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Semester One: [16 Credit Hours]

RC 1000	3			May take fall or spring semester of first year
Foreign Language 1040 (or CSD 3372)	3			FL 1010 & 1020 are prerequisites for this level; if test out of this level, take appropriate level (FL 1060 may be option for some languages)
Integrative Learning Experience Course 1	3			HS or FA or SS Designation
Gen. Ed Science Inquiry Course	4			
Liberal Studies Experience Course 1	3			HS or FA or SS Designation

Semester Two: [17 Credit Hours]

UCO 1200	3			May take fall or spring semester of first year
Quantitative Literacy Course	4			
Gen Ed Science Inquiry	4			
Foreign Language 1050 (or CSD 3374)	3			Counts as Liberal Studies Experience Course 2 ; if language complete, take Free Elective
ENG 2040 or ENG 4590	3		X	ENG 2040 may count in Integrative Learning Experience "From Empire to Globalization" theme depending on choices

Semester Three: [15 Credit Hours]

RC 2001	3			May take fall or spring semester of sophomore year
EDU 2000	3	C		Must be taken prior to admission to Teacher Education
EDU 2100	3	C		Must be taken prior to admission to Teacher Education
ENG 2030	3		X	Counts as Liberal Studies Experience Course 3 and Literary Studies Designation
Gen Ed Wellness Literacy Course	1			
Free Elective	2			Must be course other than ENG

Complete Teacher Education Admission application (Min 2.7 cumulative GPA required)

Semester Four: [15 Credit Hours]

PSY 3010	3		X	
ENG 2120, 2130, 2310, or 2320	3		X	ENG 2120 may count in Integrative Learning Experience "American Culture: Past and Present" or ENG 2130 may count in "Intersections: Race, Class, and Gender" depending on choices
ENG 2010 or 2020	3		X	
Liberal Studies Experience Course 4	3			If Liberal Studies Experience is complete, take Free Elective
Integrative Learning Experience Course 2	3			HS or FA or SS Designation

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Semester Five: [14 Credit Hours]

EDU 3000	3	C		Admission to Teacher Education required
ENG 3300	3	C	X	
ENG 4000 level American or British Lit course	3		X	See POS for choices based on 2000-level ENG course choice
Gen Ed Wellness Literacy Course	1			
Integrative Learning Experience Course 3	3			If Integrative Learning Experience is complete, take Free Elective
Free Elective	1*			*Make sure you will take enough hours to meet the minimum 120 required for the degree

Semester Six: [15 Credit Hours]
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ENG 4830 or 4840	3		X	
ENG 3610	3		X	
ENG 3580	3		X	[WID]
ENG 4000 level American or British Lit course	3		X	See POS for choices based on 2000-level ENG course choice
ENG 4560	3		X	

Semester Seven: [16 Credit Hours]
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3 sh ENG Criticism/Genre/CW Course	3		X	Choose from list of courses on POS
ENG 4591	3	C	X	
ENG 3900	1		X	
ENG 4660	3		X	
LIT 4620	3	C	X	
EDU 3100	3	C		Admission to Teacher Education required

Semester Eight: [12 Credit Hours]
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EDU 4900	12			CAPSTONE; Minimum 2.7 cumulative GPA required to do student teaching
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General Requirements Summary				
Minimum Total Hours	Gen Ed. Hours	Writing	Minimum	
			Major GPA	Overall GPA
120	44	RC 1000 and RC 2001	2.0	2.0

All ENG courses and all courses in Major Requirements area count in the major GPA.

General Education Program Model - 44 Semester Hours Total		
Program Categories	Hours	Important Notes – <i>Be sure to check for Gen Ed courses required in your major</i>
First Year Seminar	3	Can be taken first or second semester of freshman year
Wellness Literacy	2	
Quantitative Literacy	4	
First Year Writing	3	Can be taken first or second semester of freshman year
Sophomore Writing	3	
Integrative Learning Experience		
Liberal Studies Experience		
Science Inquiry		

You must also meet the Fine Arts, Literary Studies, Historical Studies, and the Social Science Designations. Those may be met within the Integrative Learning Experience and the Liberal Studies Experience.

Additional Notes:

- Foreign language requirement:
 - Student must take the Foreign Language Placement Test to determine starting course for the foreign language sequence.
 - If Foreign Language 1010 & 1020 taken for prerequisite purposes, they will count in place of 6 hours of Free Electives (3 hours per course).
 - FL 1030 may substitute for FL 1010 & 1020 for some languages; FL 1060 may substitute for FL 1040 & 1050 for some languages.
 - Foreign language classes can be taken in summer semesters.



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- If courses are permitted to count in both General Education and the major requirements, additional elective hours may be needed to meet the minimum 120 hours needed to earn the degree.
- Students are required to demonstrate intermediate-level proficiency in a language other than English. Intermediate-level proficiency is demonstrated by successful completion of a 4th-semester language course (FL 1050 or 1060 or CSD 3374). A higher-level language course that requires one of these courses as a prerequisite may also be used to fulfill the requirement.
 - Placement exams are required for several languages. Should a student place higher than the beginning level, any lower level requirements listed on the four year guide will need to be replaced with a free elective if needed for total hours for the degree. Please consult with your advisor for more information.
 - **Note: Appalachian's language placement test is designed for placement purposes only, and a score on this test alone is not sufficient to demonstrate intermediate-level proficiency.**
- Reading & English proficiencies required.
- Admission to Teacher Education is required. To be admitted to the Teacher Education Program students must have a minimum 2.7 cumulative GPA and take & satisfy testing requirements for Reading, Writing and Math areas of the PRAXIS (PPST or CBT).
- Graduation & licensure requires a minimum cumulative 2.7 GPA.
- Residency Requirements:
 - 30 hours must be from ASU
 - 18 hours in the major must be from ASU
 - 9 hours in the minor must be from ASU