



# English, B.A. *major*

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Required Credits: 42

Required GPA: 2.25

## I REQUIRED COURSES

Complete 5 of the following 6 courses:

- ENGL 2330 American Literature to 1865 (3 credits)
- ENGL 2337 American Literature from 1865 to Present (3 credits)
- ENGL 2357 British Literature to 1800 (3 credits)
- ENGL 2358 British Literature from 1800 to Present (3 credits)
- ENGL 2370 World Literature to 1600 (3 credits)
- ENGL 2377 World Literature from 1600 to Present (3 credits)

Complete the following courses:

- ENGL 4420 Shakespeare and His Age (3 credits)  
or ENGL 4429 Shakespeare for Teachers (3 credits)
- ENGL 4455 Seminar: Literary Criticism and Theory (3 credits)

## II REQUIRED ELECTIVES

### LITERATURE/FILM ELECTIVES

Select 18 credits from the following courses; those courses with "Topics" in the title may be taken multiple times with different topic subtitles:

- ENGL 2340 The American Film (3 credits)
- ENGL 3540 Literature for Young Adults (3 credits)
- ENGL 3580 The English Language (3 credits)
- ENGL 3600 Author Topics (3 credits)
- ENGL 3606 Culture Topics (3 credits)
- ENGL 3607 Film Topics (3 credits)
- ENGL 3608 Genre Topics (3 credits)
- ENGL 3609 Period Topics (3 credits)
- ENGL 4429 Shakespeare for Teachers (3 credits)
- ENGL 4700 Advanced Author Topics (3 credits)
- ENGL 4706 Advanced Culture Topics (3 credits)
- ENGL 4707 Advanced Film Topics (3 credits)
- ENGL 4708 Advanced Genre Topics (3 credits)
- ENGL 4709 Advanced Period Topics (3 credits)
- PHIL 2240 Aesthetics (3 credits)

### WRITING ELECTIVES

Select 3 credits from the following courses:

- ENGL 3115 Writing Fiction I (3 credits)
- ENGL 3125 Writing Poetry I (3 credits)
- ENGL 3145 Writing Creative Nonfiction I (3 credits)
- ENGL 3155 Professional Writing (3 credits)
- ENGL 3177 Rhetoric of Social Media (3 credits)
- ENGL 3179 Elements of Digital Rhetoric (3 credits)
- ENGL 3183 Topics in Writing or Rhetoric (3 credits)
- ENGL 4183 Advanced Topics in Writing or Rhetoric (3 credits)

## SUGGESTED SEMESTER SCHEDULE FOR ENGLISH MAJOR, B.A.

The following is a list of suggested English Major, B.A. courses arranged

by year. This schedule is intended to help students plan their courses in an orderly fashion; however, these are only suggestions and this schedule is flexible.

### Freshman

- Liberal Education requirements

### Sophomore

- ENGL 2330 American Literature to 1865 (3 credits)
- ENGL 2337 American Literature from 1865 to Present (3 credits)
- ENGL 2357 British Literature to 1800 (3 credits)
- ENGL 2358 British Literature from 1800 to Present (3 credits)
- ENGL 2370 World Literature to 1600 (3 credits)  
or ENGL 2377 World Literature from 1600 to Present (3 credits)
- Complete Liberal Education requirements

### Junior

- ENGL 4420 Shakespeare and His Age (3 credits)  
or ENGL 4429 Shakespeare for Teachers (3 credits)
- English electives

### Senior

- ENGL 4455 Seminar: Literary Criticism and Theory (3 credits)
- English electives