



**BACHELOR of ARTS in ENGLISH (561)**  
**English for Secondary Teachers**  
 Department of English  
 Potter 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.

**Success Markers**

**SAMPLE - 4 year plan**

<b>FIRST YEAR</b>  Visit <a href="#">The Learning Center</a> for free tutoring	<b>Fall Semester</b>		<b>Spring Semester</b>	
	ENG 100 –College Writing	3	ENG 200 – Introduction to Literature	3
	General Education Course A-II	3	ENG 104 – Introduction to Linguistics	3
	General Education Course A-III	3	THEA 151 – Theatre Appreciation	3
	PSY 100 – Introduction to Psychology	3	General Education Course	3
	General Education Course	3	General Education Course	3
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

<b>SECOND YEAR</b>  Volunteer or Join a Student Organization	<b>Fall Semester</b>		<b>Spring Semester</b>	
	ENG 299 – Introduction to English Studies	3	English Survey	3
	ENG 300 – Writing in the Disciplines	3	ENG 301 – Argument and Analysis in Written Discourse	3
	English Survey	3	ENG 370 – Multicultural Literature in America <b>OR</b> ENG 393 – African American Literature	3
	ENG 304 – English Language	3	PSY 310 – Educational Psychology: Development and Learning	3
	EDU 250 – Introduction to Teacher Education	3	Specialty	3
	General Education Course	3	General Education Course	3
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>18</b>

**Study Abroad opportunities are available for the summer term! Please visit <http://www.wku.edu/studyabroad/> for more information.**

THIRD YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	Visit <a href="#">Career Services</a>  Complete the application for admission into Teacher Education during year three. (See <a href="http://www.wku.edu/teacherservices/">http://www.wku.edu/teacherservices/</a> )	ENG 476 – Critical Approaches to Literature in the Secondary Curriculum	3	English Survey
ENG 401 – Advanced Composition		3	SEC 351 – Teaching Strategies for Secondary School	3
English Survey		3	SEC 352 – Planning for Student Diversity	3
Specialty		3	ENG 410 – Composition Theory and Practice in Writing Instruction	3
General Education Course		3	Specialty	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

FOURTH YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	<a href="#">Apply for Student Teaching</a>  <a href="#">Apply for Graduation</a>      <i>Celebrate!</i>	ENG 492 – Senior Seminar	1	SEC 490 – Student Teaching
SEC 475 – Teaching Language Arts		3	EDU 489 – Student Teaching Seminar	3
SEC 453 – Management of Instruction		3		
LTCY 421 – Content Area Reading in the Middle and Secondary Grades		3		
Specialty		3		
General Education Course		3		
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>13</b>

**Total Credit Hours:125**

\* Denotes prerequisite courses before program admission

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

**For more Information:** Department: English  
 Website: [www.wku.edu/english](http://www.wku.edu/english)  
 Phone: (270) 745-3043  
 Course Descriptions: <http://www.wku.edu/undergraduatecatalog/>