

ENGLISH—ENGLISH EDUCATION CONCENTRATION—

To graduate, a student must complete at least 120 total credit hours & have a minimum 2.75 Cumulative GPA, , and no grade below a C (2.0) for any required course in the major (applies to the English courses listed below on the left) will be accepted.

THE MAJOR REQUIRES 43 HOURS AS FOLLOWS:

FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT: 6 Hours

Candidates are required to take six hours of a modern foreign language. Any six will fill the requirement, but three *more* hours may be necessary to meet the P6 liberal studies requirement.

CORE: (31 must take all of these)

- _____ ENGL 200 Introduction to English (1)
- _____ ENGL 240 Research, Literary Criticism, & British Literature (3)
- _____ ENGL 241 Formalism and American Literature (3)
- _____ ENGL 242 Cultural Studies and World Literature (3)
- _____ ENGL 278 Intro to Film Studies (3)
- _____ ENGL 312 Grammar for Teachers (3)
- _____ ENGL 319 The Teaching of Grammar (3)
- _____ ENGL 414 Fundamentals of Teaching Comp (3)
- _____ ENGL 416 Teaching English as a 2nd Language (3)
- _____ ENGL 431 Shakespeare and His Age (3)
- _____ ENGL 418 Fundamentals of Teaching Literature (3)

(6 hours) Upper Level Literature Electives

Six hours from any 300-400 level literature courses with an ENGL prefix OR EDRD 467, Adolescent Literature. Three of these hours may, but need not, be a course in film studies with an ENGL prefix (♦).

- ENGL 331 - Literary Theory
- ENGL 333 - Introduction to Shakespeare
- ENGL 350 - The Renaissance
- ENGL 351 - The Beats . . .
- ENGL 352 - The Journey in Literature
- ENGL 353 - Stories Retold
- ENGL 364 - Southern Literature
- ENGL 365 - African-American Writings
- ENGL 366 - Lit of Am Immigration
- ENGL 367 - Appalachian Literature
- ENGL 368 - Film Genres (♦)
- ENGL 370 - The Short Story
- ENGL 394 - Film Studies (♦)
- ENGL 378 - Motion Picture Hist (♦)
- ENGL 390 - The Bible as Lit
- ENGL 411 - History of the English Language
- ENGL 420 - Chaucer and His Age
- ENGL 421 - Fairy Tale Literature
- ENGL 430 - Engl Lit of Renaissance
- ENGL 440 - Milton and His Age
- ENGL 441 - Pope, Swift, and Johnson
- ENGL 451 - 19thC Brit Writers ENGL 455 - The English Novel
- ENGL 450 - Major Am and Brit Writers
- ENGL 463 - American Literature Since 1945
- ENGL 464 - Native Am Literature
- ENGL 469 - Dir/Screenwriters/Stars(♦)
- ENGL 470 - Twentieth-Century & Contemporary Postcolonial Lit
- ENGL 471 - Modern Poetry
- ENGL 472 - Modern Fiction/ENGL 473 - Modern Drama
- ENGL 475 - The American Novel
- ENGL 477 - Literature and Gender/ENGL 478 - Film Theory (♦)
- ENGL 480 - Studies in English
- ENGL 498 - Senior Seminar in Literature
- ENGL 496 - Seminar in Comp Lit

LIBERAL STUDIES (LS) REQUIREMENT:

Please attached completed LS or General Education Checksheet to verify completion.

_____ Liberal Studies Requirements (42 hours)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION SEQUENCE: ENGLISH

The professional education sequence for secondary and special subject teaching is required to complete the program. Students must take at least 32 hours at the junior-senior level at WCU in order to satisfy general university requirements.

The teacher education program requires a professional education sequence, typically ranging from twenty-one to thirty-two semester hours in courses pertinent to teaching in specific areas and at various levels. All courses in the sequence except internship/student teaching and the internship/student-teaching seminar must be completed before admission to internship or student teaching.

The professional education sequence is currently under construction; it seems likely that it will comprise at least nine hours, whose titles are under discussion; in English education, it may contain an additional course in special education methods. However, these changes are not effective in fall 2009, so candidates under the 2009 catalog will follow the 2006-2007 checksheet for the professional education sequence until/unless they move to a newer catalog. Both catalogs contain the following:

_____ ENGL 417 Methods of Teaching English (3)

_____ EDSE 484 Supervised Internship I (3)

Intern II Semester (must register for only these three in final semester):

_____ EDSE 485 Supervised Internship II (6)

_____ ENGL 491 Supervised Student Teaching in Engl. (3)

_____ EDSE 495 Seminar Supervised Student Teaching (3)

GENERAL ELECTIVES (GE)

To graduate, a student must complete at least **120 total credit hours**. The courses above total 112-115 hours (if you take Internship I), so remember to take at least two general electives to pass 120 hours. The program particularly recommends our upper-level writing courses, additional modern foreign languages, and additional courses in literature and film.

