














PROFESSIONAL WRITING, B.A.



 - General Education Course

 - Milestone course: a key success marker for your major. See your advisor to discuss the importance of this course in your plan of study.

Major

The Core Curriculum is designed to foster critical thinking skills and introduce students to basic domains of thinking that transcend disciplines. The Core applies to all majors. Information on specific classes in the Core can be found at <https://www.marshall.edu/gened/>.

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Core Curriculum		
<i>Core I Critical Thinking</i>		
FYS 100	First Yr Sem Critical Thinking	3
MTH 121 	Concepts and Applications (CT)	3
	Critical Thinking Course	3
<i>Core II</i>		
ENG 101  	Beginning Composition	3
ENG 201  	Advanced Composition	3
CMM 103  	Fund Speech-Communication	3
MTH 121  	Concepts and Applications (CT)	3
	Core II Natural/Physical Science	4
	Core II Humanities	3
ENG 200 	Texting the World(CT) (recommended)	
	Core II Social Science	3
	Core II Fine Arts	3
<i>Additional University Requirements</i>		
	ENG Writing Intensive	3
	ENG Writing Intensive	3
	Multicultural or International	3
ENG 499 	Senior Capstone (not offered in summer)	3
College-Specific		
	Foreign Language 101	3
	Foreign Language 102	3
	Foreign Language 203	3
	Foreign Language 204	3
	COLA Humanities	3
	COLA Literature	3
	COLA Literature	3
	COLA Social Science	3
	COLA Social Science	3
	COLA Social Science	3
	COLA Natural/Physical Science	4
	COLA International	3
	COLA Multicultural	3
Major-Specific		

ENG 350 	Intro to Textual Analysis (must be taken within the first 9 hours of coursework within the major)	3
ENG 439	Professional Writing Theory	3
ENG 499 	Senior Capstone (not offered in summer)	3

Required Introductory Course

ENG 314	Intro to Professional Writing	3
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Professionalization Courses

Select two of the following:

ENG 407	Writing, Editing & Doc Design	
ENG 408	Writing in the Digital World	
ENG 431	Writing for Non-Profits	

Specialist Courses

Select three of the following:

ENG 204	Writing for the Workplace	
ENG 263 	Intro Digital Literary Studies	
ENG 354	Scientific & Tech Writing	
ENG 467	Visual Rhetoric	
ENG 476	Structures of English Language	
ENG 490	Internship	

English Electives		9
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Select any 200-, 300-, or 400-level ENG classes

Major Information

- The total number of free electives will depend on the amount of double and triple counting of requirements. Core II and COLA requirements may not be double counted.
- See course attributes each semester for courses that meet multiple requirements.
- Questions about requirements should be directed to your English Department advisor (304-696-6600) or to the College of Liberal Arts (304-696-2350).
- Forty-eight credit hours (sixteen 3-hour courses) must be at the 300/400 level.
- Students must earn a C or better in ENG 201 Advanced Composition, all ENG courses for the major, and all foreign language courses.
- Minimum of 120 hours to graduate.
- English majors will fulfill the university's requirements for WI classes by taking the ENG classes required for the major.