

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS: ENGLISH PRE-MAJOR



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AREA OF INTEREST

Education, Communication, & Fine-Arts

TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED

64

CATALOG YEAR

2022-2023

PROGRAM

Associate in Arts

TYPE

Transfer

ACADEMIC PLAN

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TUITION

\$8,128 plus books fees

CAMPUS LOCATIONS

Belleville
Sam Wolf Granite City
Red Bud Online



DESCRIPTION

The discipline of English is more than just the language that we speak every day. While it is difficult to define English, the English pre-major at SWIC can best be described as a discipline that prepares students for a more advanced study of linguistics, rhetoric and composition, creative writing, literature and literary criticism, cultural studies, English education, and professional writing and communications.



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Because of the discipline's emphasis on critical thinking and reasoning and on achieving a level of sophistication and knowledge in both the reading and writing of texts, English majors are ideal candidates for the following jobs:

Education	Journalist/fact checker
Lawyer	Technical writer
Educational technology	Marketing/advertising/sales
Blogger	Non-profit/community organization
Editor/writer	

Career Information for English Majors



COURSE SEQUENCE BY TERM

The following is the suggested course sequence by term. Please keep in mind:

- The course sequence is laid out by suggested term and may be affected when students enter the program at different times of the year.
- Initial course placement is determined by current district placement measures and/or completion of 100-200 level course and/or program requirements.
- Students should meet with an academic advisor about any concerns that may affect course enrollment.
- **This guide includes course suggestions for students undecided on where they plan to transfer. If you know where you are transferring to for your bachelor's, follow that institution's transfer requirements.**

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Student's Name:

Date:



Course #	Course Name	Requisites	Taken	Cred its
Term 1				
COMM 151	Public Speaking			3
LIT 125	Drama as Literature			3
ENG 101	Rhetoric & Comp I			3
ORIE 110/ED 255**	College Success Strategies OR Intro to Education**			3
MATH 107/MATH 111	General Education Statistics OR Liberal Arts Math			4
Term 2				
ENG 102	Rhetoric & Composition II	ENG 101 with C or higher		3
LIT 216	African American Literature			3
LIT 215	Contemporary Multicultural Literature			3
ART 103/MUS 110	Non-Western Art or World Music			3
S/S*	Social Science*			3
HES 130	Physical Fitness I			1
Term 3				
BIOL 100	General Biology			4
LIT 251	British Literature I	ENG 101 with C or higher		3
LIT 213	American Literature I	ENG 101 with C or higher		3
B/S*	Behavioral Science			3
HES 151	Personal Health & Wellness			2
HES 131	Physical Fitness II	HES 130		1
Term 4				
ADTL S/S or B/S*	Additional Social or Behavioral Science*			3
LIT 252	British Literature II	ENG 101 with C or higher		3
LIT 214	American Literature II	ENG 101 with C or higher		3
P/S*	Physical Science*			4
ENG 107	Creative Writing I			3
TOTAL:				64

*See Academic Advisor for course options.

**If pursuing teacher licensure, pursue Ed 255. If pursuing non-teacher licensure, choose Orie 110.

GET STARTED

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[SIUE English Pathway](#)

[SIUE English, Secondary Education Transfer Guide](#)

[Webster University English Transfer Guide](#)

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