

BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH A MAJOR IN ENGLISH WITH GRADES 7-12 CERTIFICATION (BA)

Degree Requirements

CIP: 23.0101.00

Hours Required

120 semester credit hours (SCH): 45 hours must be advanced, with fulfillment of degree requirements as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation (<https://catalog.tamtu.edu/undergraduate-information/academic-regulations/>)" section of this catalog.

Requirements

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
[University Core Curriculum] (https://catalog.tamtu.edu/appendix-a-core-curriculum-optional-course-information/)		
	Select 42 SCH as outlined in the suggested plans and as specified in the "Requirements for Graduation." English majors must choose a Survey of Literature course as their Language, Philosophy and Culture component in the core	42
Life & Physical Science Lab		
	Select 1 SCH compatible with Life & Physical Science course	1
Foreign Language/Study Abroad		
	Students must complete 6 SCH to fulfill the foreign language requirement/ study abroad requirement. This may be met by completing one of the following options:	6
	1. Foreign Language Coursework: Students may take up to 6 SCH of foreign language* coursework (not credit by exam).	
	2. Study Abroad: Students may take up to 6 SCH in any subject through a TAMU-approved study abroad program, provided they live in another country for at least 2 weeks.	
	3. Foreign Language/ Study Abroad Coursework: Students may combine 3 SCH of study abroad with 3 SCH of foreign language coursework, following the guidelines previously provided.	
Major		
ENGL 4399	Senior Seminar - WIN	3
Surveys of Literature		
	Select 6 SCH (in addition to the sophomore survey of literature course taken as part of the Core Curriculum) from the following:	6
ENGL 2322	British Lit Through Neoclass	
ENGL 2323	British Lit: Romanticism-Pres	
ENGL 2327	American Lit to the Civil War	
ENGL 2328	American Lit: Civil War-Pres	
ENGL 2332	Survey of World Lit to 1650	
ENGL 2333	Survey of World Lit Since 1650	
ENGL 2345	Literary Genres	

ENGL 2351	Mexican American Literature	
Language Studies		
Select 3 SCH from the following:		3
ENGL 3390	History of the English Lang	
ENGL 4313	English Grammar	
ENGL 4390	Studies in Language	
English Pedagogy		
ENGL 3361	Multicultural Children's Lit	3
or ENGL 3362	Young Adult Literature	
ENGL 4301	The Teaching of Composition	3
Shakespeare		
Select 3 SCH from the following:		3
ENGL 4322	Shakespeare's Major Plays	
ENGL 4323	Shakespeare in Performance	
ENGL 4324	Women in Shakespeare	
ENGL 4325	Studies in Shakespeare	
American Literature		
Select 6 SCH from the following:		6
ENGL 3330	Early American Literature	
ENGL 3331	Late 19th Century American Lit	
ENGL 3332	Early 20th Century American Lt	
ENGL 3333	Late 20th Century American Lit	
ENGL 3334	Early 19th Century Ame Lit	
ENGL 4330	Studies in American Literature	
ENGL 4331	Major American Authors	
ENGL 4334	American Literary Renaissance	
ENGL 4335	Minority Voices	
ENGL 4336	Chicano/a Literature	
ENGL 4337	Harlem Renaissance	
ENGL 4339	Reading Nature in American Lit	
British Literature		
Select 6 SCH from the following:		6
ENGL 3320	The Middle Ages	
ENGL 3322	The 17th Century	
ENGL 3324	19th Cent Brit. Lit: Romanticism	
ENGL 3326	British Lit from 1900 to WWII	
ENGL 3327	British Lit from WWII to Pres	
ENGL 4320	Studies in English Literature	
ENGL 4321	Major British Authors	
ENGL 4322	Shakespeare's Major Plays	
ENGL 4323	Shakespeare in Performance	
ENGL 4324	Women in Shakespeare	
ENGL 4325	Studies in Shakespeare	
World Literature		
Select 3 SCH from 3000-4000 level World Literature courses		3
ENGL 3341	Great Bks: Classic to Renais	
ENGL 3342	Great Bks: Renais to Present	
ENGL 3351	World Mythology	
ENGL 3352	World Folklore	

