

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND HUMAN SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
Bachelor of Arts
Major: English
Option: Literature, Language, and Culture
Track: Cultural Studies
For students graduating in 2009

Student Name: _____ Student Number: _____

E-address: _____ Year of Graduation: _____

The B.A. in English, the Literature, Language, and Culture Option and Cultural Studies Track, requires 50 hours in English distributed as follows¹ and 120 hours overall:

I. Major Requirements. The English Core **16 Hours**

Introduction to Critical Reading	(3) _____ ENGL 2604
Introduction to English Studies	(1) _____ ENGL 2614 ²
Survey of British Literature I	(3) _____ ENGL 2515
Survey of British Literature II	(3) _____ ENGL 2516 ³
Survey of American Literature I or	(3) _____ ENGL 2525 or
Survey of American Literature II	(3) _____ ENGL 2526
Shakespeare's Early Plays or	(3) _____ ENGL 4165 or
Shakespeare's Later Plays	(3) _____ ENGL 4166

II. Major Requirements. Cultural Studies Track **19 Hours**

Two Courses in Literary and Cultural Criticism:

Literary and Cultural Criticism ⁴ and	(3) _____ ENGL 3354 and
Advanced Topics in Literary and Cultural Criticism	(3) _____ ENGL 4024

A Course in Women's Literature, African-American Literature, or Post-colonial Literature (Choose 1):

Topics in Literature by Women or	(3) _____ ENGL 3364 or
African-American Literature or	(3) _____ ENGL 3634 or
Post-colonial Cultural Studies	(3) _____ ENGL 3644 or

A Course in Literature and Film

Literature and Film	(3) _____ ENGL/COMM 3544
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A Course in Contemporary Literature or Culture (Choose 1):

Contemporary Poetry or	(3) _____ ENGL 4514 or
Contemporary Fiction or	(3) _____ ENGL 4664 or
Studies in Contemporary Culture	(3) _____ ENGL 4674

¹ Completion of the first-year writing requirement is a prerequisite for all English courses at the 2000 level or above.

² 2614 is a co-requisite of 2604.

³ Students may also use English 2515 and 2516 to satisfy Area II of the Liberal Education Curriculum.

⁴ English 2604 is a pre-requisite for this class.

A Capstone Course

Senior Seminar (3) _____ ENGL 4784

A Course in Portfolio Development⁵

Senior Portfolio Development in Literature, Language, and Culture (1) _____ ENGL 4774

III. Major Requirements. Free Electives in English 15 hours

Students in the Cultural Studies track are encouraged, but not required, to take the following courses among their free electives in English: ENGL 3154: Literature, Medicine, and Culture; ENGL 3514: Ethnic Literature for Children; ENGL 3524: Literature for Children; ENGL 3534: Literature and Ecology; ENGL 4044: Language and Society; ENGL 4424: Digital Literary Culture.

15 hours of English electives (no more than 3 hours below the 3000-level; at least 6 hours at the 4000-level) (3) _____ (3) _____
 (3) _____ (3) _____
 (3) _____

Satisfactory progress towards the B.A. in English in the Cultural Studies Track of the Literature, Language, and Culture Option requires that, upon having attempted 72 credits (including transfer, advanced placement, advanced standing, credit by examination, and course withdrawal), students must have passed 12 of the required credits in Section I and have attained a GPA of 2.0 or better both within the major and overall.

In order to enroll in the Cultural Studies Track of the Literature, Language, and Culture Option, students must have completed both 2515 and 2516 and either 2525 or 2526 with an average of 2.0 or better and have completed 2604 with a grade of C or better.

In order to graduate, students must complete their degrees with a GPA of 2.0 or better both within the English major and overall. All English courses (except 1105, 1106, H1204) are factored into the in-major GPA.

IV. University Liberal Education Requirements 36 hours

Students who first enrolled in the university in the fall of 2005 and who graduate in 2009 are subject to the Speaking/Visual/Writing requirement. Students in this situation should see their advisors for information about how this requirement will be satisfied and documented for the purpose of satisfying graduation requirements. It is the policy of the English Department that no student will be adversely affected by this requirement if courses and/or experiences are not yet in place for them to complete prior to graduation.

Area I Writing and Discourse

6 hours (3) _____ ENGL 1105 **and**
 (3) _____ ENGL 1106 **or**
 (3) _____ ENGL H1204

Area II Human Ideas, Cultural Traditions, and Values

⁵ ENGL 4774 is a co-requisite of ENGL 4784.

6 hours Select from approved Liberal Education Curriculum Courses. (3) _____ and (3) _____

Area III Society and Human Behavior

6 hours Select from approved Liberal Education Curriculum Courses. (3) _____ and (3) _____

Area IV Scientific Reasoning and Discovery

6 Hours Select from approved Liberal Education Curriculum Courses. (3) _____ and (3) _____

Area V Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning

6 hours Select from approved Liberal Education Curriculum Courses. (3) _____ and (3) _____

Area VI Creativity and Aesthetic Experience

3 hours Select from approved Liberal Education Curriculum Courses. (3) _____

Area VII Critical Issues In a Global Context

3 hours Select from approved Liberal Education Curriculum Courses. (3) _____

V. Free Electives for Degree

34 hours

(3) ____ (3) ____ (3) ____ (3) ____ (3) ____ (3) ____ (3) ____ (3) ____ (3) ____
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VI. Foreign Language

0 Hours Toward Degree

3 years in high school ____ or
 2 years in high school plus (3) ____ FL 1106 or
 Less than 2 years in high school plus (0) ____ FL 1105 and
 (0) ____ FL 1106

The six credits of college-level foreign language used to meet the foreign language requirement may not be used to satisfy the minimum hours requirement.