 English: Teaching Certification (BA)

This graduation plan illustrates the type of curriculum a new student would take to complete a degree in four years. It is not meant to serve as an official document. Students should contact their academic adviser to develop a personalized plan of study. Refer to the University Catalog for a complete list of requirements: [https://catalog.uwsp.edu/.](https://catalog.uwsp.edu/)

\*This schedule assumes placement into English 101/202, World Language 101. Student should discuss the best minor to combine with this major, dependent on career plans.

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| **Semester 1 - Declare Teaching Intent** | **Credits** | **Semester 2** | **Credits** |
| GENED (Foundation-WC) ENGL 101\* | 3 | GENED (Foundation-CT) PHIL 121 | 3 |
| GENED (Investigation-ART/HP/SS/NS) | 3 | GENED (Foundation-QL) (Depends on math placement) | 3 |
| GENED (Foundation-WLN) | 1-2 | GENED (Investigation-ART/HP/SS/NS) | 3 |
| **World Language 101\*** | 4 | **World Language 102\*** | 4 |
| **ENGL 157: Independent Writing** | 1 | **ENGL 257: Independent Writing** | 1 |
| ***Total credits*** | ***12-13*** | ***Total credits*** | ***15*** |
| **Semester 3** | **Credits** | **Semester 4** | **Credits** |
| GENED (Foundation-WC) ENGL 202\* | 3 | GENED (Social and Env. Resp.-ER/GA/USD) | 3 |
| GENED (Investigation-ART/HP/SS/NS) | 3 | GENED (Social and Env. Resp.-ER/GA/USD) | 3 |
| **ENGL 253: Intro to Creative Writing** | 3 | GENED (Social and Env. Resp.-ER/GA/USD) | 3 |
| **ENGL 200: Introduction to Literary Studies** | 3 | **ENGL 284: Introduction to Ethnic Literature in the U.S.** | 3 |
| **ELECTIVE in American or British Literature  (e.g., ENGL 211 or 213)** | 3 | **ELECTIVE in American or British Literature  (e.g., ENGL 212 or 214)** | 3 |
| ***Total credits*** | ***15*** | ***Total credits*** | ***15*** |
| **Semester 5 \*\*Apply to English Ed. and PEP Program** | **Credits** | **Semester 6 - Pre-Methods Semester** | **Credits** |
| GENED (Social and Env. Resp.-ER/GA/USD) | 3 | **ENGL 345: English Language for Teachers** | 3 |
| **ELECTIVE in Major Authors (e.g., ENGL 333 or 385)** | 3 | **ENGL 375: Young Adult Literature** | 3 |
| **ELECTIVE in Major Authors (e.g., ENGL 334 or 386)** | 3 | **ENGL 381: Reading for Teachers** | 3 |
| **ENGL 379: Rhetorical Theory** | 3 | EDUC 351: Educating Students w/ Special Needs in Gen. Ed. | 3 |
| General ELECTIVE | 3 | EDUC 381: Educational Psychology | 2 |
|  |  | EDUC 382: Managing Learning Environments | 1 |
| ***Total credits*** | ***15*** | ***Total credits*** | ***15*** |
| **Semester 7 - Methods Semester** | **Credits** | **Semester 8 - Student Teaching Semester** | **Credits** |
| **ENGL 355: Methods of Teaching Composition** | 3 | **ENED 398: Student Teaching** | 16 |
| **ENGL 356: Methods of Teaching Literature** | 3 | **ENGL 400: Student Teaching Seminar** | 1 |
| **ENGL 393: Technologies for English Education** | 3 |  |  |
| **ENGL 497: Senior Seminar in English Education** | 1 | ***Total credits*** | ***17*** |
| **ENED 396: Practicum** | 2 |  |  |
| ***Total credits*** | ***12*** | **Summer or Winterim** | **Credits** |
|  |  | **EDUC 385: Teaching the Early Adolescent (only offered in summer or winterim)** | 3 |
|  |  | EDUC 373: Publication for Teachers (summer only) | 3 |
|  |  | ***Total credits*** | ***6*** |

**Academic standards and policies for this major:** acceptance into the English Education program requires a cumulative English GPA of 3.00.

\*\*Application and acceptance into the English Education Program with the English Department and the Education Departments is required. Only those accepted into the program may take the courses in red.

**Course descriptions not listed above:** ENGL 101: Freshman English; ENGL 202: Sophomore English; ENGL 211: English Literature I; ENGL 212: English Literature II; ENGL 213: American Literature I; ENGL 214: American Literature II; ENGL 333: Shakespeare (British) Early plays; 334: Shakespeare (British) Later plays; ENGL 385: Major Authors; ENGL 386: Major Authors of Ethnic Literature; and PHIL 121: Critical Thinking

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