



Associate of Arts to Bachelor of Arts in English (Creative Writing Track)

Completion of the following curriculum will satisfy the requirements for the **Associate of Arts** degree at Gateway Community and Technical College and leads to the **Bachelor of Arts in English** degree at Northern Kentucky University.

Degree requirement for GCTC:


1) completion of minimum 60 credit hours, 2) minimum cumulative GPA 2.0, 3) minimum of 15 credit hours earned at the institution awarding the degree, 4) cultural studies course, and 5) demonstration of computer/digital literacy.

Degree requirements for a Bachelor of Arts in English (Creative Writing Track):

Students must meet the pre-requisites for each course. Students must earn at least a "C" in all courses counted for the major. All English majors are required to demonstrate (1) intermediate-level proficiency in a foreign language previously spoken or used to satisfy the NKU entrance requirement or (2) novice-level-proficiency in a second foreign language. Students can demonstrate intermediate-level-proficiency by either completing the appropriate 200-level course in the language studied in high school or by attaining an acceptable score on the CLEP test in that language. Students can demonstrate novice-level-proficiency by completing two semesters of a language not previously studied or spoken.


GCTC AA TO NKU BA IN ENGLISH (CREATIVE WRITING TRACK) CHECKLIST


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Category I: General Education Core Requirements				
GCTC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	
ENG 101	Writing I (WC)	3	ENG 101	
ENG 102	Writing II (WC)	3	ENG 102	
COM 181	Basic Public Speaking (OC)	3	CMST 101	
TBS XXX	Arts & Humanities (AH) – Heritage	3	TBD XXX	
ENG 161	Introduction to Literature (AH)	3	ENG 200	
TBS XXX	Social & Behavioral Sciences Course (SB)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Social & Behavioral Sciences Course (SB)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Social & Behavioral Sciences Course (SB)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Natural Science Course with Lab (SL)	4	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Quantitative Reasoning Course (QR)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Natural Science Course (SL) OR Quantitative Reasoning Course (QR)	3	TBD XXX	
Subtotal General Education Courses		34		

TBS XXX means to be selected by GCTC student.

TBD XXX means to be determined by NKU based on course selected.

Category II: AA Requirements				
GCTC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	
SPA 101	Elementary Spanish I	4	SPI 101	
SPA 102	Elementary Spanish II	4	SPI 102	
ENG 207 OR ENG 203	Beginning Workshop in Imaginative Writing OR Business Writing	3	ENG 231 OR ENG 340	
Subtotal AA Requirement Courses		11		

Category III: Electives				
GCTC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	
CIT 105 OR OST 105	Introduction to Computing OR Introduction to Information Systems (Fulfills Digital Literacy Requirement) ¹	3	BIS 101	
ENG 251 OR ENG 221 ²	Survey of American Literature I OR Survey of English Literature I	3	ENG 208 OR ENG 202	
ENG 252 OR ENG 222 ²	Survey of American Literature II OR Survey of English Literature II	3	ENG 209 OR ENG 203	
Gateway2NKU	Introduction to English Studies	3	ENG 250	
Gateway2NKU	Introduction to Writing Studies	3	ENG 204	
Subtotal Elective Courses		15		
Total Associate Degree Hours		60		

¹If Fulfilling Digital Literacy Requirement in another way besides CIT 105 or OST 105, may need additional hours.

²To meet the English core requirement, students must take either ENG 251 AND 252 or ENG 221 AND ENG 222.

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Category IV: Major Requirements for the BA in English (Creative Writing Track)				
NKU Course	Course	Credits	GCTC Course	Taken at GCTC
ENG 202 OR ENG 208	Survey of British Literature I OR Survey of American Literature I	3	ENG 251 OR ENG 221	X
ENG 203 OR ENG 209	Survey of British Literature II OR Survey of American Literature II	3	ENG 252 OR ENG 222	X
ENG 250	Introduction to English Studies	3	Gateway2NKU	X
ENG 200	Understanding Literature	3	ENG 161	X
ENG 204	Introduction to Writing Studies	3	Gateway2NKU	X
ENG 307	Diverse Voices in English Studies	3		
ENG 231 OR ENG 340	Intro to Creative Writing OR Business Writing	3	ENG 207 OR ENG 203	X
ENG 350 OR ENG 351	Critical Theory OR Rhetorical Theories & Writing Practices	3		
ENG 323 OR ENG 335	Writers in Context OR Craft of Creative Writing	3		
TBS XXX	Choose 3 courses from Creative Writing Group A (See Catalog)	9		
TBS XXX	Choose 2 courses from Creative Writing Group B (See Catalog)	6		
TBS XXX	Choose 2 courses from Creative Writing Group C (See Catalog)	6		
ENG 450	Capstone in English Studies	3		
Subtotal Major Credit Hours Taken at NKU		33		

Graduation from NKU requires that a student successfully complete a minimum of 120 hours in college-level coursework, 45 of which must be earned at the 300/400 level. Unless otherwise noted, students are required to have a minor and should work closely with their NKU academic advisor to ensure all major/minor and graduation requirements are fulfilled.

Category V: Additional Requirements			
Subtotal Minor (at least 6 courses at 300/400 level) Credit Hours:	12-21		
Subtotal Elective (300/400 level as needed) Hours:	6-15		
Total Baccalaureate Degree Credit Hours:	120		

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