College of Southern Maryland & West Virginia University



Associate of Arts in General Studies: English A.A. leading to Bachelor of Arts in Professional Writing and Editing B.A.
Suggested Plan of Study



College of Southern Maryland	Hours	WVU Equivalents	Hours			
Year One, 1st Semester						
ENG 1010	3	ENGL 101	3			
FYS 1010	3	WVUE 191	3			
MTH 1010	3	MATH 121	3			
SCE 1010	3	PHYS 1TC	3			
SOC 1010	3	SOC 101	3			
TOTAL	15		15			
	Year One, 2 nd Semester					
ENG 1020	3	ENGL 102	3			
COM 1010	3	MDS 270	3			
Arts/Humanities (Except ENG)	3	Elective	3			
Bio/Physical Science	4	Elective	4			
Social/Behavioral Science (Except SOC)	3	Elective	3			
TOTAL	16		16			
Year Two, 1 st Semester						
ITS 1010	3	CIS 100	3			
Arts/Humanities (Except ENG)	3	Elective	3			
ENG 2030 or ENG 2040 or ENG 2070 or ENG 2140 (English)	3	ENGL 132 or ENGL 234 or ENGL 232 or ENGL 230	3			
English Lit Elective	3	Elective	3			
Elective	3	Elective	3			
TOTAL	15		15			
	Year Two,	2 nd Semester				
English Lit Elective	3	Elective	3			
English Lit Elective	3	Elective	3			
Elective	3	Elective	3			
Elective	3	Elective	3			
Elective	2	Elective	2			
TOTAL	14		14			

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Year Three, 1 st Semester		Year Three, 2 nd Semester		
WRIT 202	3	WRIT 301	3	
WRIT 304 or WRIT 305	3	WRIT 302	3	
General Elective or Minor Course (1)	3	Topical Area Course (1)	3	
General Elective	3	Upper-Division Elective (1)	3	
General Elective	3	General Elective or Minor Course (2)	3	
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	15	
Year Four, 1st Semester		Year Four, 2 nd Semester		
Topical Area Course (2)	3	WRIT 480 (Capstone)	3	
Upper-Division Elective (2)	3	Upper-Division Elective (3)	3	
General Elective or Minor Course (3)	3	General Elective or Minor Course (4)	3	
General Elective	3	General Elective or Minor Course (5)	3	
General Elective	3	General Elective	3	
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	15	

Students must a grade of C- or better in all ENG courses taken to be admitted to the English program at WVU.

Students will need to select one (1) Topical Area of 6-credits during their time at WVU:

- Editing and Publishing
- Creative Writing & Narrative Strategies
- Literacy and Language

Students completing degrees in WVU's Eberly College of Arts and Sciences are encouraged to work with their advisors to integrate completion of an academic minor or minors into their programs of study, to the degree allowed within elective hours. WVU offers over 100 minors that complement major fields of study, build on students' unique interests, expand perspectives, and broaden skills. See

http://catalog.wvu.edu/undergraduate/minors/#minorsofferedtext for a list of available minors.

Students transferring to West Virginia University with an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree will have satisfied the General Education Foundation requirements at WVU.

Students who have questions about admission into their intended program, GEF requirements, GEF Focus courses, minors, or any other issue relating to academics at West Virginia University should contact the Office of Undergraduate Education at WVU.

The above transfer articulation of credit between West Virginia University and College of Southern Maryland, is approved by the Dean, or the Dean's designee, and effective the date of the signature.

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