

English for Teacher Certification, BA (ENGT)

University Requirements

Please see the [University Requirements](#) section of this catalog.

Major Requirements

Literature Menu

Select 12 total hours of literature courses; at least 3 hours must be in British literature.

Sophomore Literature (Choose 6 hours)

- [ENGL 221 — Major British Writers I](#) Credit Hours: 3 *
- [ENGL 222 — Major British Writers II](#) Credit Hours: 3 *~~or~~
- [ENGL 262 — American Literature Before 1900](#) Credit Hours: 3 *
- ~~ENGL 222 — Major British Writers II~~ Credit Hours: 3
- ~~or~~
- [ENGL 263 — American Literature After 1900](#) Credit Hours: 3 *
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- *Hours may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours

American Literature

Choose from (3-6 credits):

- [ENGL 362 - American Literature Before 1860](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 363 - American Literature After 1860](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 373 - African American Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 446 - Topics in American Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3 ***
- [ENGL 464 - American Novel](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 470 - Multicultural Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3
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- ***Students may apply one topics course in one area section, plus one other topics course in the Advanced English Selection; all others will count as electives.

British Literature After 1700

Choose from (0-3 credits):

- ENGL 449 - Topics in British Literature After 1700 Credit Hours: 3 ***
- ENGL 495 - Eighteenth-Century British Literature Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 496 - Nineteenth-Century British Literature Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 497 - Twentieth-Century British Literature Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 498 - 21st Century British Literature Credit Hours: 3
- ***Students may apply one topics course in one area section, plus one other topics course in the Advanced English Selection; all others will count as electives.

Total: 6 Credit Hours

Required English

- ENGL 301 -- Introduction to English Studies Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 311 -- Literary Theory and Criticism Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 325 -- Advanced Composition Credit Hours: 3 (writing-intensive course)
- ENGL 330 -- Advanced English Grammar Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 351 -- Literature for Young Adults Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 459 -- English for Secondary Teachers Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 483 -- Shakespeare Credit Hours: 3

American Literature

NOTE: Students who take ENGL 221/ENGL 222 are not required to take a course from British Literature After 1700. Students who take ENGL 262/ENGL 263 are required to take only 3 hours from American Literature.

Choose from (3-6 credits):

- ENGL 362 -- American Literature Before 1860 Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 363 -- American Literature After 1860 Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 373 -- African American Literature Credit Hours: 3
- ENGL 446 -- Topics in American Literature Credit Hours: 3 ***

- ~~ENGL 464 – American Novel Credit Hours: 3~~
- ~~ENGL 470 – Multicultural Literature Credit Hours: 3~~
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Advanced English Selection

Choose from (3 credits):

- [ENGL 320 - Creative Nonfiction Workshop](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 321 - Screenwriting](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 322 - Fiction Workshop](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 323 - Poetry Workshop](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 324 - Play Writing Workshop](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 331 - Narrative for Film and New Media](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 332 - Introduction to Film Studies](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 333 - Studies in World Cinema](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 376 - Fiction](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 377 - Drama](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 378 - Poetry](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 432 - Introduction to Linguistics](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 441 - Topics in Literary Criticism and Bibliography](#) Credit Hours: 3 ***
- [ENGL 442 - Topics in Writing](#) Credit Hours: 3 ***

- [ENGL 443 - Topics in the English Language](#) Credit Hours: 3 ***
- [ENGL 445 - Topics in Teaching English and Reading](#) Credit Hours: 3 ***
- [ENGL 447 - Topics in General Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3 ***
- [ENGL 448 - Topics in British Literature Before 1700](#) Credit Hours: 3 ***
- [ENGL 471 - Literature and Belief](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 472 - Film and Belief](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 481 - Medieval British Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ENGL 484 - Seventeenth-Century British Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3
- Any literature course listed above
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- ***Students may apply one topics course in one area section, plus one other topics course in the Advanced English Selection; all others will count as electives.

Capstone

- [ENGL 499 - Studies in World Literature](#) Credit Hours: 3 (writing-intensive & capstone course)

Foreign Language

- [FLLA 221 - Intermediate Latin I](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [FLLA 222 - Intermediate Latin II](#) Credit Hours: 3
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- or
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- [FREN 221 - Intermediate French I](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [FREN 222 - Intermediate French II](#) Credit Hours: 3
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- or
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- [GER 221 - Intermediate German I](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [GER 222 - Intermediate German II](#) Credit Hours: 3
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- or
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- [SPAN 221 - Intermediate Spanish I](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [SPAN 222 - Intermediate Spanish II](#) Credit Hours: 3
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History

- ~~HIST 100-299 - 3 Hours*~~

~~*Hours may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours.~~

Total: ~~3942~~ Credit Hours

Professional Education Requirements

Please see [Teacher Education](#) for additional program requirements including GPA and course stipulations.

Reading

- [READ 322 - Disciplinary Literacies](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [READ 363 - Foundations of Reading](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [EDUC 476 - Effective Teaching Strategies for English Learners](#) Credit Hours: 3

Education

- [EDUC 211 - Introduction to Education: Culture and Contexts](#) Credit Hours: 3 *
- [EDUC 412 - Secondary Curriculum and Media](#) Credit Hours: 3 (capstone course)
- [EDUC 432 - Secondary Management and Methods](#) Credit Hours: 3 (writing-intensive and capstone course)
- [EDUC 490 - Clinical Teaching](#) Credit Hours: 6 (capstone course)
- [SPED 371 - Teaching Students with Special Needs](#) Credit Hours: 3
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Choose 1 of the following courses:

- [EDUC 221 - Educational Psychology](#) Credit Hours: 3 *
- [PSYC 232 - Developmental Psychology](#) Credit Hours: 3 *
- [PSYC 241 - Cognition and Learning](#) Credit Hours: 3
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Total: 24-27 Credit Hours

Electives

Minimum - ~~3-6-5-14~~ Credit Hours

Total Major Hours: ~~7274~~

Criteria for Admission to Teacher Education

In accordance with Texas state law, students must meet the admission criteria described on [Teacher Education](#).

Other Graduation Requirements

Minimum GPA for graduation: 2.75

Minimum advanced hours: 33

Minimum total hours: 128

*Courses numbered 0** do not count in minimum hours required for degree.*