



Literature A.A.

Career Community: History, Humanities, and English

Curriculum Code: 0124

Effective: Fall 2025 – Summer 2030

Purpose of the Major

This degree is designed for students who intend to transfer to a four-year university to pursue a Bachelor degree in English Literature with a variety of concentrations. Students completing this degree will also satisfy the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) between two-year and four-year institutions in Michigan. This degree includes a set of courses common to all History, Humanities, and English majors and many transfer institutions. Students are encouraged to work with an academic advisor and program advisor to explore transfer opportunities.

Not all courses in this pathway transfer to all colleges. Students who wish to transfer to a four-year institution should select coursework indicated for that institution.

Milestone

In addition to the required General Education courses in Math and English, completion of ENGL 200 with a 2.0 or higher is a key component for success in completing this program. Knowledge obtained in these courses may be the foundation for learning in other required courses. Students are encouraged to contact their faculty if they need additional assistance with learning the concepts presented in these courses.

Additional Information

A student must earn a minimum grade of 2.0 in all courses.

Contact Information

For further information, including career options, course substitutions and waivers, etc., contact the English Department, Arts and Sciences Building, Room 2203, telephone number 517-483-1061, or the Academic Advising Department, Gannon Building – StarZone, telephone number 517-483-1904.

Major Required Courses – *Some courses meet General Education requirements for MTA.*

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
ACAD 100	First-Year Experience	1 / 1
COMM 120 or COMM 130 or COMM 200 or COMM 240 or COMM 260 or ENGL 122 or ENGL 132	Dynamics of Communication Fundamentals Public Speaking Small Group Communication Interpersonal Communication Nonverbal Communication Composition II Honors Composition II	3 / 3 3 / 3 3 / 3 3 / 3 3 / 3 4 / 4 4 / 4
ENGL 121 or ENGL 131	Composition I Honors Composition I	4 / 4 4 / 4
ENGL 200	Introduction to Literature	3 / 3

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
ENGL 208 or ENGL 220 or ENGL 290	Children's Literature Science Fiction Shakespeare	4 / 4 4 / 4 4 / 4
ENGL 255 or ENGL 256 or ENGL 266 or ENGL 267	American Lit to 1865 American Lit 1865 to Present British Lit to 1800 British Lit 1800 to Present	4 / 4 4 / 4 4 / 4 4 / 4
ENGL 260	African-American Literature	4 / 4
ENGL 261	Creative Writing I	3 / 3
ENGL 270	Gender and Literature	4 / 4
MATH 119 or MATH 120 or STAT 170	Math - Applications for Living College Algebra Introduction to Statistics	4 / 4 4 / 4 4 / 4

Notes:

ACAD 100 may be waived when students meet one of the following College-approved waiver criteria:

- Completion of 12 college-level credits with minimum grades of 2.0 shown on the LCC transcript (including transfer, if applicable), or
- Employment in the field of, or a field related to, the degree being sought, or
- For Health Careers students, successful completion of CHSE 100.

For future transfer to:

- Central Michigan University (BA) choose ENGL 122 or ENGL 132.
- Central Michigan University (BS) choose ENGL 122 or ENGL 132 and STAT 170.
- Central Michigan University (Secondary Teaching) choose ENGL 122 or ENGL 132, ENGL 208, and MATH 120.
- Eastern Michigan University (Literature Concentration) choose ENGL 122 or ENGL 132.
- Eastern Michigan University (Children's Literature or Secondary Teaching Concentration) choose ENGL 122 or ENGL 132, ENGL 208, and MATH 120.
- Ferris State University (English) choose ENGL 122 or ENGL 132, and MATH 119 or 120.
- Ferris State University (Secondary Teaching) choose ENGL 122 or ENGL 132, ENGL 220, and MATH 119 or MATH 120.
- Grand Valley State University (Literature or Secondary Teaching) choose COMM 120 or 130 or ENGL 122 or ENGL 132, ENGL 255, ENGL 290, and MATH 120.
- Michigan State University (Literature or Popular Culture) choose COMM 130, ENGL 220, ENGL 255 or 267, and MATH 120.
- University of Michigan Ann Arbor (all concentrations) choose ENGL 122 or ENGL 132, ENGL 290, ENGL 255, and STAT 170.
- University of Michigan Flint choose ENGL 122 or ENGL 132, ENGL 290, and MATH 119 or 120.
- Western Michigan University choose ENGL 122 or ENGL 132, ENGL 290, and MATH 119 or STAT 170.

Major Required Courses, Limited Choice - Select one.

