

College of Arts and Sciences 2025-2026 Degree Worksheet

B.A. ENGLISH

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COLLEGE of ARTS & SCIENCES Language Requirement

All students who major in the College of Arts & Sciences are required to demonstrate competence in a second language. For complete details: <https://www.gonzaga.edu/college-of-arts-sciences/about/information-for-students/language-requirement-information>

	Credits	Sem/Yr

UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS:

► FUNDAMENTAL CORE COURSES

Year 1: Understanding & Creating

	Credits	Sem/Yr
Writing		
ENGL 101 Writing (fulfills 3 credits Writing Enriched)*	3	
Reasoning		
PHIL 101 Reasoning	3	
First Year Seminar		
Dept. 193	3	
Communication & Speech		
COMM 100 Communication & Speech	3	
Math		
MATH (must be above Math 100)	3	
Scientific Inquiry (2cr + 1cr lab)		
BIOL or CHEM or PHYS 104/104L (taken year 1 or 2)	3	

Year 2: Being & Becoming

	Credits	Sem/Yr
Christianity & Catholic Traditions		
RELI (see approved list)**	3	
Philosophy of Human Nature		
PHIL 201 Philosophy of Human Nature	3	

Year 3: Caring & Doing

	Credits	Sem/Yr
World/Comparative Religion		
RELI (see approved list)** (fulfills 3cr Global Studies)*	3	
Ethics		
PHIL 301 Ethics or RELI 330 Principles-Christian Morality	3	

Year 4: Imagining the Possible

	Credits	Sem/Yr
Core Integration Seminar	3	
Dept. 432		

NOTE: some courses have pre-requisites, check the catalog carefully!

► BROADENING COURSES - see approved list**

	Credits	Sem/Yr
Social & Behavioral Science	3	
Literature	3	
History	3	
Fine Arts & Design	3	

► REQUIRED COURSE DESIGNATIONS - see approved list**

	Credits	Sem/Yr
*Writing Enriched	9 total	
Social Justice	3 total	
*Global Studies	6 total	

**for list of approved RELI, Broadening & Designated courses, see : <https://my.gonzaga.edu/academics/undergraduate-programs/general-degree-requirements-procedures/university-core>

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39 CREDITS

Required Concentration: Literature or Writing

Courses required for both concentrations:

LOWER DIVISION

One of the following University Core Writing courses:		3 Credits
Course	Course Title	Credits
ENGL 101	Writing	3
ENGL 200	Intermediate Composition	3

One of the following English Form courses: 3 Credits

ENGL 102	Introduction to Literature	3
ENGL 105	Themes in Literature	3
ENGL 106	Topics: Multicultural & World Literature	3
ENGL 201	Studies in Poetry	3
ENGL 202	Studies in Fiction	3
ENGL 203	Studies in Drama	3
ENGL 270	Film Form	3
ENGL 286	Special Topics in English Form	3
HONS 287	Honors Special Topics in Literature*	3

One of the following English History courses: 3 Credits

ENGL 205	Studies in Shakespeare	3
ENGL 206H	Honors Literature II	3
ENGL 207	Literature of Western Civilization I	3
ENGL 208	Literature of Western Civilization II	3
ENGL 210	British Literature Survey I	3
ENGL 220	British Literature Survey II	3
ENGL 230	Survey of American Literature	3
ENGL 240	Topics: Multicultural Literature	3
ENGL 241	Indigenous Literature: Alaska, Hawai'i	3
ENGL 260	Topics: World Literature	3
ENGL 271	Film History	3
ENGL 287	Special Topics in Literary History	3
HONS 287	Honors Special Topics in Literature*	3

UPPER DIVISION

300-400 Level Literature 1660 or before:		3 Credits
ENGL		3

select course from list under **Literature Concentration**, pg. 2

300-400 Level Multicultural Distribution: 0-3 Credits (may double-count with another requirement)

ENGL 306	Special Topics in Writing*	3
ENGL 314	Multicultural Literature of the US	3
ENGL 316	Studies in Post-Colonial Literature	3
ENGL 318	African-American Literature*	3
ENGL 366	Themes in Literature (Florence)*	3
ENGL 406	Advanced Special Topics in Writing*	3
ENGL 418	American Indian Literatures	3
ENGL 440	Literature of the Americas	3
ENGL 455	Special Topics in American Literature*	3
ENGL 460	Studies in Women Writers*	3
ENGL 466	Topics in Literature*	3
ENGL 467	Special Topics*	3

* **Prior Dept. Chair approval needed to use for this requirement.**

No single course can satisfy more than one major requirement except 300-400 level Multicultural Dist. Courses, which may double count.

