

# English BA

## FOUR-YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

**12** Required Core Credits

**18** Flexible Core Credits

**12** College Option Credits

**46** Major Credits

**32** Elective Credits

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**120** Total

This 4-year academic plan is designed to help freshmen entering Queens College in Fall 2019 plan their academic career and ensure that they complete all requirements for graduation in a timely fashion. All other students should consult their academic and department advisors to chart their own 4-year academic plans. Students should note that course pre-requisite/s and co-requisite/s are strictly enforced and they should regularly meet with their department advisors to identify their specific major/minor requirements and entrance and maintenance criteria (if applicable) for successful completion of their degree.

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#### Freshman

##### FALL

English Composition I (EC1)	3 credits
World Cultures & Global Issues (WCGI)	3 credits
U.S Experience in its Diversity (USED)	3 credits
Creative Expression (CE)	3 credits
Scientific World (SW)	3 credits

**Fall total credits** **15 credits**

##### SPRING

ENGL 130 (EC 2)	3 credits
Writing About Literature	
Math & Quantitative Reasoning (MQR)	3 credits
Life & Physical Sciences (LPS)	4 credits
An Additional Flexible Core	3 credits
Individual and Society (IS)	3 credits

**Spring total credits** **16 credits**

#### Sophomore

##### FALL

ENGL 170W (W)	3 credits
Introduction to Literary Study	
ENGL 241, 242, 243, or 244	4 credits
College Option Language (LANG)	4 credits
Minor or general electives*	4 credits

**Fall total credits** **15 credits**

##### SPRING

ENGL 241, 242, 243, or 244	4 credits
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English Elective 200 or 300 level** (possibly 210W if interested in creative writing***)	3 credits
College Option Science (SCI)	3 credits
An Additional College Core	3 credits

**Spring total credits** **17 credits**

General Education requirements may be taken in any order if the pre-requisite requirement(s) is/are satisfied.

\*\*Three (3) of the seven (7) English Major Electives must each be an "Area Requirement" specified in the Bulletin and on the English Department website.

\*\*\* English Majors can take up to three (3) Creative Writing courses in the Department toward the English Major.



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#### Junior

##### FALL

ENGL 241, 242, 243, or 244 4 credits  
2 English Electives at the 200 or 300 level \*\* (LIT) 6 credits  
(Overlap one English Elective with  
College Option Literature requirement)  
Minor or general electives 6 credits

**Fall total credits**

**16 credits**

##### SPRING

2 English Electives at the 200 or 300 level \*\* 6 credits  
Minor or general electives 9 credits

**Spring total credits**

**15 credits**

#### Senior

##### FALL

2 English Electives at the 200 or 300 level\*\* 6 credits  
(or 399W for English Honors Students)  
Minor or general electives 9 credits

**Fall total credits**

**15 credits**

##### SPRING

ENGL 391W (W) 3 credits  
Senior Seminar  
Minor or general electives 12 credits

**Spring total credits**

**15 credits**

\*General Electives: Students may complete general electives by taking courses in (most) department/s or programs they choose; however, depending on the course/program, students may need department permission and/or prerequisite course/s. Electives may be used to supplement the chosen major (an English major may want to take a course in French or Italian literature) or to fulfill interest in a different area (a Music major may be interested in the physics of sound). Students are encouraged to use available electives to complete a dual major, minor, pre-requisites for graduate or professional school, or complete and internship, experiential learning and/or study abroad. Students are encouraged to use their available general electives wisely and focus on coursework that will assist them personally, academically, and professionally.