

## English Liberal Arts Major Plan—522

<b>Student :</b>	<b>Advisor :</b>	<b>Credits : 43</b> <b>Class :</b>
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**GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:** At least one half of your English major must be completed at New Paltz. Freshman Composition credits are not included in the major requirement. Courses taken as pass/fail or receiving a grade below C- cannot be counted toward the major.

### Required Courses—28 credits

Number/Course	Cr.	Grade/ Completion Date	Substitutions/Transfers
<b>Both English literature survey courses:</b>			
ENG 301 English Literature 1	4		
ENG 302 English Literature 2	4		
<b>Both American literature survey courses:</b>			
ENG 331 American Literature 1	4		
ENG 332 American Literature 2	4		
<b>Two courses in Literature before 1800: (see list on reverse)</b>			
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	3		
<b>One course in literary criticism:</b>			
ENG 420 Literary Criticism	3		
ENG 423 Major Trends in Twentieth-Century Criticism	3		
<b>ENG 451 Senior Seminar</b>	<b>3</b>		

### Elective Courses—15 credits

**Five** elective courses: At least **four** courses in literature, offered by the English Department, of which at least **three** must be at the 400- or 500-level.

- Students are strongly advised to maintain regular contact with their advisors as they plan their elective course selections.
- 400-level elective courses may be taken only after at least one 300-level survey course in the relevant subject area is completed (i.e., English Literature 1 or 2 for 400-electives in English literature).
- 500-level courses are subject to the same prerequisites, and are open by permission of the instructor only.
- Transfer students may have to take more than 15 credits of electives in order to compensate for 3-credit survey courses (as opposed to our 4-credit courses) taken elsewhere. All students **must** obtain at least 43 credits.

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**Literature before 1800**

In consultation with your advisor, please choose **two** courses from this list. All courses on this list are three credits.

- ENG 355 The Bible
- ENG 356 Greek and Roman Literature
- ENG 404 Medieval Literature
- ENG 405 Elizabethan Literature
- ENG 406 Shakespeare 1
- ENG 407 Shakespeare 2
- ENG 408 Seventeenth-Century English Literature
- ENG 413 Eighteenth-Century English Literature
- ENG 414 The Rise of the Novel
- ENG 435 Early American Literature
- ENG 470 Major Authors (**if appropriate**)
- ENG 493 Special Topics (**if appropriate**)