Suggested four-year plan for the BA in English

**First Year - First Semester**

**ENG 101 - College Composition** Credits: 3  
or  
**ENG 129 - Topics in English** Credits: 3 (not online)  
or  
**ENG 170 - Foundations of Literary Analysis** Credits: 3

**First Year - Second Semester**

**ENG 101 - College Composition** Credits: 3  
or  
**ENG 129 - Topics in English** Credits: 3 (not online)  
or  
**ENG 170 - Foundations of Literary Analysis** Credits: 3  
**ENG 205 - An Introduction to Creative Writing** Credits: 3  
Credits toward Additional Field Requirement (second language, minor or second major) General Education Credits: 8-9

**Second Year - First Semester**

**ENG 201 - Strategies for Writing Across Contexts** Credits: 3  
or  
**ENG 205 - An Introduction to Creative Writing** Credits: 3  
or  
**ENG 206 - Descriptive and Narrative Writing** Credits: 3  
or  
**ENG 222 - Reading Poems** Credits: 3  
Credits toward Additional Field Requirement, BA Requirement, General Education Requirements and electives Credits: 4-6

**Second Year - Second Semester**

**ENG 201 - Strategies for Writing Across Contexts** Credits: 3  
or  
**ENG 205 - An Introduction to Creative Writing** Credits: 3  
or  
**ENG 206 - Descriptive and Narrative Writing** Credits: 3  
or  
**ENG 317 - Business and Technical Writing** Credits: 3  
**ENG 271 - The Act of Interpretation** Credits: 3  
ENG 200 or 400-level Credits: 3  
200-level language if needed or credits chosen from remaining General Education and BA requirements and free electives Credits: 3-4

**Third Year - First Semester**

**ENG 315 - Research Writing in the Disciplines** Credits: 3  
ENG 300 or 400-level writing course in concentration. Credits: 3  
ENG 300 level literature courses. Credits: 3-6  
General Education and B.A. Requirements. Credits: 6-9
**Third Year - Second Semester**

ENG 300 or 400 level writing course. Credits: 3  
ENG 300 level literature course. Credits: 3-6  
Electives, other program requirements remaining. Credits: 3-6

**Fourth Year - First Semester**

ENG 400-level literature and writing courses including capstone options Credits: 3-12  
Electives. Credits: 3-9

**Fourth Year - Second Semester**

Finish capstone and ENG 300/400-level courses if you haven’t already done so.