

English

Undergraduate Degree Programs

Mission: The Department of English, Foreign Languages, and Speech Communication enables students to communicate clearly, to think critically, to develop an understanding of self and others, and to demonstrate an understanding and appreciation of aesthetic principles underlying the study of language, literature, oral communication, and composition. The department is dedicated to preparing its students to become significant contributors to society by promoting student engagement in critical/analytical processes, performance, student organizations, travel abroad, co-curricular activities, and state-of-the-art facilities and equipment that enhance each student's experience in the department and the university.

OUTCOME MEASURES

The competencies of undergraduate English majors will be determined by a variety of program and course assessments and are as follows:

- Students in the undergraduate degree programs will demonstrate language and writing proficiency.
- Students will demonstrate an ability to think analytically and make critical judgments during intellectual inquiry.
- Students pursuing a career in teaching will demonstrate sound content and pedagogical knowledge.
- Students will be able to read, write, and speak effectively in English and at least one foreign language.

Areas of Concentration

Major Course Requirements in English

ENG 303 (3); 331 or 332 (3); 319, 320 (6); 321, 322 (6); 421 or 424 (3); 423 or 429 (3); 436 (3); one genre course (3); one period course (3); one genre or period course (3); 418 or 419 (3); 495W (3)

Support Courses

Modern Foreign Languages (12)

Electives (18)

Courses Required for Teacher Certification

EDCI 100(3), 401(3), 402(3); COUN 315(3); RE 455(3); SS 301(3); SPED 311(3); ETEC 367(3); 315 (3); 367 (3); 401 (3); 402 (12)

ENG 218 (3); 303 (3); 331 (3), 332 (3); 402 (3); 316(3); 319, 320, (6); 321, 322, (6); 421 or 424 (3); 423 or 429 (3); 436 (3); 495W (3)

Requirements for a Minor in English

ENG 303 (3); 331 or 332 (3); 319, 320 (6); 321, 322 (6); 421, 424, 423, or 429 (3)