

English (B.A.) – 7-12 Certification

2025-2026 Academic Catalog, Bachelor of Arts – English, 7-12 Teaching Certification

Academic Core for B.A.

63 Hours

CHRISTIAN STUDIES **6**

CSBS 1311	Engaging the Old Testament	3
CSBS 1312	Engaging the New Testament	3

ENGLISH **9**

ENGL 1321	Rhetoric & Composition I	3
ENGL 1322	Rhetoric & Composition II	3
ENGL 2321	British Literature to 1785	3

A grade of a "C" or higher is required in ENGL 1321 and ENGL 1322.

EXERCISE & SPORT SCIENCE – SELECT TWO DIFFERENT COURSES **2**

EXAC	Activity Course	1
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FINE ARTS – SELECT ONE **3**

ARTS 1310	Drawing I	3
ARTS 1320	Design	3
ARTS 1350	Art Appreciation	3
ARTS 2360	Ceramics I	3
COMM 2335	Film Appreciation	3
FINA 2330	Exploring the Fine Arts	3
MUSI 1340	Music Appreciation	3
THEA 2350	Theatre Appreciation	3

FOREIGN LANGUAGE **14**

14 semester hours (4 semesters or the equivalent) in one language 14

LAB SCIENCE **4**

-	Laboratory Science Course	4
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PUBLIC SPEAKING **3**

COMM 1320	Public Speaking	3
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MATHEMATICS **3**

MATH 1304	Survey of Mathematics or higher	3
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LITERATURE OR HUMANITIES **3**

ENGL 2322	British Literature since 1785	3
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SOCIAL SCIENCE – SELECT ONE **3**

PSYC 1301	General Psychology	3
EDUC 2399	Child and Adolescent Development	3

US HISTORY OR US GOVERNMENT – SELECT ONE **3**

HIST 2311	American History to 1877	3
HIST 2312	American History since 1877	3
POLS 2305	United States Government	3
POLS 2306	Texas State and Local Government	3

WORLD CULTURES or ANY PHILOSOPHY – SELECT ONE **3**

ARTS 2354	World Art	3
EXSS 2353	Lifespan Nutrition	3
GLBL 2310	Cultural Immersion	3
HIST 1311	History of World Civilizations to 1500	3
HIST 1312	History of World Civilizations since 1500	3
HIST 2350	An Introduction to the Politics and Culture of Ancient Greece and Rome	3
HUMA 2355	Foundations of the Humanities	3
MUSI 2358	World Music	3
	any Philosophy course	3

WORLD CULTURES – SELECT ONE **3**

ARTS 2354	World Art	3
EXSS 2353	Lifespan Nutrition	3
GLBL 2310	Cultural Immersion	3
HIST 1311	History of World Civilizations to 1500	3
HIST 1312	History of World Civilizations since 1500	3
HIST 2350	An Introduction to the Politics and Culture of Ancient Greece and Rome	3
HUMA 2355	Foundations of the Humanities	3
MUSI 2358	World Music	3
PHIL 2315	Introduction to Philosophy	3

TECHNOLOGY **3**

EDUC 2311	Classroom Technology	3
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FRESHMAN SEMINAR **1**

UMHB 1101	Freshman Seminar	1
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CHAPEL – 1 to 4 credits

UMHB 1002	Chapel	
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Fine Arts Experience – 2 to 8 credits

UMHB 1005	Fine Arts Experience	
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English

58 Hours

B.A. ENGLISH MAJOR REQUIRED COURSES **32**

ENGL 3100	Introduction to the English Major	1
ENGL 3305	Foundations of English	3
ENGL 3315	American Literature	3
ENGL 3323	World Literature	3
ENGL 3335	Contemporary Global Literature	3
ENGL 4100	Capstone to the English Major	1
ENGL 4321	Shakespeare	3
ENGL 4341	Literary Theory and Criticism	3
WRIT 3342	Advanced Grammar	3
WRIT 4340	Advanced Composition	3
WRIT 4343	Advanced Rhetoric	3

One of the Following:

WRIT 3340	Creative Writing: Poetry	3
WRIT 3341	Creative Writing: Prose	3

Student must earn a "C" or better in major.

