

I. GENERAL EDUCATION

48 hrs

- 1. Required Courses **15 hrs**
 - () Writing Competency 3 hrs
 - () HCS 100 Intro. to Human Communication 3 hrs
 - () HIS 105 World History I 3 hrs
 - () HIS 106 World History II 3 hrs
 - () Math Competency 3 hrs
 - () Foreign Language Competency*
- 2. Categories of Knowledge **33 hrs**
 - Category A: Logic and Numbers for Rational Thinking **3 hrs**
 - () _____ (SECOND MATH COURSE) **3 hrs**
 - [MAT 105 and 117 recommended for the 2 maths]
 - Category B: Literary, Artistic, and Cultural Traditions **9 hrs**
 - () _____ **3 hrs**
 - () _____ **3 hrs**
 - () _____ **3 hrs**
 - Category C: Biological and Physical Sciences **9 hrs**
 - () environmental science _____ **3 hrs**
 - () _____ **3 hrs**
 - () _____ **3 hrs**
 - Category D: Political, Economic, & Geo Sciences **6 hrs**
 - () _____ **3 hrs**
 - () _____ **3 hrs**
 - Category E: Social and Behavioral Sciences **6 hrs**
 - () PSY 101 General Psychology **3 hrs**
 - () _____ **3 hrs**

II. PROFESSIONAL REQUIREMENTS

30 hrs

- () TCH 205 American School 3 hrs
- () TCH 260 Educational Psychology 3 hrs
- () EEC 411 Introduction to Exceptionality 3 hrs
- () EDU 421/422 Teaching English I & II 6 hrs
- Prerequisite: Professional Standing; Strongly Suggested: ENG 426 and ENG 366*
- () EDU 495 Student Teaching 15 hrs

Note: Students need to apply for "Professional Standing" early the semester before taking "methods" (EDU 421/422) in order to be admitted to the course. See

<http://webspace.ship.edu/english/certindex.htm> for all the requirements for receiving certification (PRAXIS testing, GPA, observation hours, student teaching, etc.)

LiveText is a required computer program for your English certification degree. Buy in the Shippensburg University Store at least before the "methods" semester.

Important: Students must not schedule ANY classes BEFORE NOON the semester they take Methods. They must keep mornings free that semester. Questions? See the website above, or contact your advisor or the department chair.

*Students should check the catalog or contact the department of Modern Languages for various ways to meet the foreign language requirement.

III. ENGLISH MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

42 hrs

A. Core Courses (all required)

- ___ ENG 107 Intro. to Literary Studies
- ___ ENG 111 Intro. to Literary Studies II
- ___ ENG 233 American Literature I
- ___ ENG 234 American Literature II
- ___ ENG 236 British Literature I
- ___ ENG 237 British Literature II
- ___ ENG 330 Shakespeare
- ___ ENG 366 History & Structure of English
- ___ ENG 426 Teaching Adolescent Literature

B. Topics and Approaches (choose 4)

- ___ ENG 256 Introduction to Mythology (pre-1800)
- ___ ENG 304 Literary Criticism (criticism)
- ___ ENG 318 Studies in Eng. Renaissance Lit. (pre-1800)
- ___ ENG 323 Reviewing the Arts (criticism)
- ___ ENG 333 Cultural Studies
- ___ ENG 336 Theories & Approaches (criticism)*
- ___ ENG 343 Film Criticism (criticism)
- ___ ENG 376 Studies in Medieval Literature (pre-1800)
- ___ ENG 377 Studies in Restoration/18th C. Lit. (pre-1800)
- ___ ENG 378 Studies in Early American Lit. (pre-1800)
- ___ ENG 380 Studies in 19th C. British Lit. (post-1800)
- ___ ENG 381 Studies in 19th C. American Lit. (post-1800)
- ___ ENG 382 Studies in 20th C. British Lit. (post-1800)
- ___ ENG 383 Studies in 20th C. American Lit. (post-1800)
- ___ ENG 394 Selected Topics
- ___ ENG 420 Studies in Writing

