

ENGLISH—PROFESSIONAL WRITING CONCENTRATION—CHECKSHEET

- » To graduate, a student must complete at least 120 total credit hours and have a minimum 2.0 Cumulative GPA and 2.00 Major GPA.
- » To better keep track of progress, please mark year course successfully completed and grade (e.g.: Spr '07 B+ ENGL 420 Chaucer and His Age).

THE MAJOR REQUIRES 40 HOURS AS FOLLOWS:

FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT: 6 Hours

You may be required to begin with 101 or 102 See your advisor or the head of MFL for language placement.

 MFL240 (6)

OR

 MFL 231 (3) **and**

 MFL 232 (3)

Gateway Course (1 hour)

 ENGL 200 – Intro to the English Major Credits: (1)

Capstone Course (3 hours) One of the following:

 ENGL 389 - Cooperative Education: Professional Writing Credits: (1 or 3, R15)

 ENGL 483 - Writing Internship Credits: (3)

English Surveys (6 Hours) Two of the following three Survey Core Courses

 ENGL 240 - Research, Literary Criticism & British Literature Credits: (3).

 ENGL 241 - Formalism & American Literature Credits: (3)

 ENGL 242 - Cultural Studies & Non-Western World Literature Credits: (3)

Professional Writing Core (6 hours)

 ENGL 302 - Introduction to Creative Writing and Editing Credits: 3

 ENGL 303 - Introduction to Professional Writing and Editing Credits: (3)

PROFESSIONAL WRITING ELECTIVES: Select 12 hours from

 **ENGL 304 Writing for Electronic Environments (3)

 *ENGL 306 Nonfiction Writing (3)

 **ENGL 307 Professional Editing and Publishing (3)

 * ENGL 308 Fiction Writing (3)

 *ENGL 309 Poetry Writing (3)

 FTP 310 Intro to Screen Writing (3)

 ENGL 315 Proposal and Grant Writing (3)

 ENGL 401 Writing for Careers (3)

 ENGL 402 Technical Writing (3)

 ENGL 405 Advanced Creative Writing (3)

 ENGL 412 Grammar for Writers (3)

 ENGL 429 Studies in Professional Writing (3)

 ENGL 493 Topics in Creative Writing (3)

*ENGL 302 Prerequisite for upper lvl courses such as ENGL 306, 308 and 309

**ENGL 303 Prerequisite for courses such as ENGL 304, 307 and 313

ELECTIVES:

Select 6 additional hours of Junior/Senior (3xx/4xx) English Courses

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LIBERAL STUDIES (LS) REQUIREMENT:

Please attach completed LS Checksheet to verify completion.

 Liberal Studies Requirements (42 hours)

MINOR/APPROVED PROGRAM :

BA English (Literature, Professional Writing, English Studies Pedagogy, or Motion Picture Studies) students who elect to enroll in the Professional Writing, Film Studies, Literature, or Creative Writing minor may not use an ENGL course for both the major and the minor; double counting of a course between those majors and minors is not allowed.

List Course Numbers Required by the Minor/Approved Program:

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GENERAL ELECTIVES

To graduate, a student must complete at least **120 total credit hours**. Professional Writing Students are encouraged to take ENGL classes as their general electives to meet the 120 hour requirement.

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Students must take at least 30 hours at the junior-senior level at WCU in order to satisfy general university degree requirements.