Total Course Requirements for the Bachelor’s Degree:  120 units
See “Requirements for the Bachelor’s Degree” in the University Catalog for complete details on general degree requirements. A minimum of 40 units, including those required for the major, must be upper division.

General Education Pathway Requirements:  48 units
See “General Education” in the University Catalog and the Class Schedule for the most current information on General Education Pathway Requirements and course offerings.

Diversity Course Requirements:  6 units
See “Diversity Requirements” in the University Catalog. Most courses taken to satisfy these requirements may also apply to General Education.

Literacy Requirement:
See Mathematics and Writing Requirements in the University Catalog. Writing proficiency in the major is a graduation requirement and may be demonstrated through satisfactory completion of a course in your major which has been designated as the Writing Proficiency (WP) course for the semester in which you take the course. Students who earn below a C- are required to repeat the course and earn a C- or higher to receive WP credit. See the Class Schedule for the designated WP courses for each semester. You must pass ENGL 130 or JOUR 130 (or equivalent) with a C- or higher before you may register for a WP course. WP courses are designated with a *.

Course Requirements for the Major:  42-60 units
Completion of the following courses, or their approved transfer equivalents, is required of all candidates for this degree. Additional required courses, depending upon the selected option or advising pattern, are outlined following the major core program requirements.

MAJOR CORE PROGRAM: 9 UNITS

3 courses required:
ENGL 276  Survey of Early British Literature  3.0
ENGL 335*  Rhetoric and Writing  3.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 130 or JOUR 130 (or equivalent) with a grade of C- or higher.
ENGL 340  Approaches to Literary Genres  3.0

Major Option Course Requirements: 33-51
The following courses, or their approved transfer equivalents, are required dependent upon the option chosen. Students must select one of the following options for the completion of the major course requirements.

Note: Students pursuing the Option in English Education must take the following 2 GE courses:
CMST 131  Speech Communication Fundamentals  3.0
THEA 110  Introduction to the Theatre  3.0
THE OPTION IN ENGLISH EDUCATION: 47-51 units
The program below fulfills all requirements for the Single Subject matter Preparation Program in English, which will lead to a California teaching credential. See the Single Subject Matter Teaching Credential section for additional information.

Teacher Preparation Option Core: 35-37 units
8 courses required:

- ENGL 220  Beginning Creative Writing 4.0
- ENGL 332  Introduction to Literacy Studies 4.0
- ENGL 371  Principles of Language 3.0
- ENGL 375  Introduction to English Grammar 3.0
- ENGL 441*  Shakespeare 3.0

Prerequisites: ENGL 130 or JOUR 130 (or equivalent) with a grade of C- or higher; ENGL 276, ENGL 340
- ENGL 470  Theory and Practice of Second Language Acquisition 3.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 371
- ENGL 489  Internship in English 1.0-3.0
- ENGL 534  Literature, Language, and Composition 3.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 335, ENGL 375, and ENGL 441

2 courses selected from:

- ENGL 277  Survey of Later British Literature 3.0
- ENGL 278  Survey of Early American Literature 3.0
- ENGL 279  Survey of Later American Literature 3.0

1 course selected from:
Any 400-level literature courses. All literature courses are 3 units.

1 course selected from:

- ENGL 463  American Multicultural Literature 3.0
This course is also offered as MCGS 463
- ENGL 464  World Literature Written in English 3.0
- ENGL 467  Teaching Multicultural Literature 3.0

Areas of Study: 12-14 units
The following courses, or their approved equivalents, are required of all candidates in this option depending on the chosen Area of Study. Students must select one of the following areas for completion of the English Education Option course requirements.