SELECT REQUIRED CONCENTRATION:

Literature or Writing

Required Concentration details listed on Page 2

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Required Concentration *select one* : LITERATURE CONCENTRATION OR WRITING CONCENTRATION

LITERATURE CONCENTRATION 27 CREDITS

LITERATURE 1660 or BEFORE:

Choose one course from the following list: 3 Credits

ENGL 323	Medieval Literature: Rage and Romance	
ENGL 330	Shakespeare	
ENGL 331	Renaissance Literature	
ENGL 366	Topics in Literature (Florence)*	
ENGL 367	Love in the Renaissance (Florence)	
ENGL 420	Beowulf: In-Laws and Out-Laws	
ENGL 423	Chaucer	
ENGL 433	Milton and His Contemporaries	
ENGL 434	Tudor and Stuart Drama	
ENGL 460	Studies in Women Writers*	
ENGL 466	Topics in Literature*	
ENGL 472	Topics in Literature 1660 or Before	

AMERICAN LITERATURE PRE-1914:

Choose one course from the following list: 3 Credits

ENGL 310	American Literature I	
ENGL 311	American Literature II	
ENGL 313	American Narratives	
ENGL 318	African-American Literature*	
ENGL 413	19th Century American Novel	
ENGL 455	Special Topics in American Literature*	
ENGL 457	Melville	
ENGL 459	American Realism & Naturalism	
ENGL 460	Studies in Women Writers*	
ENGL 462	Studies in the Novel*	
ENGL 466	Topics in Literature*	
ENGL 471	Topics in American Literature Pre-1914	

BRITISH LITERATURE 1660-1914:

Choose one course from the following list: 3 Credits

ENGL 340	Romantic Age	
ENGL 342	Victorian Era	
ENGL 348	Restoration & 18th Century Literature	
ENGL 350	20th Century British Literature	
ENGL 360	Modern Drama*	
ENGL 436	18th Century British Novel	
ENGL 438	Restoration & 18th Century Drama	
ENGL 446	19th Century British Novel	
ENGL 460	Studies in Women Writers*	
ENGL 462	Studies in the Novel*	
ENGL 466	Topics in Literature*	
ENGL 473	Topics in British Literature 1660-1914	

LITERATURE POST-1914:

Choose two courses from the following list: 6 Credits

ENGL 312	American Literature III	
ENGL 314	Multicultural Literature of the U.S.	
ENGL 318	African-American Literature	
ENGL 360	Modern Drama*	
ENGL 368	20th Century Novel (Florence)	
ENGL 394	Topics in Film*	
ENGL 414	20th Century American Novel	
ENGL 415	Recent American Writing	
ENGL 418	American Indian Literatures	
ENGL 440	Literature of the Americas	
ENGL 450	20th Century British Novel	
ENGL 455	Special Topics in American Literature*	
ENGL 460	Studies in Women Writers*	
ENGL 462	Studies in the Novel*	
ENGL 464	Studies in 20th Century Poetry*	
ENGL 465	Studies in 20th Century Drama*	
ENGL 466	Topics in Literature*	
ENGL 474	Topics in Literature Post-1914	

NON-LITERATURE BROADENING: 300-400 Level

Choose one course from the following: 3 Credits

ENGL 300-400 level Writing course	(see Writing Concentration list)	3	
ENGL 480	Critical Theory	3	
ENGL 485	Poetics	3	
ENGL 497	Internship	3	

ELECTIVES: 300-400 Level

6 Credits

ENGL		3	
ENGL		3	

The following two courses are taken concurrently: 3 Credits

ENGL 495	Senior Seminar	3	
ENGL 499	Senior Project	0	

* These courses may, depending on content in a specific semester, satisfy a requirement for majors or minors. **Prior** approval from English Dept. Chair required. No single course can satisfy more than one major requirement except 300-400 level Multicultural Dist. Courses listed.

WRITING CONCENTRATION 27 CREDITS

WRITING COURSES: 300-400 Level

15 Credits

Select five courses from the following:

ENGL 300	Research and Writing for Majors	3	
ENGL 301	Poetry Writing	3	
ENGL 302	Fiction Writing	3	
ENGL 303	Creative Non-Fiction Writing	3	
ENGL 304	Professional Writing	3	
ENGL 305	The Writing Traveler	3	
ENGL 306	Special Topics in Writing	3	
ENGL 307	Typography and Book Design	3	
ENGL 308	The Art(s) of Editing	3	
ENGL 309	Writing for Social Action	3	
ENGL 390	Writing Center Practicum	3	
ENGL 395	The Teaching of Writing	3	
ENGL 401	Advanced Poetry Writing	3	
ENGL 402	Advanced Fiction Writing	3	
ENGL 403	Advanced Non-Fiction Writing	3	
ENGL 406	Advanced Special Topics in Writing	3	
ENGL 498	Independent Study	3	
JOUR 420	Literary Journalism	3	
THEA 440	Playwriting	3	

LITERATURE ELECTIVES: 300-400 Level

12 Credits

Select four courses from list of Literature courses above:

ENGL		3	
ENGL		3	
ENGL		3	
ENGL		3	
ENGL 496	Writing Senior Project	0	

NOTE:

Students must take at least one 400-level writing course.

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