



2026-2027

CREATIVE WRITING MAJOR, B.A.

English Department; College of Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences

The Creative Writing major focuses on the writing of fiction, nonfiction, and poetry.

Students must complete all Foundations requirements and major requirements, as well as any additional General Electives needed to reach the minimum of 124 total credits required for a Bachelor's degree.

[Requires advising plan to be completed by ENG or ENGE majors.]

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (42)

__ 3	ENG	230	Intro to Literature
__ 3	ENG	241	Intro Creative Writing/Fiction
__ 3	ENG	242	Intro Creative Writing/Poetry
__ 3	ENG	390	Creative Nonfiction
__ 3	ENG	450	Adv Studies in Creative Writing
__ 3	MC	212	Writing for the Media

Choose 9 hours Creative Writing courses:

__ 3	ENG	353	Creative Writing for Young Readers
__ 3	ENG	371	Intermediate Creative Writing/Fiction
__ 3	ENG	372	Intermediate Creative Writing/Poetry
	MC	282	Feature Film Screenwriting (4)

Choose one Media Industry course:

	ENG	300	Rhetoric for Writers
__ 3	JRN	303	Features & Opinions
	MC	225	Website Design

Choose 12 hours Literature courses:

	ENG	231	British Lit I
	ENG	232	British Lit II
	ENG	261	American Lit I
__ 3	ENG	262	American Lit II
	ENG	311	The Rise of the Novel
	ENG	344	Women in Literature
	ENG	345	Experimental Forms
__ 3	ENG	348	Contemporary Literature
	ENG	360	Children's Literature (P-5)
	ENG	361	Adolescent Literature
	ENG	362	Diverse Voices in Literature
__ 3	ENG	374	Studies in Medieval & Renaissance Lit
	ENG	378	Milton & the Seventeenth Century
	ENG	393	Seminar
	ENG	410	Shakespeare
__ 3	ENG	423	C.S Lewis and the Oxford Circle
	ENG	431	Literary Criticism
	ENG	435	Internship

Plus FOUNDATIONS REQUIREMENTS (56)

Plus GENERAL ELECTIVES needed to reach minimum 124 credits (26)