

## ACADEMIC ADVISING

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## GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

### Minimum Graduation Requirements

1. 120 credit hours
2. 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
3. 2.0 CU cumulative GPA
4. Residency: Last 30 credit hours of degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences at UCCS

### Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

1. All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: [catalog.uccs.edu](http://catalog.uccs.edu)
2. All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course pre-requisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student's schedule: see degree audit for list of course prerequisites within academic major.

## MAJOR INFORMATION

English Literature refers to the study of texts from around the world, written in the English language. By studying a degree in English Literature, you will learn how to analyze a multitude of texts and write clearly using several different styles. Generally, literature refers to different types of text including novels, non-fiction, poetry, and plays, among other forms. However, literature is a contested term, as new mediums for communication provide different types of contemporary literature.

### Major Requirements

English Major (33 hours)	Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires a minimum of 18 credit hours of upper-division (3000+ level) ENGL course work.</li> <li>• All ENGL courses must have a grade of "C-" or better.</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE: All new, incoming and transferring English majors should contact the English department to be assigned a faculty advisor, and attend a mandatory English Department Workshop within their first year at UCCS. Please see the English Department website for more information.</b></p>	ENGL 2010	Introduction to Literary Studies	3
	ENGL 3000	Literary Criticism in Theory and Practice	3
	ENGL 3010	Advanced Rhetoric and Writing	3
	ENGL 3110	Advanced Grammar	3
	ENGL 4810 <b>OR</b> ENGL 4830	Special Topics in the Teaching of Writing  Survey in Contemporary Approaches to Teaching Writing	3
	British Literature	<i>Complete one of the following:</i> ENGL 2510, ENGL 2520, ENGL 2530, ENGL 2540, ENGL 3530	3
	American Literature	<i>Complete one of the following:</i> ENGL 2360, ENGL 2370, ENGL 3330, ENGL 3340, ENGL 3350, ENGL 3360, ENGL 3370	3
	Diversity	<i>Complete one of the following:</i> ENGL 2610, ENGL 3200, ENGL 3410, ENGL 3550, ENGL 3600, ENGL 3650, ENGL 3900, ENGL 4860	3
	Senior Literature Seminar	<i>Complete one of the following:</i> ENGL 4200, ENGL 4210, ENGL 4230, ENGL 4240, ENGL 4250, ENGL 4300, ENGL 4400, ENGL 4410, ENGL 4500, ENGL 4700, ENGL 4950, ENGL 4970, ENGL 4973, ENGL 4980	3
	Electives	<i>Complete 6 hours of ENGL elective courses to meet total and upper-division requirements.</i>	6
	Senior Assessment – Elementary/Special Education	<i>Complete the Senior Assessment - Elementary/Special Education</i>	0

Education Courses (42 hours)	First Year Courses – Take the courses listed below during the junior year in the specified semester. NOTE: SPED 3000 and 3001 can be taken in the summer prior to the junior year.			
<p>Students begin Special Education courses in the fall semester of their junior year.</p> <p>A grade of "B-" or better must be earned in all Education courses.</p>	CURR 4170 (Fall)	Introduction to Technology in Education	3	
	SPED 3000 (Fall)	Dis/Ability Studies in Education	3	
	SPED 3001 (Fall)	Introduction to Special Education	3	
	SPED 4020 (Spr)	Significant Support Needs	3	
	SPED 4030 (Spr)	Elementary/Secondary Internship	3	
	TED 4570 (Spr)	Elementary Literacy Methods	4	
	SPED 4021 (Sum)	Designing Positive Classroom Environments	3	
	SPED 4025 (Sum)	Fieldwork in Inclusive Classrooms	3	
	<b>Second Year Courses - Take the courses listed below during the senior year in the specified semester.</b>			
	SPED 4010 (Fall)	Multisensory Structured Language Education	3	
	SPED 3004 (Fall)	Self-Determination and Transition	3	
	IELM 4025 (Fall)	Teaching Elementary Mathematics	3	
	SPED 4022 (Spr)	Consultation and Collaboration	3	
	SPED 4031 (Spr)	Elementary/Secondary Student Teaching and Seminar	6	

