

English

Degree Awarded: Bachelor of Arts

Requirements for the Major: 45 credits plus 3 prerequisite credits

A strong background in English has become increasingly essential. Companies seek English majors for positions in management, personnel, editing, copy writing, advertising, public relations, technical writing, research, and publishing. The major in English also prepares students for graduate studies.

Prerequisites for courses for the major:

Essential Competencies-Outcome Iterations

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ENGL 111	Interpretation of Literature	3	х			х		х			

These prerequisites will not be counted in computing the GPA for the major.

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Essential Competencies-Outcome Iterations

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ENGL 150	Introduction to English Studies	2		х					х
ENGL 202 or	Introduction to Creative Writing: Poetry or	3			х	х	х		
ENGL 204 or	Introduction to Creative Writing: Nonfiction or				х	х	х		ł
ENGL 206	Introduction to Creative Writing: Fiction				х	х	х		
ENGL 205	Writing and Design	3			х		х		ł
ENGL 232	Survey of American Literature	3						х	
ENGL 242	Survey of British Literature	3							
ENGL 250	Topics in Writing	3			х				
ENGL 301	Topics in Language	3			х			х	
ENGL 302	Advanced Creative Writing	3			х				
ENGL 311	Literary Theory	3							
ENGL 317	Diverse American Voices	3	х	х				х	
ENGL 322	Linguistics	3					х	х	
ENGL 402	Editing and Publishing	3			х				>
*ENGL 452	Topics in Literature	3				х			
ENGL 480	Topics in Rhetoric	3				х		х	
ENGL 484	Directed Research	1		х					
ENGL 485	English Capstone	3			х				>
*Double majors	in Education take ENGL 217 in place of 452							<u> </u>	<u> </u>
*ENGL 217	Literature for Children and Adolescents	3			х				>

The area of concentration's course grades <u>will</u> be counted in computing the 2.5 GPA required for graduating in the English major. Student teaching <u>will</u> be counted in computing the GPA for the Education major, but <u>will not</u> count in computing the GPA for the English major.

This information must be used in conjunction with the 2020-2021 Grand View University Catalog and does not reflect a student's official record of progress. Students are expected to use the Progress tool found on myView > GV Self Service when monitoring and planning coursework. Other available resources include: Course Planning Documents (found on myView under Academics) and the faculty and staff who work with academic requirements.