

ENGLISH - MINOR

College of Arts and Sciences

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Description

The English minor offers students the opportunity to gain expertise in the study of historical literature, literary movement, major authors, genre studies, and literary theory. It is an especially attractive complement to degrees in fine arts, foreign languages, history, sociology, psychology, business and journalism.

Fully Offered At:

- Ashtabula Campus
- East Liverpool Campus
- Geauga Campus
- Kent Campus
- Salem Campus
- Stark Campus
- Trumbull Campus
- Tuscarawas Campus

Admission Requirements

Admission to a minor is open to students declared in a bachelor's degree, the A.A.B. or A.A.S. degree or the A.T.S. degree (not Individualized Program major). Students declared only in the A.A. or A.S. degree or the A.T.S. degree in Individualized Program may not declare a minor. Students may not pursue a minor and a major in the same discipline.

Minor Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Minor Requirements		
ENG 24001	INTRODUCTION TO LITERARY STUDY	3
Kent Core Literature Electives, choose from the following: 3		
ENG 21054	INTRODUCTION TO SHAKESPEARE (KHUM)	
ENG 22071	GREAT BOOKS TO 1700 (KHUM)	
ENG 22072	GREAT BOOKS SINCE 1700 (KHUM)	
ENG 22073	MAJOR MODERN WRITERS: BRITISH AND UNITED STATES (KHUM)	
English (ENG) Elective ¹		6
Literary Study Electives, choose from the following: 9		
ENG 21001	INTRODUCTION TO ETHNIC LITERATURE OF THE UNITED STATES (DIVD)	
ENG 21002	INTRODUCTION TO WOMEN'S LITERATURE (DIVD)	
ENG 21003	INTRODUCTION TO LGBT LITERATURE (DIVD)	
ENG 32001	CHILDREN'S LITERATURE	
ENG 32002	LITERATURE FOR YOUNG ADULTS	
ENG 33001	U.S. LITERATURE TO 1865	

ENG 33002	U.S. LITERATURE FROM 1865 TO 1945
ENG 33003	U.S. LITERATURE FROM 1945 TO PRESENT
ENG 33010	AFRICAN-AMERICAN LITERATURE TO 1900
ENG 33012	MODERN AFRICAN-AMERICAN LITERATURE
ENG 33013	PAN-AFRICAN WOMEN'S LITERATURE (DIVG)
ENG 33014	AFRICAN-AMERICAN WOMEN'S LITERATURE
ENG 33015	AFRICAN LITERATURES (DIVG)
ENG 34001	MEDIEVAL LITERATURE
ENG 34002	BRITISH LITERATURE, 1500-1660
ENG 34003	BRITISH LITERATURE, 1660-1800
ENG 34004	BRITISH LITERATURE, 1800-1900
ENG 34005	BRITISH AND IRISH LITERATURE, 1900-PRESENT
ENG 34011	WORLD LITERATURE IN ENGLISH (DIVG)
ENG 34021	WOMEN'S LITERATURE (DIVD)
ENG 34031	SHORT STORY
ENG 34041	FAIRY TALES
ENG 34055	SHAKESPEARE
ENG 34065	CHAUCER
ENG 34090	SHAKESPEARE IN PERFORMANCE
ENG 34095	SPECIAL TOPICS: MAJOR AUTHOR STUDIES
ENG 35101	LITERATURE AND OTHER DISCIPLINES
ENG 35201	THE BIBLE AS LITERATURE
ENG 35301	LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL AND TRANSGENDER: CRITICAL PERSPECTIVES (DIVD)
ENG 35401	SCIENCE FICTION
ENG 36001	APPLIED LITERARY CRITICISM
ENG 37001	CLASSICAL RHETORIC
ENG 39095	SPECIAL TOPICS IN LITERARY HISTORY
ENG 39195	SPECIAL TOPICS IN DRAMA
ENG 39295	SPECIAL TOPICS IN POETRY
ENG 39395	SPECIAL TOPICS IN FICTION
ENG 39495	SPECIAL TOPICS IN COMPARATIVE LITERATURE
ENG 39695	SPECIAL TOPICS IN ETHNIC LITERATURE OF THE UNITED STATES
ENG 39795	SPECIAL TOPICS IN WOMEN'S LITERATURE
ENG 39995	SPECIAL TOPICS CULTURAL STUDIES

Minimum Total Credit Hours: 21

¹ Students may fulfill the English Elective with any English (ENG) 20000, 30000 or 40000 level courses, excluding ENG 21011, ENG 41009, ENG 41092, ENG 41192 and ENG 41292. No English (ENG) 10000 level courses may be used to meet this requirement.

Graduation Requirements

Minimum Minor GPA
 2.000

- Minimum 9 of the 21 total credit hours must be upper-division coursework (30000 and 40000 level).
- Students must complete at least two upper-division (30000 or 40000 level) courses in the minor at Kent State on a graded basis (A-F).
- Minimum 6 credit hours in the minor must be outside of the course requirements for any major or other minor the student is pursuing.

- Minimum 50 percent of the total credit hours for the minor must be taken at Kent State (in residence).