricted Elective requirement, respectively.