ENGL 4340	Studies in World Literature	
ENGL 4341	Major World Authors	
ENGL 4342	The Bible as Literature	
ENGL 4343	Literature and Common Law	
ENGL 4347	Movement and Eras	
Advanced ENGL Elective		
Select 3 SCH from 3000-4000 level ENGL courses		3
Professional Education Core		
EDCI 1102	Intro to Teaching Profession	1
EDCI 2224	Cultural Foundations of Ed	2
EDCI 3200	Survey of Content Know & Exper	2
EDCI 3301	Assessment for Instruc Design	3
EDCI 3302	Teaching Eng Lang Learners	3
EDCI 3315	Impl Eff Inst Strat Div Lrnrs	3
EDCI 4310	Engaging Learners	3
EDCI 4693	Clinical Teaching	6
EDSE 4350	Inc Pract Ch&Yth W/Disablts	3
EDRD 3320	Content Reading	3
General Electives		
Select 3 SCH from any discipline, outside the College of Nursing and Health Sciences.		3
Total Semester Credit Hours		120

* Foreign Language/Study Abroad: For Spanish courses, a Spanish placement exam must be taken before course enrollment to identify competency level.

Four-Year Degree Plan

Following is a suggested four-year degree plan. Students are encouraged to see their advisor each semester for help with program decisions and enrollment; responsible for reviewing the **Program of Study Requirements**, meeting all course prerequisites, and **writing intensive course (WIN)** requirements for graduation. See Academic Regulations-Undergraduate online. (<https://catalog.tamui.edu/undergraduate-information/academic-regulations/>)

Freshman

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
ENGL 1301	English Composition I	3
HIST 1301	The US to 1877	3
UNIV 1201	Learn a Global Context I	2
Mathematics Core Course		3
Life & Physical Science		3
Life & Physical Science Lab		1
Foreign Language/Study Abroad		3
Semester Credit Hours		18

Spring

ENGL 1302	English Composition II	3
HIST 1302	The US Since 1877	3
EDCI 1102	Intro to Teaching Profession	1
UNIV 1302	Signature Course	3
Creative Arts		3

Foreign Language/Study Abroad	3
Semester Credit Hours	16

Sophomore

Fall

EDCI 2224	Cultural Foundations of Ed	2
PSCI 2305	American National Government	3
PSYC 2314	Lifespan Growth&Development	3
Language, Philosophy, & Culture		3
Life & Physical Science		3
Life & Physical Science Lab		1
Semester Credit Hours		15

Spring

EDCI 3200	Survey of Content Know & Exper	2
PSCI 2306	American State Government	3
ENGL - Survey of Literature		3
ENGL - Survey of Literature		3
ENGL - Advanced World Lit Elective		3
Semester Credit Hours		14

Junior

Fall

EDCI 3301	Assessment for Instruc Design	3
EDCI 3302	Teaching Eng Lang Learners	3
ENGL 3362	Young Adult Literature	3
or ENGL 3361	or Multicultural Children's Lit	
ENGL - Advanced American Lit Elective		3
ENGL - Advanced British Lit Elective		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Spring

EDRD 3320	Content Reading	3
ENGL 4301	The Teaching of Composition	3
ENGL - Shakespeare ²		3
ENGL - Advanced English Lit Elective		3
Language Studies Elective		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Senior

Fall

EDCI 3315	Impl Eff Inst Strat Div Lrnrs	3
EDCI 4310	Engaging Learners	3
ENGL 4399	Senior Seminar - WIN ³	3
ENGL - Advanced American Lit Elective		3
ENGL - Advanced British Lit Elective		3
General Elective		3
Semester Credit Hours		18

Spring

EDCI 4693	Clinical Teaching ⁴	6
EDSE 4350	Inc Pract Ch&Yth W/Disablts	3
Semester Credit Hours		9
Total Semester Credit Hours		120

- ¹ Language, Philosophy, & Culture: Select 3 SCH from ENGL 2322, 2323, 2327, 2328, 2332, or 2333.
- ² Shakespeare options (ENGL 4322, 4323, 4324, or 4325) are offered on rotation in fall, spring, and summer semesters.
- ³ ENGL 4399 is offered in Fall and Spring semesters.
- ⁴ Students are admitted to student teaching only after passing the certification exam to teach secondary English.
- * No English course/topic may be utilized for credit for more than one English degree requirement.
Students must apply for admission to the College of Education while enrolled in EDCI 3200.

*Actual degree plans may vary depending on
availability of courses in a given semester.*

Some courses may require prerequisites not listed.