

## English and Literary Studies—Teacher Education Certification

### Recommended Graduation Plan (Fall 2026)

The recommended graduation plan is designed to provide a blueprint for students to complete their degrees on time. Students must meet with their Academic Advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree.

**NOTE:** This recommended Graduation Plan is applicable to students admitted into the major during the 2026-2027 academic year.

CRWT Placement
CRWT 101 to CRWT 102
CRWT 101S to CRWT 102S

Math Placement
MATH 021/022 to MATH 108-121

**NOTE:** CRWT and MATH courses are determined by placement testing and should be taken following the sequence above.

First Year					
Fall Semester	HRS	✓	Spring Semester	HRS	✓
Gen Ed: INTD 101-First Year Seminar	4		Major: Poetry Elective	4	
Gen Ed: CRWT 102-Critical Reading & Writing II	4		General Education Requirement: Quantitative Reasoning	4	
TE: PSYC 101-Introduction to Psychology	4		TE: EDUC 211 Student Literacy Corps	4	
Gen Ed: Global Awareness Major: LITR 203-Methods of Literary Study WI**	4		Gen Ed/TE: SOSC 110 Social Science Inquiry	4	
Career Pathways: PATH 001 – Career Pathways Module 1	<b>Degree Rqmt.</b>				
<b>Total:</b>	16		<b>Total:</b>	16	

Second Year					
Fall Semester	HRS	✓	Spring Semester	HRS	✓
Gen Ed: Culture and Creativity: LITR 244 -Shakespeare’s Plays	4		General Education Requirement	4	
Major: Diverse Perspectives	4		Major: Global Perspectives	4	
Gen Ed/TE: Values/Ethics EDUC 221-Social Context of Education	4		TE: PSYC 215-Learning, Cognition, & Teaching	4	
Major: LITR 240-Survey of British Literature <b>WI</b>	4		TE: EDUC 222-Teaching: Principles & Practices	4	
Career Pathways: PATH 002 – Career Pathways Module 2	<b>Degree Rqmt.</b>		Career Pathways: PATH 003 – Career Pathways Module 3	<b>Degree Rqmt.</b>	
<b>Total:</b>	16		<b>Total:</b>	16	

Third Year					
Fall Semester	HRS	✓	Spring Semester	HRS	✓
General Education Requirement	4		Major: British Literature Course	4	
TE: EDUC 241: Instructional Technology	4		Major: American Literature Survey Course	4	
Major: American Literature Course	4		TE: EDUC 360: Introduction to Special Education & EDUC 301: Topics in Special Ed. (co-req.)	4	
Gen Ed/TE: Scientific Reasoning / Physiology and Hygiene (Consult TE List)	4		Major/TE: Critical Approaches Course / Structure and Criticism Course	4	
<b>Total:</b>	16		<b>Total:</b>	16	

Fourth Year					
Fall Semester	HRS	✓	Spring Semester	HRS	✓
TE: EDUC 350-Reading and Writing in the Content Areas	4		EDUC 495-Clinical Practice Capstone	12	
TE: EDUC 315-MTH Content Areas: HUM/BUS	4				
Major: LITR 414-Seminar WI	4				
Major: Pedagogical Approaches	4				
TE: EDUC 395 - Topics	2				
<b>Total:</b>	18		<b>Total:</b>	12	

**Total Credits Required:** 130 credits

**GPA:** 2.0

**General Education courses** can be done in any order with the exception of INTD 101, CRWT and MATH. Those three general education courses will need to be done first. First Year Seminar is taken in the first semester. Failure to complete CRWT and MATH will result in a hold when the student hits 64 credits. The following general education courses can be done in any order. For more info on these courses, please visit the [General Education program requirements website in the College Catalog](#):

- Social Science Inquiry (SOSC 110) [+W]
- Scientific Reasoning (*BIOL 101 recommended*)
- Historical Perspectives [+W]
- Studies in the Arts & Humanities (*CRWT 102 is a prerequisite to this course*) [+W]
- Global Awareness (*LITR 203: Methods of Literary Study*) [+W]
- Distribution Category (Social Systems & Society **OR** Culture & Creativity **OR** Values and Ethics)
- Distribution Category (Culture & Creativity: (*Consider LITR 220, 221, 224, 244, 245, 280, 284, 292, 293, 295, or 308 to fulfill a LITR requirement*))

+W: Students transferring in with 48 or more credits are waived from these general education requirements.

**At least three (3) courses in the major must be at the 300-level.**

\*\*These courses are major requirements that will double count for the GenEd, BUT only two courses in the major are allowed to double count. If you have already double counted two courses in the major for the GenEd category, you will NEED to select another course for the GenEd.

WI- Writing intensive courses needed prior to graduation