English, B.A.
Creative Writing Concentration
2023–24 Catalog

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This example plan is designed to provide a blueprint for students to complete their degrees within four years. It includes recommended sequences of courses. Individual plans will vary based on previously earned credit, such as Dual Enrollment and AP credit, as well as the student's academic goals. Students will work with an academic advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree.

This example four-year plan is applicable to students admitted during the 2023–24 academic year.

Total credits required: 120 credits
Required GPA for graduation: 2.0 (institutional)

Courses requiring a C or better are denoted with an asterisk (*).

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Year 1							
Fall				**Spring**			
Course	**Title**	**Hours**	**Area**	**Course**	**Title**	**Hours**	**Area**
ENGL 0001	First-Year Academic Seminar	1		ENGL 1102*	English Composition II (pre-req to ENGL 2130, 2150, 2200, and 2208)	3	A
ENGL 1101*	English Composition I (pre-req to ENGL 1102)	3	A	ENGL 2120* or ENGL 2310* or ENGL 2315*	Intro to British Literature or Postcolonial Literature or America's Diverse Lit Heritage	3	F
ENGL 2110*	World Literature	3	C	Core Area A	Math (student's choice)	3	A
Core Area C	Fine Arts (student's choice)	3	C	GC1Y 1000	Critical Thinking	3	B
Core Area E	Social Science (student's choice)	3	E	Lang 1002	World Language II (1002-level)	3	Elective
Lang 1001	World Language I (1001-level)	3	Elective				
Semester Hours		**16**		**Semester Hours**		**15**	
Notes:	Students must complete a world language course at the 2002 level or higher. Complete the WebCAPE exam to determine placement for first course. Area A and GC1Y 1000 must be completed by 30 earned hours. First-Year Seminar does not count toward 120 hours required for graduation.						

Year 2

Fall				Spring			
Course	**Title**	**Hours**	**Area**	**Course**	**Title**	**Hours**	**Area**
ENGL 2208*	Intro to Creative Writing (pre-req to intermediate genre courses)	3	F	ENGL 2150*	Intro to Shakespeare	3	F
ENGL 2130*	American Literature	3	F	ENGL 2200*	Engaging Texts	3	F
GC2Y 2000	Global Perspectives	4	B	Core Area D	Science with Lab (student's choice)	4	D
Core Area D	Math, Science, or Technology (student's choice)	3	D	Core Area E	Social Science (student's choice)	3	E
Lang 2001	World Language III (2001-level)	3	Elective	Lang 2002	World Language IV (2002-level)	3	F
Semester Hours		**16**		**Semester Hours**		**16**	
Notes:	GC2Y 2000 must be taken between 30–59 earned hours.						

Year 3

Fall				Spring			
Course	**Title**	**Hours**	**Area**	**Course**	**Title**	**Hours**	**Area**
ENGL Course*	Intermediate genre course (3000-level, see catalog for options; pre-req to corresponding Workshop course in same genre)	3	Major	ENGL Course*	Intermediate genre course (3000-level, see catalog for options; pre-req to corresponding Workshop course in same genre)	3	Major
ENGL Elective*	4000-level ENGL elective in American literature	3	Major	ENGL Elective*	4000-level ENGL elective in pre-1800 literature	3	Major
Core Area D	Math, Science, or Technology (student's choice)	4	D	ENGL Elective*	Any 4000-level ENGL elective	3	Major
Core Area E	Social Science (student's choice)	3	E	Gen Elective	Any general elective course	3	Elective
Gen Elective	Any general elective course	3	Elective	Upper-Level Gen Elective	3000- or 4000-level general elective	3	Elective
Semester Hours		**16**		**Semester Hours**		**15**	
Notes:	General electives can be in any discipline and any level (1000–4999, unless specified as upper-level). Students are encouraged to use elective hours to complete requirements for a minor.						

Year 4							
Fall				**Spring**			
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area
ENGL Course*	Workshop (see Notes below; pre-req to ENGL 4031)	3	Major	ENGL Course*	Workshop (see Notes below)	3	Major
ENGL Course*	Language Analysis course (4000-level, see catalog for options)	3	Major	ENGL 4031*	Creative Writing Senior Seminar	3	Major
ENGL Course*	Senior Capstone (see catalog for options)	3	Major	Gen Elective	Any general elective course	3	Elective
Gen Elective	Any general elective course	3	Elective	Upper-Level Gen Elective	3000- or 4000-level general elective	3	Elective
Gen Elective	Any general elective course	3	Elective				
Semester Hours		**15**		**Semester Hours**		**12**	
Notes:	Workshops must be in the same genres chosen for Intermediate genre courses in Year 3. ENGL 4031: Creative Writing Senior Seminar serves as the Senior Exit Exam. General electives can be in any discipline and any level (1000–4999, unless specified as upper-level).						

Legend	
Area	**This section of the plan references the area of the curriculum the course fulfills.**
A	Core Area A: Essential Skills
B	Core Area B: Institutional Options
C	Core Area C: Humanities, Ethics, and Fine Arts
D	Core Area D: Science, Technology, and Math
E	Core Area E: Social Sciences
F	Core Area F: Major Directed Core Requirements
Major	English Major Requirements
Elective	Course(s) a student selects. Hours are needed to meet overall graduation hours. Number of electives varies per major. Electives can be used towards GC Journeys, minors, or professional/graduate school pre-requisites, or to take courses of interest.