

# State University of New York at New Paltz

This **eight-semester plan** (see [important details](#)) is intended to guide a first-year student through a four-year undergraduate career, with completion of an academic major and all college-wide degree requirements. The plan is designed as an **advising tool** – a starting point for careful discussions between a student and his/her academic adviser. In consultation, the student and adviser will adjust the plan to accommodate the student's prerequisite needs, transferred credits, and other such variables.

Students are responsible for reviewing their [Progress Reports](#) each semester to track their own progress toward degree requirements.

## English - Creative Writing

### Year 1

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits
Gen Ed: Composition I (COMP)	3	Gen Ed: Composition II (COMP)	3
Gen Ed: Mathematical Inquiry (MATH)	3	Gen Ed: Natural Sciences (NSCI)	3
Gen Ed: Social Sciences (SSCI)	3	Gen Ed: World Civilizations and Cultures (WRLD)	3
Gen Ed: The Arts (ART)	3	Gen Ed: Humanities (HUM)	3
Elective	3	Gen Ed: Western Civilization (WEST)	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>

### Year 2

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits
Gen Ed: Foreign Languages (FLNG)	3	Gen Ed: Foreign Languages (FLNG)	3
Gen Ed: Natural Sciences (NSCI)	3	Gen Ed: Diversity (DIVR)	3
Gen Ed: United States Studies (USST)	3	<a href="#">ENG333</a> Introduction to American Literature	4
<a href="#">ENG303</a> Introduction to British Literature	4	<a href="#">ENG445</a> Creative Writing Workshop II	4
<a href="#">ENG345</a> Creative Writing Workshop I	3	<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>		

### Year 3

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits
<a href="#">ENG343</a> Transnat. Lit. or <a href="#">ENG353</a> Multiethnic & Diasporic Lit.	4	400-level Elective in English Literature	4
Craft Course - Note 1	4	Elective	3
Upper-division Elective in English Literature	3	Elective	3
Elective in English (Writing Intensive)	3	Elective	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>

### Year 4

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits
Craft Course - Note 1	4	Literature 400-level Elective	3
Upper-division Elective	3	Upper-division Elective	3
Upper-division Elective	3	Upper-division Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>

### Notes

Choose as least 2 of the following Craft courses (taken only after passing the portfolio review): [ENG452 The Craft of Fiction](#), [ENG453 The Craft of Poetry](#), [ENG454 The Craft of Creative Non Fiction](#), [ENG455 The Craft of Dramatic Writing](#)

**Total Credits: 121**