

ENGLISH CONCENTRATION

Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts Degree

Program Description

The focus of the Liberal Arts Program is to provide the student with a breadth of program offerings in a chosen field of study. Liberal Arts students may focus their program in the following concentration areas: Behavioral Science, English, History/Government, Humanities, Psychology, Social Science or Sociology. All concentration electives must be selected in the chosen area of study.

Program Outcomes

At the completion of this program, the student should be able to:

- Compose well-structured, unified and coherent expository assignments.
- Demonstrate information literacy through research assignments.
- Apply the principles of critical thinking to assess required readings and points of discussion.
- Describe the social, political and philosophical contexts that inform a Liberal Arts concentration.
- Describe the diverse cultural and behavioral influences on a Liberal Arts concentration.
- Apply a theoretical understanding to practical problems in a Liberal Arts field (Behavioral Science, English, History/Government, Humanities, Psychology, Social Science, or Sociology).

English Concentration Outcomes

At the completion of the English Concentration, the student should be able to:

- Describe the major movements in a single literary tradition (English, American, or World Literature).
- Apply literary theory in critical essays.
- Develop criteria for an aesthetic appreciation of the English Language.

Additional Information

1. Indicates course requires the completion of a prerequisite.
2. Electives: Please go to the list of applicable elective courses by field starting page 99.

Note: All classes are offered in the fall and the spring unless otherwise designated:

F=Class is only offered in the Fall
S=Class is only offered in the Spring

General Education Requirements – see p. 98		Credits
25 credits total		
Computer Science		3 credits
ENG 101 English Composition I		3 credits
ENG 102 English Composition II ¹		3 credits
History/Government		3 credits
IDS 167 First Year Seminar		3 credits
Math		3 credits
Natural Science w/ Lab		4 credits
Social Science/Psychology		3 credits

Program Requirements – 36 credits total		Credits
SOC 101 General Sociology		3 credits
Literature Electives ²		6 credits
Social Science Elective ²		3 credits
Open Electives		6 credits
English Concentration Electives (see below)		18 credits

Total credits required for graduation 61 credits

Concentration Electives	Credits
ENG 111 Speech Communication	3 credits
ENG 151 Shakespeare ¹ (F)	3 credits
ENG 200 Introduction to Mass Media (F)	3 credits
ENG 201 English Literature I ¹ (F)	3 credits
ENG 202 English Literature II ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 204 Poetry ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 205 World Mythology ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 211 American Literature: From Colonial Writing to the Civil War ¹ (F)	3 credits
ENG 212 American Literature: From Realism to the Contemporary Era ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 213 Environmental Literature ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 221 World Literature I ¹ (F)	3 credits
ENG 222 World Literature II ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 224 Writing for Professionals (F)	3 credits
ENG 225 Creative Writing Workshop ¹ (F)	3 credits
ENG 230 Journalism ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 231 Modern Novel ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 233 Crime and Detective Fiction ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 235 Survey of Women Writers ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 237 Introduction to Science Fiction ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 238 Literature of the Supernatural ¹ (F)	3 credits
ENG 239 Baseball Literature ¹ (S)	3 credits
ENG 240 Literature of War ¹ (F)	3 credits
ENG 251 Introduction to Drama (F)	3 credits
ENG 252 International Film (S)	3 credits
EXP 297 Internship I	3 credits

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Semester 1	Credits	Pre-Requisites
Computer Science	3 credits	
ENG 101 English Composition I	3 credits	
IDS 167 First Year Seminar	3 credits	
Math	3 credits	
Social Science/Psychology	3 credits	
Total	15 credits	

Semester 2	Credits	Pre-Requisites
ENG 102 English Composition II	3 credits	ENG 101
Open Elective	3 credits	
History/Government	3 credits	
Natural Science w/ Lab	4 credits	
SOC 101 General Sociology	3 credits	
Total	16 credits	

Semester 3	Credits	Pre-Requisites
English Concentration Elective	3 credits	
English Concentration Elective	3 credits	
English Concentration Elective	3 credits	
Literature Elective	3 credits	
Social Science Elective	3 credits	
Total	15 credits	

Semester 4	Credits	Pre-Requisites
English Concentration Elective	3 credits	
English Concentration Elective	3 credits	
English Concentration Elective	3 credits	
Open Elective	3 credits	
Literature Elective	3 credits	
Total	15 credits	

Semester Path:

Recommended course of study for a full-time student. It is recommended that students speak to an Academic Advisor before registering for courses each semester.

Student Resources:

Academic Advising
617-984-1720

**Dean's Office of Arts and Sciences
& Professional Programs**
617-405-5920

Dean's Office of Allied Health
617-405-5960

Dean's Office of Nursing
617-405-5990

Financial Aid Office
617-984-1620

Registrar's Office
617-984-1650

**Student Accessibility and
Academic Support Services**
617-405-5915