



COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

ENGLISH

As **English** majors, students at UofM embark on a flexible degree path through one of **six concentrations**. The program enables students to explore their passions and creativity while teaching them to **think critically**, **read analytically** and **write skillfully and persuasively**. An education in English prepares students for careers in a variety of fields, and for graduate and professional studies.

MAJOR CONCENTRATIONS

- African American Literature
- Applied Linguistics
- Creative Writing
- Literature
- Professional Writing
- Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages
 - TESOL General Track
 - TESOL PreK-12 Licensure Track

SAMPLE CURRICULUM

Core Courses

- ENGL 3210 British Literature to 1750
- ENGL 3220 British Literature Since 1750
- ENGL 3327 American Literature to 1865

Electives

- ENGL 3401 Children's Literature
- ENGL 3511 Intro to Linguistics
- ENGL 3603 Engineering Communications
- ENGL 3607 Fiction Writing
- ENGL 3701 Literary Criticism & Theory
- ENGL 4374 African American Literature Movements
- ENGL 4430 Graphic Novel
- ENGL 4619 Web & Online Writing

DEGREES & CONCENTRATIONS

- BA in English*
 - Honors in English
- Minor in English
- Accelerated BA/MA in English
- MA in English
 - Applied Linguistics
 - Literature
 - Technical Communication*
 - TESOL*
 - Writing & Rhetoric
- MFA in Creative Writing
 - Creative Non-Fiction
 - Fiction
 - Poetry
- PhD in English
 - Applied Linguistics
 - Literary & Cultural Studies
 - Writing, Rhetoric & Technical Communication

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- Graduate Certificates
 - African American Literature
 - TESOL*
- Internships
- Study Abroad

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MAJOR FACT SHEET

BY THE NUMBERS (Spring 2024)

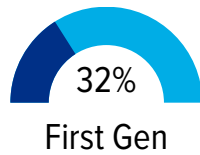
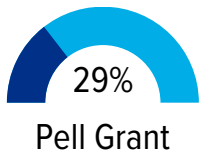
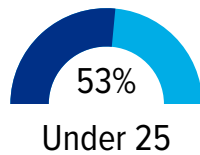
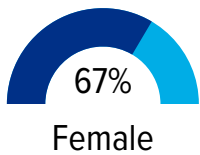
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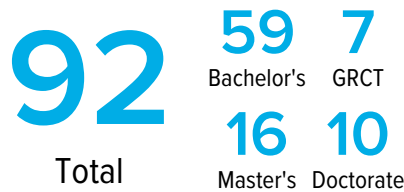
Number of Minors



Student Demographics



Degrees Awarded



Career Outcomes[‡]



TN Employment Outlook



Faculty Employed



WHO YOU ARE

Personality

- Contemplative
- Creative
- Curious
- Empathetic
- Imaginative
- Independent

Interests & Hobbies

- Creative Pursuits
- History & Culture
- Language
- Literature & Media
- Reading
- Writing

WHAT YOU'LL LEARN

Core Skills

- Analyzing & Interpreting Text
- Copywriting
- Copyediting
- Researching & Reporting
- Style Guides
- Technical Writing

Transferable Skills

- Adaptability
- Critical Thinking
- Media & Cultural Literacy
- Organizing Ideas & Information
- Persuasion
- Written & Oral Communication

CAREER OPTIONS

Job Titles

- Attorney
- Brand Strategist
- Communications Director
- Copy Editor / Copywriter
- Linguist
- Marketing Associate
- Medical Writer
- Publisher
- Social Media Manager
- User Experience Writer

Industries

- Business
- Journalism
- Marketing
- Publishing
- Technology

^{*} Online degree options are available for the specified programs through UofM Global.

[†] Calculated based on the number of student majors and the number of full-time faculty.

[‡] Based on self-reported post-graduation outcomes of UofM students who have earned a Bachelor's degree in the last ten years.