## General Education and Elective Requirements

<b>Composition</b> (6 hours)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ENGL 1310</li> <li>ENGL 1410</li> <li>PORT 3000 (0 Credits) – Writing Portfolio</li> </ol>	
<b>Reasoning Skills</b> (6 hours)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MATH 3010</li> <li>MATH 3020</li> </ol>	
<b>Area Requirements</b> (28 hours) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maximum 2 courses from any one discipline may be applied to the area requirements</li> <li>Courses may not be taken pass/fail</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Humanities – 9 credit hours to include the following: HUM3990, and HIST 1510 or 1520</li> <li>Social Sciences – 9 credit hours to include the following: GES 1980 or 1990, PSC 1100, and one from ECON 1000, 1010, or 1050</li> <li>Natural Sciences – Natural Sciences – 9 credits hours, of which at least 1 credit must be from a lab course</li> </ol> <p><b>NOTE:</b> Cannot select courses from primary major courses for area requirements.</p>	
<b>Oral Communication, Cultural Diversity, and Global Awareness Requirements</b>	One course from each list (see degree audit). <i>All courses that fulfill these requirements may also count towards other general education or major requirements.</i>	
<b>Compass Curriculum</b> (12 hours) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explore and Navigate courses must be outside major and area requirements</li> <li>Writing Intensive, Inclusiveness, and Sustainability courses can count towards other requirements within degree</li> </ul>	<b>Component</b>	<b>Course</b>
	<b>Gateway</b>	GPS 1010
	<b>Explore – Arts, Humanities and Cultures</b>	See Degree Audit
	<b>Explore – Society, Behavior and Health</b>	See Degree Audit
	<b>Explore – Physical and Natural World</b>	See Degree Audit
	<b>Navigate</b>	HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements)
	<b>Summit</b>	SPED 4031 (included in Education requirements)
	<b>Writing Intensive Courses (WIC)</b> <i>Two courses with one upper-division (3000+ level)</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements)</li> <li>See Degree Audit</li> </ol>
	<b>Inclusiveness</b>	See Degree Audit
<b>Sustainability</b>	See Degree Audit	

## Four-Year Degree Plan

Please note that this is an *example* degree program and your program may vary. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.**

<b>Year One</b>	✓	<b>FALL</b>	<i>Hours</i>	✓	<b>SPRING</b>	<i>Hours</i>
		GPS 1010	3		ENGL 1410	3
		ENGL 1310	3		ENGL 2010	3
		GES 1980 or GES 1990	4		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures Course	3
		PSC 1100	3		Explore – Society, Behavior & Health Course	3
		Explore – Physical & Natural World Course	3		Natural Science Elective w/Lab	4
	<b>TOTAL</b>	16		<b>TOTAL</b>	16	

<b>Year Two</b>	✓	<b>FALL</b>	<i>Hours</i>	✓	<b>SPRING</b>	<i>Hours</i>
		ENGL 3000	3		ENGL 3010	3
		ENGL 3110	3		American Literature Course	3
		British Literature Course	3		ENGL Elective	3
		HIST 1510 or HIST 1520	3		ECON 1000, 1010, or 1050	3
		Humanities Elective	3		Natural Science Elective	3
	<b>TOTAL</b>	15		<b>TOTAL</b>	15	

<b>Year Three</b>	✓	<b>FALL</b>	<i>Hours</i>	✓	<b>SPRING</b>	<i>Hours</i>
		ENGL Diversity Course	3		ENGL 4810 or ENGL 4830	3
		ENGL Senior Seminar	3		MATH 3020	3
		MATH 3010	3		SPED 4020	3
		CURR 4170	3		SPED 4030	3
		SPED 3000	3		TED 4570	4
		SPED 3001	3		SPED 4021/4025 (Taken during summer)	6
	<b>TOTAL</b>	18		<b>TOTAL</b>	16/6	

<b>Year Four</b>	✓	<b>FALL</b>	<i>Hours</i>	✓	<b>SPRING</b>	<i>Hours</i>
		ENGL Senior Seminar	3		ENGL Elective	3
		HUM 3990	3		SPED 4022	3
		IELM 4025	2		SPED 4031	6
		SPED 3004	3			
		SPED 4010	3			
	<b>TOTAL</b>	14		<b>TOTAL</b>	12	