MINOR IN PEDAGOGY AND PROF. PRACTICES **26**

EDUC 3315	Students and Learning	3
EDUC 4324	Classroom Management	3
EDUC 4328	Curriculum Design	3
READ 4326	Disciplinary Literacy	3
EDUC 4385	Educational Internship	3
EDUC 4150/4250	Certification Preparation Seminar	1
EDUC 4501	Student Teaching I	5
EDUC 4502	Student Teaching II	5

Admissions to Teacher Education Program- Cumulative GPA must be a minimum of 2.75. A minimum 3.00 GPA and no grade lower than a "C" are required in certification area & professional development.

Total Hours

Academic Core for B.A.	63
B.A. English Major Required Courses	32
Minor in Pedagogy and Professional Practices	26
Total hours required for graduation	121

Additional Graduation Requirements

Minimum Upper Level hours	36
Minimum hours taken at UMHB	30
Minimum Upper Level hours taken at UMHB	24
Minimum cumulative GPA	2.75

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FRESHMAN FALL 15 Hours

ENGL 1321	Rhetoric & Composition I*	3
	Foreign Language	4
MATH	1304 or higher	3
COMM 1320	Public Speaking	3
EXAC	Activity Course	1
UMHB 1101	First Year Seminar	1
UMHB 1002	Chapel	0
UMHB 1005	Fine Arts Experience	0

FRESHMAN SPRING 16 Hours

ENGL 1322	Rhetoric & Composition II*	3
	Foreign Language	4
	Fine Arts	3
	Social Science	3
EDUC 2311	Classroom Technology	3
UMHB 1002	Chapel	0
UMHB 1005	Fine Arts Experience	0

SOPHOMORE FALL 14 Hours

ENGL 2321	British Literature to 1785*	3
	Foreign Language	3
	Lab Science	4
CSBS 1311	Engaging the Old Testament	3
ENGL 3100	Introduction to the English Major	1
UMHB 1002	Chapel	0
UMHB 1005	Fine Arts Experience	0

SOPHOMORE SPRING 16 Hours

ENGL 2322	British Literature since 1785*	3
	Foreign Language	3
	US History or US Government	3
CSBS 1312	Engaging the New Testament	3
EXAC	Activity Course	1
EDUC 3315	Students and Learning	3
UMHB 1002	Chapel	0
UMHB 1005	Fine Arts Experience	0

JUNIOR FALL 15 Hours

	World Cultures	3
ENGL	English (3000-level Literature)**	3
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WRIT	Writing	3
EDUC 4324	Classroom Management	3
UMHB 1005	Fine Arts Experience	0

JUNIOR SPRING 15 Hours

ENGL	English (upper level)	3
EDUC 4328	Curriculum Design	3
ENGL	English (upper level)	3
WRIT	Writing	3
WRIT	Writing	3
UMHB 1005	Fine Arts Experience	0

SENIOR FALL 18 Hours

	World Cultures or Philosophy	3
EDUC 4385	Educational Internship	3
WRIT	Writing	3
ENGL	English (upper level)	3
READ 4326	Disciplinary Literacy	3
ENGL 4341	Literary Theory and Criticism	3
UMHB 1005	Fine Arts Experience	0

SENIOR SPRING 12 Hours

ENGL 4100	Capstone to the English Major	1
EDUC 4150/4250	Certification Preparation Seminar	1
EDUC 4501	Student Teaching I	5
EDUC 4502	Student Teaching II	5
UMHB 1005	Fine Arts Experience	0

* Prerequisites for upper-level English courses.

** Prerequisite for 4000-level Literature courses

Total Credit Hours: 121