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
ARTH 211	Art History to the Renaissance	4 / 4
ARTH 212	Art Hist from the Renaissance	4 / 4
HIST 211	U.S. History to 1877	4 / 4
HIST 212	U.S. History: 1877 to Present	4 / 4
HIST 215	World History to 1500	4 / 4
HIST 216	World History since 1500	4 / 4
PHIL 101	Introduction to Philosophy	3 / 3
PHIL 151	Intro to Logic & Critical Think	4 / 4
RELG 150	Intro to World Religions	4 / 4
RELG 210	Comparative Religions	4 / 4

Major Required Courses, Limited Choice - Natural Sciences—Select two from different disciplines, one must be a lab course, as indicated for each major and transfer institution. If specific courses are not recommended for your institution and major, choose any two recommended courses from different disciplines or choose from [LCC General Education Transfer Degrees \(MTA\) Natural Sciences](#).

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
ANTH 275	Biological Anthropology	4 / 4
ANTH 280	Forensic Anthropology	3 / 3
ASTR 201	Introductory Astronomy	4 / 5
BIOL 120	Environmental Science	4 / 6
BIOL 125	Intro Biology for Non-Majors	4 / 6
CHEM 135	Chemistry in Society	4 / 5
GEOG 206	Physical Geography	4 / 4
GEOG 220	Weather, Forecasting, and Climate	4 / 4
GEOL 221	Physical Geology	4 / 6
ISCI 131	Integrated Physical Science	4 / 6
PFHW 123	Human Nutrition	3 / 3
PHYS 120	The Art of Physics	4 / 5

For future transfer to:

- Central Michigan University choose BIOL 120 and a non-BIOL course.
- Ferris State University choose BIOL 125 and a non-BIOL course.
- Michigan State University choose BIOL 120 or BIOL 125, and ASTR 201 or CHEM 135 or ISCI 131 or PHYS 120.

Major Required Courses, Limited Choices – Social Sciences - Select two courses from different disciplines as indicated for each transfer institution and major. Students considering pursuing certification for secondary teaching are strongly encouraged to choose courses indicated for a Secondary Teaching major at the institution of the student's choice. If specific courses are not indicated, choose any recommended courses or choose from [LCC General Education Transfer Degrees \(MTA\) Social Sciences](#).

Course Code	Course Title	Credit/ Billing Hours
ANTH 270	Cultural Anthropology	3 / 3
ANTH 271	Medical Anthropology	3 / 3
ANTH 276	Introduction to Archaeology	3 / 3
COMM 270	Mass Communication	3 / 3
COMM 280	Intercultural Communication	3 / 3
ECON 120	Power, Authority and Exchange	4 / 4
ECON 201	Principles of Economics-Micro	4 / 4
ECON 202	Principles of Economics-Macro	4 / 4
EDUC 204	Educational Psychology	3 / 3
EDUC 220	Foundations of Education	3 / 3
GEOG 200	World Regional Geography	4 / 4
POLS 201	Intro to Political Science	3 / 3
PSYC 200	Introduction to Psychology	4 / 4
SOCL 120	Introduction to Sociology	4 / 4

For future transfer to:

- Central Michigan University (Language and Literature BS) choose PSYC 200 and SOCL 120.
- Central Michigan University (Secondary Teaching) choose EDUC 220 and PSYC 200.
- Eastern Michigan University (Secondary Teaching) choose EDUC 204 and PSYC 200.
- Ferris State University (English) choose COMM 270 and a non-COMM course.
- Ferris State University (Secondary Teaching) choose EDUC 220 and PSYC 200.
- Grand Valley State University (Secondary Teaching) choose COMM 280 and EDUC 204.
- Michigan State University (Literature or Popular Culture) choose ANTH 270 and COMM 270 or 280.
- Michigan State University (Secondary Teaching) choose EDUC 204 and PSYC 200.
- University of Michigan Ann Arbor choose 2 from ANTH 270, COMM 270, ECON 201 or 202, GEOG 200, POLS 120, PSYC 200, or SOCL 120.
- University of Michigan Ann Arbor (Secondary Teaching) choose EDUC 204 and PSYC 200.
- University of Michigan Flint (Secondary Teaching) choose EDUC 220 and PSYC 200.
- Western Michigan University (Secondary Teaching) choose EDUC 220 and PSYC 200.

Elective Courses, Recommended Choices—Select courses as needed to reach the minimum 60 total credits required for this degree. (For the full list of options see [AA and AS Degree Electives](#).)

