

**SAMPLE BREAKDOWN OF 120 CREDITS**  
**ENGLISH MAJOR WITH A SPECIALIZATION IN WRITING**

**36 ENG MAJOR** [note: these 36 hours include 6 GE Humanities, 3 GE Capstone, and 18 300 level or above credits]

3 ENG 241 LITERARY ANALYSIS [note: ENG 241 is a prereq to many ENG courses and should be taken early in your career]

3 CLASSICAL LIT [ENG 204, 205, 206 OR 207]

3 AMERICAN LIT [select one from list in CATALOG]

3 PRE 1800 BRIT LIT [select one from list in CATALOG]

3 BRIT LIT [select one from list in CATALOG]

6 WRITING THEORY [note: select two from list in CATALOG; 336 and 363 run FALL only; 340 runs WINTER only]

9 WRITING PRACTICE [note: select three from list in CATALOG; 354 runs FALL only; 345 runs WINTER only; 260, 391, 392, 393 run rarely]

3 LINGUISTICS [LIN 200 or 244]

3 ENG 400/CAPSTONE [note: this course should be taken in the late JR or SR year; topics for the course change semester to semester]

**3 ENG ELECTIVE** [note that only 40 of the 120 credit hours may be in ENG]

**49 GE/CAS BA REQUIREMENTS**

3 ENG 111 (is a 112 prereq; 109 and/or 100 may also be required)

3 ENG 112 (completes English Composition requirement)

3 UNV 100 (First Year Experience)

3 F (Fine Arts)

3 HW (Health and Well Being)

3 FQ (Finance and Quantitative Literacy)

3 T (Technology)

3 GS (Global Studies)

3 US (US Diversity)

6 SS (Social Sciences)

8 N/NL (Natural Science with Lab)

8 FL (Foreign Language)

**15 300 LEVEL NON ENG** (to reach the required 33 credits at the 300 level or above)\*

\* one way to contribute to the 300 LEVEL NON ENG and NON ENG ELECTIVE credits would be to declare a MINOR

**17 NON ENG ELECTIVE** (to reach the required 80 credits outside of ENG)\*\*

\*\* if required to take ENG 109 and/or ENG 100, the number of NON ENG ELECTIVE credits will be reduced and the number of GE/CAS BA REQUIREMENT credits will increase

## SAMPLE FOUR YEAR PLAN OF STUDY FOR AN ENGLISH MAJOR WITH A SPECIALIZATION IN WRITING

YEAR 1*	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4
<b>31 CREDITS:</b> <b>31 GE/CAS BA</b>	<b>30 CREDITS:</b> <b>15 ENG MAJOR**</b> <b>15 GE/CAS BA</b>	<b>30 CREDITS:</b> <b>12 ENG MAJOR</b> <b>3 GE/CAS BA</b> <b>6 300 LEVEL NON ENG</b> <b>9 NON ENG ELECTIVE</b>	<b>29 CREDITS:</b> <b>9 ENG MAJOR</b> <b>3 ENG ELECTIVE</b> <b>9 300 LEVEL NON ENG</b> <b>8 NON ENG ELECTIVE</b>
<i><b>SUCH AS:</b></i>	<i><b>SUCH AS:</b></i>	<i><b>SUCH AS:</b></i>	<i><b>SUCH AS:</b></i>
3 ENG 111	3 ENG 241	3 PRE 1800 BRIT LIT	3 BRIT LIT
3 ENG 112	3 CLASSICAL LIT	3 WRITING THEORY	3 WRITING THEORY
3 UNV 100	3 AMERICAN LIT	6 WRITING PRACTICE (SUCH AS 345, 354, 338)	3 ENG 400/CAPSTONE
6 SS	3 LINGUISTICS	3 US	3 ENG ELECTIVE
8 N/NL	3 WRITING PRACTICE (SUCH AS ENG 296 OR ENG 252)	6 300 LEVEL NON ENG	9 300 LEVEL NON ENG
8 FL	3 F	9 NON ENG ELECTIVE	8 NON ENG ELECTIVE
	3 FQ		
	3 HW		
	3 T		
	3 GS		

\*credits for a year could be spread over **FA**ll, **WI**nter, **SP**ring, and **SU**mmer (such as 12 FA + 13 WI + 6 SP or SU) or split between FA and WI only (such as 15 FA + 15 WI)

\*\* ENG MAJOR credits will be taken almost exclusively in FA and WI as ENG MAJOR course offerings in SP and SU are extremely limited