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Academic Program - Course Schedule and Learning Outcomes

<i>Campus: Macon, Cochran, or Online</i>	<i>College/School: Arts and Sciences</i>	<i>Department: English</i>
<i>Academic Degree: B.A.</i>	<i>Major: English</i>	<i>Track (if applicable): Generalist (no specific concentration)</i>

What are the Program Learning Outcomes?

A learning outcome is a description of the knowledge, skills and abilities you will gain as you complete your coursework.

1. **Students will analyze and interpret literary texts of various genres, periods, movements, and cultures.**

2. **Students will analyze historical, cultural, and critical contexts of literary texts.**

3. **Students will write papers that are advanced in rhetorical strategy, structure and organization, grammar, usage, and mechanics.**

4. **Students will write well-constructed papers that communicate a clearly defined and supported claim, employing advanced research strategies and appropriate documentation.**

What courses do I need to take to graduate from this program?

Entering Class	Academic Year		
	Fall (15 hours)	Spring (15 hours)	Summer (varies)
Freshman	English 1101 Math 1101 History 2111 or 2112 Area B course Sociology 1101	English 1102 Math 1401 Political Science 1101 Psychology 1101 Music Appreciation 1101	English 2XXX
Sophomore	English 2XXX English 2XXX Biology 1001K + lab Foreign Lang 1002	English 2XXX English 2XXX Biology 1002K + lab Foreign Lang 2001	
Junior	English 3010 English 3500* English 3XXX/4XXX** English 3XXX/4XXX** Open elective	English 4400* English 4600* English 3XXX/4XXX** Open elective Open elective	English 3700*
Senior	English 4430* English 4100* English 3XXX/4XXX** English 3XXX/4XXX** Open elective	English 3XXX/4XXX** English 3XXX/4XXX** Open elective Open elective	

*Or another course in the English B.A. upper division core curriculum.

**Or a 3000- or 4000-level Professional Writing or Creative Writing course.

Note: The degree map above shows the completion of the B.A. in English with a Generalist concentration. English majors may choose one of the following concentrations: **Literature, Secondary Education, Pre-Law, Professional Writing, or Creative Writing.**

Those with a Secondary Education concentration should take core classes in the following rotation to fit in their EDUC courses:

Third year: Fall: ENGL 3010; ENGL 3500; Spring: ENGL 4400; ENGL 4600

Third year: Summer: One of the following: ENGL 3130/3700/3800/3900

Fourth year: Fall: ENGL 4100

What jobs have recent graduates received after completing this program?

Recent Graduates have received jobs with the following employers:

- **Teaching high school English at area high schools**
- **Teaching English abroad**
- **Technical writing**
- **Business**
- **Attending law school or practicing as attorneys**
- **Attending graduate programs in English, technical writing, and library science**
- **Employed by local colleges and universities (campus store staff, office assistant, professional advisor)**
- **Employed with area bookstores such as Gottwals**
- **Employed as librarians**