



BACHELOR of ARTS in English for Secondary Teachers (561)

Department of English
Potter College of Arts & 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. Admission to Teacher Education is required to register for SEC classes.

SAMPLE – Finish in Four Plan

FIRST YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
ENG 100 – Intro to College Writing (F-W1)	3	ENG 200 – Introduction to Literature (F-AH)	3
COMM 145 – Fundamentals of Public Speaking and Communication (F-OC)	3	ENG 104 – Introduction to Linguistics	3
PSY 100 – Introduction to Psychology (E-SB)	3	THEA 151 – Theatre Appreciation (E-AH)	3
MATH 109, 115, or 116 (F-QR)	3	HIST 101 - World History I OR HIST 102 – World History II (F-SB)	3
Natural & Physical Science (E-NS)	3	Natural & Physical Science & Lab (E-NS, SL)	3
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15

SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
ENG 299 – Introduction to English Studies	3	ENG Survey (1 of 4)	3
ENG 300 – Writing in the Disciplines (F-W2)	3	ENG 301 – Argument and Analysis in Written Discourse	3
ENG Survey (1 of 4)	3	Specialty (1 of 4 - Clusters 2, 4, 5)	3
ENG 204 – English Language	3	Specialty (1 of 4 - Clusters 2, 4, 5)	3
EDU 250 – Introduction to Teacher Education	3	PSY 310 – Educational Psychology: Development and Learning General Education Course	3
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15

THIRD YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Specialty (Writing - Cluster #3)	3	SEC 350 – Clinical Practices in Secondary Teaching I	8
ENG Survey (1 of 4)	3	ENG 476 – Critical Approaches to Literature in the Secondary Curriculum	3
ENG Survey (1 of 4)	3	ENG 410 – Composition Theory and the Practice of Writing	3
Specialty (Clusters 2, 4, 5)	3	Specialty (1 of 4 - Clusters 2, 4, 5)	3
Connections (Systems) (K-SY)	3		

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	17
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FOURTH YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
ENG 416 – Senior Seminar	3	SEC 490 – Student Teaching	10
LTCY 421 – Content Area Reading in the Middle and Secondary Grades	3	EDU 489 Student Teaching Seminar	3
SEC 450 – Clinical Practices in Secondary Teaching II	1		
SEC 475 – Teaching Language Arts	3		
Connections (Local to Global) (K-LG)	3		
Connections (Social and Cultural) (K-SC)	3		
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	13

Total Credit Hours: 121

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

PLEASE NOTE: Prerequisites, Course Numbers, and Course Titles are subject to change. Consult your advisor each semester.

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

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