

Bachelor of Arts—English Major
2004-06 Old Dominion University Catalog

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Students earning the AS, AA, or AA&S (or university parallel) degree from a Virginia Community College automatically satisfy the lower division general education requirements. **General Education courses marked with * require a grade of C or better to transfer. The remaining lower division courses are automatically satisfied by the AS (including foreign language), regardless of the grade earned.** Additionally, courses in which a grade of AC-A or below were earned will not transfer. Therefore Community College degree holders who meet the General Education requirements may require additional credits to meet the 120 credit hour graduation minimum. **(AS=Associate degree)**

Entrance Writing Sample Placement Test: _____

LOWER DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION

A. Skills

Written Communication _____ 3 _____ *
 (Grade of C required in ENGL _____ 3 _____ *
 110C and ENGL 111C before declaring the major)
Oral Communication _____ 3 _____
 COMM 101R, 103R, or 112R
Mathematics _____ 3 _____
 MATH 101M, 102M, 162M, or STAT 130M
Foreign Language Skills _____ 0-12 _____ *
 (BA students must have competence through the 202 level)
Computer Skills _____ 3 _____
 (may be satisfied with ENGL 250; teacher education majors
 satisfy the requirement with ECI 304)

B. Perspectives

Fine and Performing Arts _____ 3 _____
 ARTH 121A, ARTS 122A MUSC 264A,
 DANC 185A, THEA 241A
History _____ 3 _____
 HIST 101H, 102H, 103H, 104H
 or 105H
Literature _____ 3 _____
 ENGL 112L, 144L, or FLET 100L
Philosophy _____ 3 _____
 PHIL 110P, 120P, or 150P
Natural Science and Technology
 Eight credit hours of Natural Science with labs in sequence.
 Additionally, 3-4 Natural Science or Technology are required.
 See reverse for course options.

_____ 4 _____ 4 _____ 3-4
Social Science _____ 3 _____
 _____ 3 _____

ANTR 110S; COMM 200S; CRJS 215S; ECON 200S, 201S, 202S
 GEOG 100S, 101S; POLS 100S, 101S; PSYC 201S, 203S; SOC
 201S; WMST 201S

Foundation courses (22 hours)

ENGL 200 Intro to English Studies _____ 1 _____
 ENGL 301 or 302 British Literature _____ 3 _____
 ENGL 340, 342U, 345, or 346
 American Literature _____ 3 _____
 ENGL 360, 363, 393U, or 493U
 World Literature _____ 3 _____

ENGL 303 or 304 Shakespeare _____ 3 _____
 ENGL 3?? 463, 465, or 446W
 Focus _____ 3 _____
 ENGL 325, 333, or 370 Analytics _____ 3 _____
 (choose 2) _____ 3 _____
Open Electives (6 hours)
 ENGL 300- or 400-level _____ 3 _____
 (choose 2) _____ 3 _____
Emphasis Courses (15 hours)
 Select one of the following options:
 _____ 3 _____
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Creative Writing

ENGL 300, 456, and 457
 Select two courses from ENGL 351, 352, 353, 451, 452, 454
*Please consult the department advisor about the writing intensive
 requirement. All majors must take an English writing intensive
 (W) course to graduate.*

Journalism

ENGL 380, 483W, 484, and 486
 Select one course from ENGL 335, 368, 454, 485W,

Linguistics

ENGL 350
 Select three courses from ENGL 371W, 440, 444U, 450U, 476,
 477U, 495/496 (linguistics-related independent study)
 Select one course from approved electives at the 300 and 400
 level, including Anthropology, English (especially rhetoric),
 Foreign Languages (not FLET), internship
*Note: Linguistics emphasis students must take ENGL 370 in the
 Analytics portion of the core. All majors must take an English
 writing intensive (W) course to graduate.*

Literature

Select one course from ENGL 337, 403, 412, 421, 423, 433
 Select one course from ENGL 312, 336, 349, 361, 416, 432,
 438, 447, 448, 460, 461, 492
 Select one additional literature course at the 400-level.
Note: Among the above 9 hours, 3 must be in pre-1800 literature
 Select one additional course from ENGL 301 or 302
 Select one additional course from ENGL 340, 342, 345, 346
*Note: Literature emphasis students must take ENGL 333 in the
 Analytics portion of the core.*
Please consult the department advisor about the writing intensive

requirement. All majors must take an English writing intensive (W) course to graduate.

Professional Writing

Select 5 courses from ENGL 325, 327W, 334W, 335, 368, 381, 427W, 435W, 439W, 454, 468, 481, 486

All majors must take an English writing intensive (W) course to graduate.

Teaching

(See Bachelor of Arts--English Major with Teaching Licensure in English curriculum sheet)

UPPER DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION

Option A. Approved Minor, 12-24 hours; also second degree or second major.

Option B. Cluster, 9 hours (3 hours may be in the major area of study.)

Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 overall and in the major, 120 credit hours, passage of the Exit Examination of Writing Proficiency, and completion of Senior Assessment.

Natural Science and Technology perspective courses:

A. 8 hours in sequence

BIOL 108N-109N, 115N-116N
CHEM 101N-102N, 115N-116N
GEOL 110N-112N, 111N-112N
OCEN 106N-107N
PHYS 101N-102N, 103N-104N, 111N-112N, 231N-232N

B. 3 or 4 hours

An additional N course
GEOL 120K, 122K, 302K
AE 300T
ART 352T
CHEM 351T
COMM 472T
HIST 304T, 389T
IT 360T
OPMT 303T
OTS 110T, 370T
PHIL 344T, 355T, 383T
POLS 350T
WMST 390T
Approved major course