

ENGLISH EDUCATION 6-12 (B.ED.) - ONLINE

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2023 through summer 2024. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

After completion of the required program coursework (including student teaching) and the passing of licensure tests, the graduate of this program would be eligible for a VA state teaching license.

General Education/Foundational Skills Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Communication & Information Literacy ¹		
COMS 101	Speech Communication	3
ENGL 101	Composition and Rhetoric	3
HIUS 221	Survey of American History I	3
	Information Literacy Elective	3
Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning ¹		
UNIV 104	Instructional Technology for Successful Online Learning	0-3
	MATH Elective	3
Critical Thinking		
ENGL 201	American Literature I	3
RLGN 104	Christian Life and Biblical Worldview ²	4
Civic & Global Engagement		
CSTU 101	Western Culture	3
Social & Scientific Inquiry ¹		
PSYC 210	Developmental Psychology	3
	Natural Science Elective	3
Christianity & Contexts		
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 skills requirements

² Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirement of RLGN 104 Christian Life and Biblical Worldview (4 c.h.) waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirement of THEO 104 Introduction to Theology Survey (4 c.h.) waived

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Major Foundational Courses		
ENGL 102	Composition and Literature ¹	3
MATH 121	College Algebra ¹	3
PHYS 101	Elements of Physics ¹	3
Total Hours		9

¹ Course may fulfill select general education requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Major Core		
<i>Education Courses</i>		
EDUC 201	Introduction to Education and Classroom Technology	3
EDUC 221	Content Area Reading and Differentiated Teaching and Learning	3
EDUC 235	Content Instructional Design	3
EDUC 350	Behavior and Individual Differences	3
EDUC 360	Foundations of Education	3
EDUC 425	Content Measurement and Evaluation	3
EDUC 435	Content Curriculum Fundamentals	3
ENGL 419	Methods and Materials in the Teaching of English	3
<i>Practicum and Gate Courses</i>		
EDGT 175	School of Education Gate 1 – UG Initial Licensure - Distance	0
EDGT 275	School of Education Gate 2 – UG Initial Licensure - Distance	0
EDGT 375	School of Education Gate 3 – UG Initial Licensure - Distance	0
EDUC 188	Practicum in Education I: Distance ¹	0
EDUC 288	Practicum in Education II: Distance ¹	0
EDUC 388	Practicum in Education III: Distance ¹	0
<i>Secondary Courses</i>		
ENGL 215	English Literature I	3
or ENGL 216	English Literature II	
ENGL 221	World Literature I	3
or ENGL 222	World Literature II	
ENGL 307	Expository Writing	3
or ENGL 350	Advanced Expository Writing	
ENGL 322	Shakespeare	3
ENGL 333	Modern Grammar	3
ENGL 334	Etymology	3
or ENGL 364	History of the English Language	
	Diversity Elective ²	3
	Genre Literature Elective ³	3
	Literary History Elective ⁴	3
	Period Literature Elective ⁵	3
	Youth Literature Elective ⁶	3
	Literature Elective ⁷	3
<i>Student Teaching</i>		
EDST 475	The Reflective Educator: Resource Seminar	3
<i>Choose one of the following:</i> ¹		9
EDST 460	Student Teaching - One Placement – Distance	
EDST 461	Student Teaching - One Placement – Local	
EDST 464	Student Teaching - Own Classroom – Distance	
EDST 465	Student Teaching - Own Classroom – Local	
EDST 466	Student Teaching - Multiple Endorsement - One Placement – Distance	

Code	Title	Hours
EDST 467	Student Teaching - Multiple Endorsement - One Placement – Local	
Total Hours		72

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² Choose from ENGL 306, ENGL 415, or CSTU 220

³ Choose from ENGL 305, ENGL 414, or ENGL 460

⁴ Choose from ENGL 300, ENGL 301, or ENGL 302

⁵ Choose from ENGL 304, ENGL 341, or ENGL 413

⁶ Choose from ENGL 310, ENGL 320, or EDUC 315

⁷ Choose from ENGL 308, ENGL 412, or any other ENGL/WRIT course not already used

Code	Title	Hours
Free Electives		
Choose 6-9 credit hours of Free Electives		6-9
Total Hours		6-9

Note:

- All practicum courses should be completed before student teaching, and candidate should not plan to take those courses in summer terms.

All applicable prerequisites must be met

Graduation Requirements

- 120 Total Hours
- 3.0 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

Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
First Semester		
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	0-3
EDGT 175	School of Education Gate 1 – UG Initial Licensure - Distance	0
EDUC 201	Introduction to Education and Classroom Technology	3
Hours		14-17
Second Semester		
COMS 101	Speech Communication	3
CSTU 101	Western Culture	3
Information Literacy Elective (ENGL 102) ¹		3

Course	Title	Hours
MATH Elective (MATH 121) ¹		3
PSYC 210	Developmental Psychology	3
EDGT 275	School of Education Gate 2 – UG Initial Licensure - Distance	0
Hours		15

Second Year

First Semester

HIUS 221	Survey of American History I	3
THEO 104	Introduction to Theology Survey	4
EDUC 221	Content Area Reading and Differentiated Teaching and Learning	3
ENGL 215 or ENGL 216	English Literature I or English Literature II	3
Natural Science Elective (PHYS 101) ¹		3
Hours		16

Second Semester

ENGL 201	American Literature I	3
EDUC 188	Practicum in Education I: Distance ²	0
EDUC 235	Content Instructional Design	3
EDUC 350	Behavior and Individual Differences	3
ENGL 221 or ENGL 222	World Literature I or World Literature II	3
Diversity Elective ³		3
Hours		15

Third Year

First Semester

EDUC 288	Practicum in Education II: Distance ²	0
EDUC 360	Foundations of Education	3
ENGL 307 or ENGL 350	Expository Writing or Advanced Expository Writing	3
ENGL 322	Shakespeare	3
ENGL 419	Methods and Materials in the Teaching of English	3
Genre Literature Elective ⁴		3
Literary History Elective ⁵		3
Hours		18

Second Semester

EDUC 425	Content Measurement and Evaluation	3
ENGL 333	Modern Grammar	3
Period Literature Elective ⁶		3
Youth Literature Elective ⁷		3
Literature Elective ⁸		3
Elective		3
Hours		18

Fourth Year

First Semester

EDGT 375	School of Education Gate 3 – UG Initial Licensure - Distance	0
EDUC 388	Practicum in Education III: Distance ²	0
EDUC 435	Content Curriculum Fundamentals	3
ENGL 334 or ENGL 364	Etymology or History of the English Language	3

Course	Title	Hours
Elective		3
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Elective		1
Hours		13
Second Semester		
EDST 475	The Reflective Educator: Resource Seminar	3
Student Teaching Elective	^{2,9}	9
Hours		12
Total Hours		121-124

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⁷ Choose from ENGL 310, 320, or EDUC 315

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⁹ Choose one of the following Student Teaching options: EDST 460, 461, 464, 465, 466, or 467