C. Seminar (must take 1)

- ___ ENG 464 Seminar in Major Author
- ___ ENG 465 Seminar in Creative Nonfiction
- ___ ENG 466 Seminar in Literary Theory (criticism)
- ___ ENG 467 Seminar in Drama
- ___ ENG 468 Seminar in Fiction
- ___ ENG 469 Seminar in Poetry
- ___ ENG 490 Seminar in Selected Topics

Students must take courses fulfilling the following Categories of Knowledge. NOTE: some courses may fulfill more than one category. The dept. advising materials each semester will indicate which courses fulfill these categories. Although a course may fulfill more than one category, it does not count for more than 3 credits.

A. Historical Knowledge

This includes not only periodized courses, but also any course whose content is historically periodized. The dept. advising materials each semester will indicate which courses fulfill this category

- Pre-1800 _____
- Post-1800 _____

B. Criticism

This includes any course whose content focuses on criticism, method, &/or theory. The dept. advising materials each semester will indicate which courses fulfill this category. (ENG 336 Theories & Approaches is recommended but not required of Secondary Certification students.)

C. Multicultural Perspectives

Choose one of the following:

- ___ ENG 240 World Literature
- ___ ENG 385 Studies in Lit. of the Postcolonial World

English B.A. with Certification (120 min. credit hours): Suggested Four-Year Time Line

Year One: Fall (15 credit hours)	Year One: Spring (15 credit hours)
<p>ENG 106 WIFYS (or equivalent) HIS 105 World History I Math #1 (102, 105, or 170 suggested) Science #1 (Category C) General Education course (B, D, or E)</p>	<p>HCS 100 Intro. to Human Communication ENG 107 Intro. to Lit. Studies or ENG 111 Intro. to Lit. Studies II HIS 106 World History II Math #2 (102, 105, 170 suggested) for Category A PSY 101 General Psychology</p>
Year Two: Fall (15 or 18 credits)	Year Two: Spring (15 or 18 credits)
<p>TCH 205 American School ENG 107 Intro. to Lit. Studies or ENG 111 Intro. to Lit. Studies II ENG 233 American Literature I ENG 236 British Literature I Science #2 (Category C) Modern Language, if necessary</p> <p><i>Begin 30-hour "Level I" hours Join NCTE-SU Affiliate and begin attending meetings.</i></p>	<p>TCH 260 Educational Psychology ENG 234 American Literature II ENG 237 British Literature II World literature course (240 or 385 suggested) General Education course (B, D, or E) Modern Language, if necessary</p> <p><i>Join Sigma Tau Delta if invited Continue Level I Hours</i></p>
Year Three: Fall (15 or 18 credits)	Year Three: Spring (15 credits)
<p>ENG 330 Shakespeare or ENG 366 History and Structure of English Theory/Criticism course English period course #1 General Education (B, D, E) General Education course (B, D, E) Modern Language, if necessary</p> <p><i>Take the 3 PPST PRAXIS tests (Math, Writing, and Reading) Complete Level I hours and submit documentation Get a "grad check" in the dean's office</i></p>	<p><i>Beginning of the semester: Apply for Professional Standing and Student Teaching at Office of Field Services (must have 3.0 QPA)</i></p> <p>ENG 330 Shakespeare or ENG 366 History and Structure of English ENG 426 Teaching Adolescent Literature English period course #2 Science #3 (Category C: Environmental) General Education course (B, D, E)</p> <p><i>Late in the semester: take PRAXIS English test (10041)</i></p>
Year Four: Fall (12 credits)	Year Four: Spring (15 credit hours)
<p>EDU 421/422 Teaching English I and II (Methods) (only afternoon classes allowed this semester) EEC 411 Intro. to Exceptionalities Senior Seminar</p> <p><i>Acquire clearances: Act 34 and 151 Get TB test</i></p>	<p>EDU 495 Student Teaching</p> <p><i>Apply for graduation and certification Complete portfolio and prepare for the job market</i></p>

For complete information on other requirements (testing, clearances, Level I hours, etc.), see:

<http://www.ship.edu/~kmlong/certification/>