Creative Writing: 12 units

3 courses required:

- ENGL 320*  Poetry Writing 4.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 130 or JOUR 130 (or equivalent) with a grade of C- or higher, ENGL 220 for English Educ students only.
- ENGL 321*  Fiction Writing 4.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 130 or JOUR 130 (or equivalent) with a grade of C- or higher, ENGL 220 for English Educ students only.
- ENGL 327*  Creative Nonfiction 4.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 130 or JOUR 130 (or equivalent) with a grade of C- or higher, ENGL 220 for English Educ students only.
Or the following group of course requirements may be substituted for the above:
Two 300-level creative writing courses and one 400-level creative writing course in the same genre as one of the 300-level courses taken for a total of 12 units. All creative writing courses are 4 units.

General Studies: 13-14 units

Creative Writing:

1 course selected from:
ENGL 320*  Poetry Writing  4.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 130 or JOUR 130 (or equivalent) with a grade of C- or higher, ENGL 220 for English Educ students only.
ENGL 321*  Fiction Writing  4.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 130 or JOUR 130 (or equivalent) with a grade of C- or higher, ENGL 220 for English Educ students only.
ENGL 327*  Creative Nonfiction  4.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 130 or JOUR 130 (or equivalent) with a grade of C- or higher, ENGL 220 for English Educ students only.

Literature:

2 courses selected from:
Any 400-level literature courses for a total of 6 units, in addition to those taken to satisfy core requirements.

Language and Literacy:

1 course selected from:
ENGL 372  Pedagogical Grammar  3.0
ENGL 431  Theory and Practice in Tutoring Composition  4.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 333 and ENGL 335 are strongly recommended.
ENGL 475  History of the English Language  3.0
ENGL 477  Semantics: Language and Meaning  3.0
ENGL 478  Linguistic Approaches to Reading  3.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 371 or ENGL 471

Language and Literacy

2 courses required:
ENGL 431  Theory and Practice in Tutoring Composition  4.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 333 and ENGL 335 are strongly recommended
ENGL 478  Linguistics Approaches to Reading  3.0
Prerequisite: ENGL 371 or ENGL 471

2 courses selected from:
ENGL 372  Pedagogical Grammar  3.0
Prerequisite: ENGL 371
ENGL 473  Historical Linguistics  3.0
Prerequisite: ENGL 371
ENGL 474  Syntactic and Morphological Analysis  3.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 371, ENGL 375
ENGL 475  History of the English Language  3.0
ENGL 476*  Phonological Analysis  3.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 130 or JOUR 130 (or equivalent) with a grade of C- or higher, ENGL 371
ENGL 477   Semantics: Language and Meaning  3.0
ENGL 479   Language and Gender in Cross-Cultural Perspectives  3.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 371 or WMST 200.
This course is also offered as MCGS 479

Literature: 12 units

4 courses selected from:
Any 400-level literature courses.

Theatre Arts: 12 units

2 courses selected from:
THEA 121   Stage Electrics  3.0
This course is also offered as CDES 121
THEA 220   Stagecraft  3.0
THEA 222   Costume Crafts  3.0
THEA 223   Make-Up  3.0

1 course selected from:
THEA 112   Acting for Non-Majors  3.0
THEA 160   Foundations of Acting  3.0
Prerequisites: Declared Theatre or Musical Theatre major or minor.
THEA 225   Stage Management  3.0
Prerequisites: THEA 120, THEA 160; THEA 205 or THEA 206
THEA 250   Textual Analysis for Production  3.0
Prerequisites: For Theatre and Musical Theatre majors: THEA 150; for Theatre Minors and all others: THEA 110

1 course selected from:
ENGL 452   Development of British Drama  3.0
Prerequisites: ENGL 276, ENGL 340
ENGL 453   Modern Drama  3.0

Electives Requirement:
To complete the total units required for the bachelor’s degree, select additional elective courses from the total University offerings. Students should consult with an adviser regarding the selection of courses that will provide breadth to your University experience and apply to a supportive second major or minor.

Grading Requirement:
All courses taken to fulfill major course requirements must be taken for a letter grade, except those courses specified by the department as Credit/No Credit grading only.

Advising Requirement:
Advising is mandatory for all majors in this degree program. Consult your undergraduate advisor for specific information.