BSc(Hons) in Building & Real Estate Scheme:

A. **Foundation year + 3-year undergraduate programme BSc (Hons) in Property Management and BSc (Hons) in Surveying for non-local students**
(Total 4-year studies)

In the foundation year i.e. first year of study in the Polytechnic University, the non-local students are required to take up to a maximum of 30 credits, with 15 credits being University compulsory subjects and 15 credits to be prescribed by the programme hosting department*.

In addition to the General Education subjects prescribed by the department in the foundation year, students following a 4-year (foundation year + 3 years) undergraduate curriculum are required to complete two more General Education subjects with one from the category of “China Studies” and one from the category of “Broadening” before graduation*.

Their credit requirement should be the sum of the normal credit requirement of the 3-year degree programme plus 30 credits for the foundation year**.

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Foundation Year (year 1 of study in PolyU) curriculum requirements for non-local students:
(30 credit for Foundation Year study)

**Semester 1** (15 credits in total):

9 credits from 3 compulsory subjects (i.e. the compulsory subjects prescribed by the University) -

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6 credits from 2 subjects prescribed by the programme hosting department BRE. (selected from the pool of elective subjects to be offered in semester 1 which is detailed in the Annex to the memo from the Secretary to Academic Planning Committee to HoD with foundation students dated 19 October 2005)

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**Semester 2** (15 credits in total):

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B. **Foundation year + 3-year undergraduate programme BSc (Hons) in Building Engineering & Management for non-local students**
(Total 4-year studies)

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Year 1 (foundation year) curriculum requirements for non-local students:
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**Semester 1** (15 credits in total):

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- CLC250  Elementary Cantonese* (3 credits)
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- AMA103  Foundation Mathematics I for Science and Engineering (3 credits)
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**Semester 2** (15 credits in total):

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