



**BACHELOR of ARTS in ENGLISH (#662)**

**Professional Writing Concentration**

Department of English

College of Arts and Letters

Western Kentucky University

The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s). Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.

**SAMPLE – Finish in Four Plan**

FIRST YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
ENG 100-- College Writing (F-W1)	3	ENG 200-- Intro to Literature (F-AH)	3
HIST 101/102 (F-SB) <u>or</u> MATH (F-QR)	3	COMM 145-- Public Speaking (F-OC)	3
Natural & Physical Science (E-NS)	3	HIST 101/102 (F-SB) <u>or</u> MATH (F-QR)	3
Arts and Humanities (E-AH)	3	Social & Behavioral Science (E-SB)	3
Elective or Language*	3	Elective or Language <sup>†</sup>	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
ENG 299 (Intro to English Studies)	3	ENG 204 (English Language)	3
ENG 300--Writing in the Disciplines (F-W2)	3	ENG 306 (Business Writing) <u>or</u> ENG 307 (Technical Writing)	3
Minor Course	3	Minor Course	3
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Natural & Physical Science w/lab (E-LS)	3	Minor Course or Elective	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

THIRD YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Professional Writing Elective	3	Writing & Rhetoric Course	3
Professional Writing Elective	3	Professional Writing Elective	3
ENG 385 (World Literature)	3	Literature Survey	3
300/400-Level Literature Elective	3	Minor Course	3
Minor Course	3	Colonnade Connections (K-SC, K-LG, <u>or</u> K-SY)	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

\* **World Language Requirement:** Language Proficiency of a novice-high before completing 60 credit hours is required (or completion of 2<sup>nd</sup> level of a language). Two credits (or equivalent) of a single world language in High School satisfies this WKU requirement.

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FOURTH YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
ENG 414 (Professional Writing Capstone)	3	Professional Writing Elective	3
Literature Survey	3	Professional Writing Elective	3
Colonnade Connections ( <a href="#">K-SC</a> , <a href="#">K-LG</a> , <a href="#">or K-SY</a> )	3	Colonnade Connections ( <a href="#">K-SC</a> , <a href="#">K-LG</a> , <a href="#">or K-SY</a> )	3
Minor Course	3	Minor Course	3
Minor Course or Elective	3	Minor Course or Elective	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

**Total Credit Hours: 120**

For more details and courses offered in the Colonnade General Education program visit the [website](#).

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