

Major in English: Option in English Education + Minor in Secondary Language Arts

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English Major Core Courses: 7 Required Courses

- ENGL 220W Beginning Creative Writing
- ENGL 276 Survey of Early British Literature
- ENGL 315 Introduction to Literary Editing and Publishing
- ENGL 332 Intro to Literacy Studies
- ENGL 335W Rhetoric and Writing (Writing Proficiency Course: need C- or better)
- ENGL 340 Approaches to Literary Genres
- ENGL 371 Principles of Language

English Education Option Courses: 7 Required Courses

- ENGL 375 Introduction to English Grammar
- ENGL 441W Shakespeare
- ENGL 470 Second Language Acquisition (Prerequisite: ENGL 371)
- ENGL 534W Literature/Lang/Composition (Spring only; take during final spring semester)

Literature Surveys: Choose two courses from:

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

Multicultural Literature Course: Choose one course from:

- ENGL 464 World Literature Written in English
- ENGL 467 Teaching Multicultural Literature

Minor in Secondary Language Arts (Optional, but recommended):

Minor Core: 2 Required Courses

- EDTE 265 Exploration of Teaching and Learning in Diverse K-12 Settings (Credential Prerequisite)
- ENGL 534W Literature/Lang/Composition (Spring only; take during final spring semester)

Additional Courses (12-14 units): Choose one course grouping and complete requirements within that set

Grouping 1: General Studies (4 courses required)

- Creative Writing: Choose **one** from ENGL: 320W 321W 327W 415
- Literature: Choose **two** upper-division literature courses not used to fulfill any other requirements
- Language and Literacy: Choose **one** from ENGL: 330 431 472 475 477 478

Grouping 2: Creative Writing (3 courses required)

- Choose Three: 320W 321W 327W 415 420 421
 - *Optional:* Earn a Creative Writing Minor with the following additional courses:
 - One additional creative writing course: ENGL 320, 321, 327, 420, 421
 - ENGL 279 (can be used to fulfill the Literature Survey requirement above)
 - Choose 1: ENGL 451, 453, or 461 (can be used to fulfill the 400-level Lit requirement)

Grouping 3: Language and Literacy (4 courses required)

- Choose Four: 330 331 431 435 436 438
 472 473 474 475 476 477 479 481

Grouping 4: Literature (4 courses required)

- Choose any **four** upper-division literature courses not used to fulfill any other requirements

Grouping 5: Theatre Arts (4 courses required)

- Two courses required: THEA 170 THEA 250
- Two courses chosen from: THEA 112 THEA 220 THEA 311 THEA 354 THEA 380
 ENGL 452 ENGL 453

Other Remaining Coursework:

- General Education: _____
- Chico State Credential Program Prerequisites: _____

Additional Coursework to Include in your planning:

General Education Upper Division Pathway: 3 Courses

- Consult with the HFA Success Studio in PAC 109 or Academic Advising in SSC 220 to make sure your General Education requirements are in order
- Check that that you have fulfilled your Diversity requirements (Global Cultures, United States Diversity) before completing the Upper Division Pathway
 - If you have to meet either of these, choose a pathway that includes GC or USD courses
- Any remaining Writing Intensive GE requirements you may have should be met by ENGL 220W, 335W, and 441W, all of which are required in the English Education option

Credential Program Prerequisites: 3+ Courses

- The CSUC School of Education offers many routes to earning a teaching credential
- Each program includes prerequisite courses, and you should refer to personnel from the School of Education to check on each program's specific prerequisites
- **Basic Skills Verification:** Each program requires that teacher candidates have demonstrated basic skills competency at the time of application to the program
 - The **CBEST** test is one way to accomplish this, but there are other ways to demonstrate this as well; see the English Education FAQ at <http://bit.ly/chico-english-ed>
- **Subject Matter Competency:** Each program requires teacher candidates to verify subject matter preparation, via **one** of these:
 - Complete the CCTC-Approved program, which is the English Education Option **and** the Minor in Secondary Language Arts
 - Take and pass the **CSET** English exam
 - Complete a BA degree in English from an accredited university
 - Demonstrate subject matter preparation via a combination of CSET Subtest scores and college coursework from an accredited university

Chico State's Single-Subject Credential Program Prerequisites: 3+ Courses

- If you plan to complete your credential somewhere other than Chico State, you **do not** need these courses
- Most students in our English Education major apply for the Single Subject Credential program
- The Single Subject Credential program has four Prerequisite Courses and two Additional Courses
- **Prerequisites:**
 - *ENGL 471 Intensive 2nd Language Acquisition (covered by ENGL 371 & 470 in the major)*
 - **EDTE 265** Teaching & Learning in Diverse K-12 Settings (3 units—included in minor)
 - **EDTE 302** Access and Equity in Education (3 units)
 - **EDTE 530** Fundamentals of Teaching Practice (3 units)
- **Additional Courses:**
 - These two classes are required of all single-subject teacher candidates, and must be taken before the university can recommend a person for a credential
 - These classes can be taken before or during the credential program
 - **EDTE 534** Teaching Special Populations (2 units)
 - **EDTE 451** Adolescent Health (3 units)
 - *This class can transfer to any credential program in California to fulfill the Adolescent Health requirement*

Planning Notes