QUEENS COLLEGE

English Secondary Education BA

FOUR YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

12 Required Core Credits

18 Flexible Core Credits

12 College Option Credits

41+27_(SEYS) Major Credits

10 Elective Credits

This 4-year academic plan is for freshmen entering Queens College in Fall 2022. Our 4-year academic plans are illustrative examples of integrated degree requirements and course sequencing for each of the College's programs of study which are designed to ensure degree completion in a timely manner. Students are advised to meet with professional and faculty advisors to tailor their degree maps to their individual interests (academic and career goals), as well as other considerations including course offerings and the incorporation of winter and summer sessions. Course pre-requisite/s and co-requisite/s are strictly enforced, as are entrance and maintenance criteria (if applicable) for the successful completion of the degree.





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Freshman

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FALL		SPRING	
English Composition I (EC1)	3 credits	ENGL 130 (EC 2)	3 credits
World Cultures & Global Issues (WCGI)	3 credits	Writing About Literature	
U.S Experience in its Diversity (USED)	3 credits	Math & Quantitative Reasoning (MQR)	3 credits
Creative Expression (CE)	3 credits	Life & Physical Sciences (LPS)	4 credits
Scientific World (SW)	3 credits	Individual and Society (IS)	3 credits
		An Additional Flexible Core	3 credits
Fall total credits	15 credits		
		Spring total credits	16 credits
Sophomore			
FALL		SPRING	
		ENGL 241, 244, 242 or 243	4 credits
ENGL 170W (W)	4 credits	ENGL 241, 244, 242 or 243	4 credits
Introduction to Literary Study	4 credits	ENGL Elective**	3 credits
ENGL 241, 242 or 243	4 credits	(210W if interested in creative writing***)	
	4 credits	College Option Science (SCI)	3 credits
College Option Language (LANG) General electives*	3 credits	An Additional College Core	3 credits
General electives	5 credits	0	

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

** Seven (7) additional English courses at the 200 or 300 level, which must include the following three area requirements:

Spring total credits

■ At least one (I) course in literature before 1820:

ENGL 251, 253, 311, 312, 313, 320, 321, 322, 323, 331, 332, 333, 334, 340, 341, 344, 348, 349, 350, 365

15 credits

■ At least one (I) course in literature after 1820:

ENGL 252, 254, 318, 319, 324, 328, 329, 345, 346, 351, 352, 353, 370, 371, 373, 374, 376

■ At least one (1) course in global, ethnic, or post-colonial literature:

ENGL 255, 354, 355, 356, 360, 363, 364, 366, 367, 368, 369, 372, 377, 378, 379

*** Of the 7 electives, at most 3 creative writing courses (210W, 211W, 301W, 302, 303W, 304) may be applied to the major. The remaining four electives must be literature or noncreative writing courses.

To declare SEYS English, students must have completed 15-20 credits in the English major with 3.0 GPA or higher.

Students must maintain a 3.0 GPA in SEYS courses to continue in program.

Please see program advisors for information regarding additional content coursework, Seminars and Tests required for certification and completion of program.





17 credits

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Junior

FALL SPRING

ENGL Elective** (LIT)	3 credits	SEYS 340	3 credits
(Overlap English Elective w/ College Option Lit. Req.)		Lang. Literacy & Cult. in Education	
		SEYS 360	3 credits
ENGL 202W	3 credits	Methods of Teaching in Middle & High School	
Rhetoric and Writing for English Education. Highly		ECPSE 350	3 credits
recommended.		Foundation of Special Education	
SEYS 201W (W)	3 credits	2 ENGL Electives**	6 credits
Historical, Social, and Philosophical Found of Edu.			
SEYS 221	3 credits	Spring total credits	15 credits
Develop. & Learning in Mid. Childhood & Adol.			
General electives*	3 credits		
Fall total credit	15 credits		

Senior

Fall total credits

FALL SPRING

2 English Electives**	6 credits	ENGL 391W (W)	4 credits
(or first semester of 399W for English Honors		Senior Seminar (or second semester of 399W	
Students for 4CR)		for English Honors students)	
SEYS 350	3 credits	SEYS 370.4^^	3 credits
Cognition, Tech., and Instruct. for Diverse Lear	ners	Student Teaching in Middle & High School	
SEYS 370.2	3 credits	2 General electives*	6 credits
Initial Clinical Exp. in English for Second. Edu.			
SEYS 380	3 credits	Spring total credits	13 credits
Curriculum and assessment in Teaching Engl.			

^{^^}Student Teaching requires that students be placed in schools for 4-6 hours each day, 5 days per week, and teach 2 classes. It should be taken, at most, with one or two other courses, and students should proceed with caution when following this plan.

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.



