

I. CORE CURRICULUM 44

Six semester hours of literature courses may be applied toward satisfying the humanities requirement and toward satisfying the English Major. Three semester hours of Foreign Language 1040 or 1050 (or 1060) may be used in humanities requirement and the remaining three hours must be a fine arts.

II. FOREIGN LANGUAGE (Completion of 6 semester hours at the *intermediate level, or higher) 6

_____ 1040 (MC) _____ and 1050 (MC) _____ or 1060 (MC); or higher level courses _____

**NOTE: Foreign language 1010 and 1020 (or 1030) are prerequisites for the intermediate level courses.*

III. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS..... 36

2.0 major GPA is required for graduation. Major GPA calculation will include all courses taken in the major department, plus any other courses under III. Minimum of 18 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill major requirements must be courses offered by Appalachian. No more than 40 semester hours of English courses may be counted toward the BA Degree.

To enter the Professional Writing concentration, students must Complete ENG 3090 with a grade of B- or better; Have an entrance conference with a member of the professional writing faculty, one who will also serve as academic advisor for each student in the concentration. To remain active in the concentration, students must maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0 in the concentration.

Each student concentrating in Professional Writing will take 18-21 semester hours from the following courses as partial fulfillment of requirements for the B.A. in English:

A. Professional Writing Courses

ENG 3090 _____ (3) Intro. to Professional Writing (W, S)

And at least two of the following:

ENG 3100 _____ (3) Business Writing (W, S)

ENG 3700 _____ (3) Technical Writing (W, S)

ENG 4100 _____ (3) Documentation (W, S, C)

ENG 4200 _____ (3) Editing (W, S)

B. Other

And at least one of the following:

COM 2101 _____ (3) Public Speaking (S)

COM 2106 _____ (3) Argumentation and Advocacy (W, S)

COM 3110 _____ (3) Small Group Communication

COM 3124 _____ (3) Intercultural Communication (W, MC, CD)

COM 3152 _____ (3) Communication in Organizations

COM 3155 _____ (3) Theory and Practice of Persuasion (W, S)

C. Senior Experience

And both of the following:

ENG 4300 _____ (3) Seminar in Professional Writing (W, S)

ENG 4900 _____ (3 or 6) Internship in Writing and Editing

<u>Major Designators</u>	
2 Writing (W)	_____
1 Speaking (S)	_____
Certified Proficiency in Communication (CPC) _____	
CPC is met with a grade of C (2.0) or better in the speaking course required in the major and in the two writing courses within the major	
<u>Other Designators</u>	
4 Writing (W)	_____
(English 1000 and 1100 will count as 2 W)	
4 Multi Cultural (MC)	_____
(History 1101 and 1102 will count as 2 MC)	
2 Numerical Data (ND)	_____
2 Computer (C)	_____
1 Cross Disciplinary (CD)	_____

Electives beyond the 18-21 semester hours Professional Writing concentration are required for a minimum of 36 semester hours for the BA major.

IV. MINOR REQUIRED 12-20

Minimum of 9 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill minor requirements must be courses offered by Appalachian.

V. ELECTIVES (taken to total 122 hours for the degree) 16-24

2 semester hours of free electives must be outside the major discipline.