

English Department

DEGREES

English (AA-T)

English (AA)

COURSES:

[ENGL \(English\)](#)

[ESL \(English as a Second Language\)](#)

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P.A.C.E. - VISUAL, PERFORMANCE, AND LANGUAGE ARTS - A PATHWAY FOR ACADEMIC AND CAREER EXCELLENCE AT SOLANO COMMUNITY COLLEGE

ARE YOU THE KIND OF PERSON WHO...

- ...desires to express yourself creatively and using imagination or intuition?
- ...enjoys feeling free to be inventive without limits?
- ...likes to inform, enlighten, help, or teach, using your skills with words and physicality to serve people?
- ...is interested in self-expression and thinking critically on the world in which we live?

Guided Pathways:

ENGLISH AA-T

Associate in Arts for Transfer | GE Pattern: IGETC | Program Total Units: 61 - 64.5

This program map represents **one possible pathway**. See a counselor to create a customized education plan. Map is for the 2021-2022 catalog year.

Career Paths

Advertising Copywriter or Editor • English Language and/or Literature Teacher • Editor or Publisher • Journalist • Public Relations Specialist • Writer, Technical Writer, or Grant Writer

What your potential plan could look like...

1 First Semester

Total Recommended Units: 14 - 15

- ENGL 001 College Composition (IGETC 1A) 4 units
- LR 010 Introduction to Library Research 1 unit
- MATH 011 or 012 (IGETC 2B) 3 - 4 units
- ART 012, CINA 011, MUSC 013 or THEA 013 (IGETC 3A/Cross Cultural) 3 units
- COMM 001 (IGETC 1C) 3 unit

3 Third Semester

Total Recommended Units: 13-15.5

- ASL 001, FREN 001, or SPAN 001* 3 - 5 units or UC Transferable Elective
- LIST A of ADT 3 units
- LIST B of ADT 3 units
- IGETC 5B/5C Suggested: BIO 012/012L, BIO 015, BIO 016/016L 4-4.5 units

*Depends on whether or not student took two years of the same foreign language in high school and passed with a minimum grade of c.

Square, darker color: Required Courses/ Courses in Discipline

Rounded, lighter color: GE Courses/Categories

2 Second Semester

Total Recommended Units: 13

- ENGL 002 Critical Thinking & Writing about Literature (IGETC 1B) 4 units
- LIST A of ADT 3 units
- PLSC 001 or 005 (IGETC 4/American Institutions) 3 units
- IGETC 4 3 units

4 Fourth Semester

Total Recommended Units: 15

- IGETC 5A Suggested: ASTR, GEOL, GEOG 3 units
- LIST B of ADT 3 units
- LIST C of ADT 3 units
- IGETC 4 3 units
- UC Transferable Elective Suggested: List A, B, or C from ADT 3 units

Courses Below May Be Taken Any Time (Fall, Spring or Summer)

Total Recommended Units: 6

- HIST 017, 018, 028, 029, or 037 (IGETC 3B/American Institutions) 3 units
- (IGETC 3A or 3B) 3 unit

English

Associate in Arts in English for Transfer (ADT: A.A.-T)

Program Description

This program is for students who intend to complete a bachelor's degree in English at a CSU. Students will take courses in English as well as related fields required for English majors. This program teaches writing, critical thinking, reading, and research skills as they apply to the areas of composition, creative writing, and the analysis of literature. Course work in creative writing is presented in sequenced writing workshops and courses in literary publishing. Course work in literature explores primarily British and American writers through genre, survey, figure, and thematic courses.

Students who complete the Associate in Arts in English for Transfer will be guaranteed admission with junior status to the California State University system, though not to a particular campus or major. In all cases, students should consult with a counselor for more information on university admission and transfer requirements.

To earn the Associate in Arts in English for Transfer, students must:

1. Complete 60 semester units that are eligible for transfer to the California State University system, including both of the following:
 - a. The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or the California State University General Education – Breadth Requirements
 - b. A minimum of 18 semester units in a major or area of emphasis, as determined by the community college district.
2. Obtain a minimum grade point average of 2.0.

Program Outcomes

Students who complete the Associate in Arts in English for Transfer will be able to:

1. Demonstrate an ability to compose and communicate using appropriate rhetorical patterns and writing strategies.
2. Demonstrate college-level reading, writing, and analysis skills.
3. Demonstrate an understanding of the importance and influence of literature's study of the human condition in shaping and reflecting intellectual history and cultural identity.
4. Demonstrate, through study and analysis of literature from a variety of cultural or ethnic backgrounds and sexual orientations, an ability to recognize and examine assumptions about difference and social norms and an understanding of how the experience of reading literature from different perspectives can better prepare one for meaningful participation in a diverse global community.
5. Explore and/or demonstrate, through creative writing and/or analytical techniques, the practice and study of diverse literatures and publishing.