Course Code	Course Title	Credit/ Billing Hours
ARTS 102	2D Design	3 / 4
COMM 130	Fundamentals Public Speaking	3 / 3
COMM 200	Small Group Communication	3 / 3
COMM 240	Interpersonal Communication	3 / 3
EDUC 204	Educational Psychology	3 / 3
EDUC 220	Foundations of Education	3 / 3
EDUC 230	Exceptional Learners	3 / 3
EDUC 280	Teacher Education Practicum	3 / 3
ENGL 124	Technical Writing	3 / 3
ENGL 127	Business Writing	3 / 3

Course Code	Course Title	Credit/ Billing Hours
ENGL 208	Children's Literature	4 / 4
ENGL 220	Science Fiction	4 / 4
ENGL 240	The Film as Art	4 / 4
ENGL 255	American Lit to 1865	4 / 4
ENGL 256	American Lit 1865 to Present	4 / 4
ENGL 266	British Lit to 1800	4 / 4
ENGL 267	British Lit 1800 to Present	4 / 4
ENGL 279	Prose Style	3 / 3
ENGL 290	Shakespeare	4 / 4
GRMN 121	Elementary German I	4 / 4
GRMN 122	Elementary German II	4 / 4
HUMS 160	Mythology	4 / 4
JAPN 121	Intermediate Japanese I	4 / 4
JAPN 122	Elementary Japanese II	4 / 4
JAPN 201	Intermediate Japanese I	4 / 4
JAPN 202	Intermediate Japanese	4 / 4
PSYC 202	Psychology of Personality	3 / 3
PSYC 203	Social Psychology	3 / 3
PSYC 205	Human Growth and Development	3 / 3
PSYC 221	Child Psychology	3 / 3
SOCL 260	Race and Ethnicity	3 / 3
SPAN 121	Elementary Spanish I	4 / 4
SPAN 122	Elementary Spanish II	4 / 4
SPAN 201	Intermediate Spanish I	4 / 4
SPAN 202	Intermediate Spanish II	4 / 4

For future transfer to:

- Central Michigan University (Language and Literature BA) choose COMM 130, GRMN, JAPN or SPAN 121, and GRMN, JAPN or SPAN 122.
- Central Michigan University (Language and Literature BS) choose PSYC 202, PSYC 203, and SOCL 260.
- Central Michigan University (Secondary Teaching) choose COMM 130, EDUC 230, and ENGL 220 or ENGL 290.
- Eastern Michigan University (Literature) choose 3 from ENGL 255, 256, 266, and 267.
- Eastern Michigan University (Children's Literature) choose ARTS 102, 1 from ENGL 255 or 256 or 266 or 267, and HUMS 160.
- Eastern Michigan University (Secondary Teaching) choose EDUC 220, 230, and 280.
- Ferris State University (English) choose COMM 130 or COMM 200 or COMM 240, and 2 from ENGL 255 or 256 or 266 or 267.
- Ferris State University (Secondary Teaching) choose COMM 130 or COMM 240, ENGL 208, and PSYC 221.
- Grand Valley State University (Literature or Secondary Teaching) choose ENGL 256, GRMN or SPAN 121, and HUMS 160.
- Michigan State University (Literature) choose JAPN or SPAN 121, 122, and 201.

- Michigan State University (Secondary Teaching) choose EDUC 230 and GRMN or JAPN or SPAN 121 and 122.
- University of Michigan Ann Arbor (Literature) choose ENGL 267, SPAN 121 and 122.
- University of Michigan Flint (Literature or Secondary Teaching) choose ENGL 124, ENGL 279, and GRMN or SPAN 121.
- Western Michigan University (Literature or Secondary Teaching) choose 1 from ENGL 255 or 256 or 266 or 267, and 2 from GRMN or SPAN 121 and 122.

General Education - Transfer Degrees (MTA)

- English Composition
Major Required Courses meet this requirement.
- English Composition (second course) or Communication
Major Required Courses meet this requirement.
- Humanities and Fine Arts
Major Required Courses and Major Required Limited Choice Courses meet this requirement.
- Mathematics
Major Required Courses meet this requirement.
- Natural Sciences
Major Required Limited Choice Courses meet this requirement.
- Social Sciences
Major Required Limited Choice Courses meet this requirement.

Minimum Total Credit Hours

60 credits / 60 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

Semester I
ACAD 100 (if waived, substitute Career Community course)
ENGL 121 or ENGL 131
ENGL 200 – Milestone course
Limited Choice
Limited Choice – Natural Science

Semester II
COMM 120 or COMM 130 or COMM 200 or COMM 240 or COMM 260 or ENGL 122 or ENGL 132
ENGL 260
MATH 119 or MATH 120 or STAT 170
Limited Choice – Social Sciences

Semester III
ENGL 255 or ENGL 256 or ENGL 266 or ENGL 267
ENGL 261
Limited Choice – Natural Science

Semester III
Elective

Semester IV
ENGL 208 or ENGL 220 or ENGL 290
ENGL 270
Limited Choice – Social Sciences
Elective

LCC makes every effort to limit revisions to the pathways during their effective timeframe. However, the College reserves the right to update certificate and degree titles, and make course changes as needed, without prior notice. The College also reserves the right to discontinue programs when warranted.