

BA/BS MAJOR IN ENGLISH

Requirements for a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science Degree with a Major in English

Additional Graduation Requirements (<https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/academic-procedures-requirements/graduation-requirements>)

Code	Title	Hours
General Education Component (https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/academic-procedures-requirements/general-education-component)		
Area I (Written Composition) ¹ 6		
Area II (Humanities and Fine Arts) 12		
Area III (Natural Sciences and Mathematics) 11		
Area IV (History, Social and Behavioral Sciences) 12		
Area V (https://www.una.edu/areav)		
Major Core Requirements in English		
Select three hours from the following pre-19th century British literature courses:		3
EN 303	Restoration and Eighteenth-Century British Literature	
EN 371	English Drama	
EN 401	Chaucer	
EN 402	Milton	
EN 403	Shakespeare	
Select three hours from the following American literature courses:		3
EN 305	African-American Women Writers	
EN 405	African-American Literature	
EN 450	Folklore of the American South	
EN 452	The American Novel	
EN 460	Literature of the American Frontier	
EN 464	The Contemporary American Novel	
Select three hours from the following literature of diversity courses:		3
EN 305	African-American Women Writers	
EN 331	Contemporary Global Literature	
EN 333	Images of Women in Literature	
EN 405	African-American Literature	
EN 463	Studies in Contemporary Global Literature	
Select three hours from the following writing intensive courses:		3
EN 310W	Advanced Composition	
EN 355W	Genres in Creative Writing	
EN 472W	Rhetoric: Argument and Style	
Prescribed Supporting Course		
CIS 125	Business Applications of Microcomputer Software	3
or ED 381	Instructional Technology for the High School	

Major Concentration Requirements

Select one from the following options:

Option I: Literature (<https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/arts-sciences/english/#literature>)

Option II: Professional Writing (<https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/arts-sciences/english/#professionalwriting>)

Option III: Language Arts (<https://catalog.una.edu/undergraduate/colleges-programs/arts-sciences/english/#languagearts>) ²

Minor

A minor, second major or second degree is required for Option I and Option II majors

Total Hours 53

¹ For BA degree, select six hours of a required foreign language at the introductory level

² Select an additional 24 hours above the 200 level.

Option I: Literature

Code	Title	Hours
Select three hours from the following courses with a language, history of language, or rhetoric concentration:		
EN 306	Introduction to English Linguistics	
EN 441	History of the English Language	
EN 442	Survey of Grammar	
EN 472W	Rhetoric: Argument and Style	
EN 360	Literary Criticism	3
EN 491W	Senior Seminar	3
Select 18 hours from English electives (300- 400 level) with at least 12 of these hours in literature courses ¹		18
Total Hours		27

¹ i.e. English courses other than those in writing, rhetoric, language, or film studies

Option II: Professional Writing

Code	Title	Hours
Required Component		
EN 339W	Technical Writing	3
EN 310W	Advanced Composition	3
EN 355W	Genres in Creative Writing	3
EN 445W	Multimodal Writing	3
EN 489W	Professional Writing Portfolio Workshop	3
Elective Component		
Select a total of 12 required hours from the two sections listed below: 12		
EN 434W	Language and Gender	
EN 396W	Writing about Film	
EN 435W	Writing Protest and Dissent	
EN 439	Technical Editing	
EN 440W	Grant Writing and Management	
EN 444W	Grant Writing for the Creative Writer	
EN 455W	Advanced Creative Writing: Fiction and Drama	
EN 456W	Advanced Creative Writing: Poetry and Creative Nonfiction	
EN 475W	Literacy, Culture, and Writing	
EN 490	English Internship/Practicum	
EN 495W	Selected Topics in Writing	

Language/History and Language/Rhetoric

Select three hours from the following: 3

EN 441	History of the English Language	
EN 442	Survey of Grammar	
EN 472W	Rhetoric: Argument and Style	
Total Hours		30

Option III: Language Arts

Code	Title	Hours
English Component		
British/World Literature Course ¹		3
EN 306	Introduction to English Linguistics	3
EN 323	Literature for Young Adults ²	3
EN 324	The Oral Tradition	3
EN 403	Shakespeare	3
EN 443	Instruction of Composition	3
Communications Component		
COM 205	Communication in a Global Age	3
COM 215	Media Writing	3
COM 220	Basic Reporting	3
COM 330	Group Communication	3
COM 368	Copy Editing	3
TH 210	Theatre Appreciation	3
TH 220	Acting I	3
Total Hours		39

¹ 300 or 400 level replaces pre-19th Century British Literature requirement in English Core

² At least 3 hours in a literature course