CREATIVE WRITING (B.S.) - ENGLISH - ONLINE

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2026 through summer 2027. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

General Education/Foundational Skills Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Communication & Information Literacy [1]		
ENGL 101	Composition and Rhetoric	3
Communications Elective		3
Information Literacy Elective		3
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Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning [1]		
UNIV 104	Instructional Technology for Successful Online Learning	0-3
Math Elective	MATH 114 or higher	3
Critical Thinking [1]		
RLGN 104	Christian Life and Biblical Worldview [2]	4
Critical Thinking Elective		3
Civic & Global Engagement [1]		
Cultural Studies Elective		3
Social & Scientific Inquiry [1]		
Natural Science Elective		3
Social Science Elective		3
Christianity & Contexts [1]		
BIBL 104	Survey of Old and New Testament	4
THEO 104	Introduction to Theology Survey [2]	4
Total Hours		**39-42**

1. Refer to the list of approved general education electives before enrolling in foundational skill requirements
2. Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirement of RLGN 104 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirement of THEO 104 waived

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Major Foundational Courses		
ENGL 102	Composition and Literature [1]	3
Literature Elective [1,2]		
Total Hours		**3**

1. Course may fulfill select general education requirements.
2. Choose from the following courses: ENGL 201, ENGL 202, ENGL 215, ENGL 216, ENGL 221, or ENGL 222.

Code	Title	Hours
Major Courses		
WRIT 201	Introduction to Creative Writing	3
WRIT 303	Writing Poetry	3
WRIT 304	Novellas	3
WRIT 306	Writing for Theater and Film	3
WRIT 307	Memoirs	3
WRIT 400	Editing for Publishing	3
WRIT 402	Methods and Materials of Research	3
WRIT 404	Print and Digital Publishing	3
WRIT 417	Writing for Cultural Engagement	3
WRIT 490	Creative Writing Workshop	3
WRIT 491	Senior Capstone	3
Writing Elective [1]		3
Total Hours		**36**

1. Choose one of the following courses: WRIT 305, WRIT 401, or WRIT 405.

Code	Title	Hours
Cognate		
English/Writing Elective [1]		3
English/Writing Elective [1]		3
English/Writing Elective [1]		3
English/Writing Elective [1]		3
Total Hours		**12**

1. Choose a 200-400 level ENGL or WRIT course not already applying to the degree.

Code	Title	Hours
Free Electives		
Choose 24-33 credit hours of free electives		24-33
Total Hours		**24-33**

All applicable prerequisites must be met

Graduation Requirements

- **120** Total hours
- **2.0** Overall grade point average
- **30** Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)
- **Grade of 'C'** Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major
- **25%** Of major taken through Liberty University
- **30** Hours must be completed through Liberty University
- **Grad App** Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Course Sequence

Freshman Year		
First Semester		**Hours**
BIBL 104	Survey of Old and New Testament	4
ENGL 101	Composition and Rhetoric	3
RLGN 104	Christian Life and Biblical Worldview	4

UNIV 104	Instructional Technology for Successful Online Learning	3
Communications Elective [1]		3
	Hours	**17**
Second Semester		
THEO 104	Introduction to Theology Survey	4
Information Literacy Elective ENGL 102 [1]		3
MATH Elective [1]		3
Social Science Elective [1]		3
Elective		3
	Hours	**16**
Sophomore Year		
First Semester		
Natural Science Elective [1]		3
Critical Thinking Elective Lit Elective 1,2		3
WRIT 201	Introduction to Creative Writing	3
WRIT 303	Writing Poetry	3
Elective		
	Hours	**12**
Second Semester		
Cultural Studies Elective [1]		3
Information Literacy Elective [1]		3
WRIT 402	Methods and Materials of Research	3
Elective		3
Elective		3
	Hours	**15**
Junior Year		
First Semester		
WRIT 304	Novellas	3
WRIT 306	Writing for Theater and Film	3
ENGL or WRIT Elective [3]		3
Elective		3
Elective		3
	Hours	**15**
Second Semester		
WRIT 307	Memoirs	3
WRIT 400	Editing for Publishing	3
ENGL or WRIT Elective [3]		3
Elective		3
Elective		3
	Hours	**15**
Senior Year		
First Semester		
WRIT 404	Print and Digital Publishing	3
WRIT 490	Creative Writing Workshop	3
ENGL or WRIT Elective [3]		3
WRIT Elective [4]		3
Elective		3
	Hours	**15**
Second Semester		
WRIT 417	Writing for Cultural Engagement	3
WRIT 491	Senior Capstone	3
ENGL or WRIT Elective [3]		3
Elective		3
Elective		3
	Hours	**15**
	Total Hours	**120**

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4. Choose one of the following courses: WRIT 305, WRIT 401, or WRIT 405

All applicable prerequisites must be met