

ENGLISH MAJORS

Creative Writing

English Education

English Literature

English (No Emphasis)

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The Department of English Language and Literature offers a major program of study leading to a Bachelor of Arts in English, as well as a minor program of study in English. Lower-level courses in the department support the college's General Education Program. By studying British, American, and world literatures, students who major or minor in English learn to read closely, to think critically, and to write clearly. English majors may pursue one of three areas of emphasis; Creative Writing, English Education or English Literature, or choose a degree without an area of emphasis. Students who meet the requirements are invited to complete an Honors Sequence in their area of emphasis. A major in English provides a solid foundation for the business world, law school, journalism, education, or graduate study in any field.

To be eligible for the Honors Sequence, a student must:

1. Have an overall grade point average of no less than 3.25
2. Have an English grade point average of no less than 3.5
3. Have received a "B-" or better in ENG 290: *Introduction to Literary Studies: Critical Approaches and Research Methods*.

All Emphasizes: **Majors must select at least one course each from: Literature before 1850, Literature after 1850, American Literature, British/World Literature.

All English majors must earn a grade of C- or better in all courses used to satisfy major requirement.

Major: ENGLISH (Without an Area of Emphasis)

Student's Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Initial _____

Advisor _____

Date Major Declared _____

Course #	Title of Course	Hours Required	Semester Completed	Grade
Required Courses:				
200-level Literature Courses (6 hrs):				
ENG 205	Topics in British Literature to 1800	3		
ENG 206	British Literature since 1800	3		
ENG 238	American Literature to the Civil War	3		
ENG 239	American Literature since the Civil War	3		
ENG 248	Topics in World Literature to 1800	3		
ENG 249	World Literature since 1800	3		
200-level Writing/Theory Courses (6 hrs):				
ENG 275	Introduction to Creative Writing	3		
ENG 290	Introduction to Literary Studies: Critical Approaches and Research Methods	3		
300-and 400-level Literature Courses (6 hrs):				
ENG 315	Literary Modes and Genres	3		
ENG 325	Literary Movements	3		
ENG 330	Literary Visions and Revisions	3		
ENG 335	A Sense of Place	3		
ENG 340	Gender and Literary Expression	3		
ENG 345	Ethnic Literature	3		
ENG 350	Studies in the Author	3		
ENG 355	Literature and the Other Arts	3		
Electives (18 hours):				
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TOTAL HOURS FOR MAJOR		36 hrs		
Majors must select at least one course each from: Literature before 1850, Literature after 1850, American Literature, British/World Literature.				

If any substitutions or waivers of requirements are allowed, please list below and initial.

Advisor Signature: _____ Department Chair Signature: _____