REQUIRED COURSES	Units
ENGL 002 Critical Thinking and Writing About Literature	4
Two courses from List A.....	6
Two courses from List B	6
One course from List C	3
Required Major Total Units	19

List A: (select two courses)	Units
ENGL 030 Survey of American Literature I	3
ENGL 031 Survey of American Literature II	3
ENGL 040 Survey of English Literature I	3
ENGL 041 Survey of English Literature II	3

List B: (select two courses)	Units
ENGL 006 Creative Writing I	3
ENGL 007 Creative Writing II	3
ENGL 010 Creative Writing III	3
ENGL 018 Introduction to Mythology.....	3
ENGL 021 Introduction to Poetry	3
ENGL 023 Introduction to the Modern Novel	3
ENGL 024 Introduction to the Short Story.....	3
ENGL 036 Multi-Ethnic Literature in America.....	3
ENGL 044 Introduction to Shakespeare.....	3
ENGL 058 Creative Writing: The Literary Magazine I	3
Any course from List A not already used	3

List C: (select one course)	Units
ENGL 059 Creative Writing: The Literary Magazine.....	3
HUMN 001 What it Means to be Human	3
Any course from List A or B not already used.....	3

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Associate in Arts

Program Description

The Associate in Arts in English provides the academic and practical experience for further education in English at a four-year institution or a career in English or further education or careers in fields related to English. By completing this program, students may complete transfer requirements to the CSU system and UC system as well as public and private universities both in and out of California to pursue a Bachelor's Degree in English, English Literature or Creative Writing. A Bachelor's Degree in English may also include various emphases such as creative writing, composition/rhetoric, education, literature, or linguistics. Students who complete the A.A. in English will also satisfy the requirements for the AA-T in English. In all cases, students should consult with a counselor for more information on university admission and transfer requirements.

Students will take courses in English as well as in related fields required for English majors. The English program teaches writing, critical thinking, reading, and research skills as they apply to the areas of composition, creative writing, and the analysis of literature. Course work in creative writing is presented in sequenced writing workshops and courses in literary publishing. Course work in literature explores primarily British and American writers through genre, survey, figure, and thematic courses.

The Associate in Arts in English can be obtained by completing the twenty-five (25) units for the major, General Education, and electives as needed to complete a minimum of 60 units. All courses in the major must be completed with a minimum grade of C or a P if the course is taken on a Pass/No Pass basis

Program Outcomes

Students who complete the Associate in Arts in English will be able to:

1. Demonstrate an ability to compose and communicate using appropriate rhetorical patterns and writing strategies.
2. Demonstrate college-level reading, writing, and analytical skills.
3. Demonstrate an understanding of the importance and influence of literature's study of the human condition in shaping and reflecting intellectual history and cultural identity.
4. Demonstrate, through the study and analysis of literature from a variety of cultural or ethnic backgrounds and sexual orientations, an ability to recognize and examine assumptions about difference and social norms and an understanding of how the experience of reading literature from different perspectives can better prepare one for meaningful participation in a diverse global community.
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REQUIRED COURSES **Units**

The courses are listed in the suggested sequence.

ENGL 002 Critical Thinking and Writing About Literature 4
Two courses from List A 6
Two courses from List B 6
Two courses from List C 6
One course from List D 3

Required Major Total Units.....**25**

List A: (select two courses) **Units**

ENGL 030 Survey of American Literature I 3
ENGL 031 Survey of American Literature II 3
ENGL 040 Survey of English Literature I 3
ENGL 041 Survey of English Literature II 3

List B: (select two courses)..... **Units**

ENGL 006 Creative Writing 1 3
ENGL 021 Introduction to Poetry 3
ENGL 023 Introduction to the Modern Novel 3
ENGL 024 Introduction to the Short Story..... 3
Any course(s) from List A not already used 3

List C: (select two courses)..... **Units**

ENGL 007 Creative Writing II 3
ENGL 010 Creative Writing III 3
ENGL 058 Creative Writing: The Literary Magazine I 3
ENGL 044 Introduction to Shakespeare..... 3
ENGL 018 Introduction to Mythology..... 3
ENGL 036 Multi-Ethnic Literature in America..... 3
Any course(s) from List A or B not already used..... 3

List D: (select one course) **Units**

ENGL 049 English Honors 3
ENGL 059 Creative Writing: The Literary Magazine II..... 3
HUMN 001 What it Means to be Human 3
Any course from List A, B, or C not already used..... 3