

# Academic Fact Sheet

# Wayne State College

## ENGLISH - SUBJECT ENDORSEMENT (42 Hours)

The English subject endorsement is administered by the Language and Literature Department.

### Facts about the Program

#### *Degrees Offered:*

B.A.  
B.S.

#### *Faculty:*

Andrew Alexander, Ph.D.  
J.V. Brummels, M.A.  
Katherine Butler, Ph.D.  
Rodney Cupp, Ph.D.  
Lori Newcomb, M.S.E.  
Gretchen Ronnow, Ph.D.  
Catherine Rudin, Ph.D.  
William Slaymaker, Ph.D.

### Career Opportunities

Teaching  
Prelaw/Premedical  
Advertising  
Copywriting  
Editing  
Management  
Personnel Relations  
Technical Writing  
Information Analysis  
Federal Service  
Research  
Methods Analysis  
Sales

### Scholarships and Financial Aid

Wayne State College is committed to providing a quality, affordable education for its students. There are several types of financial assistance available for Wayne State students, including grants, loans, work-study and scholarships. The aid packages are composed of money from Pell grants, SEOG grants, SSIG grants, Perkins loans, Stafford student loans, PLUS loans and a variety of scholarships. Contact the Financial Aid Office at (402) 375-7230 for further information.

The following financial assistance is available through the Language and Literature Department:

Special Abilities Scholarship are offered to outstanding majors.

Hanawalt Scholarship  
S. Edwin Jones-Kay Corporation Scholarship  
Ruby V. Pedersen "Excellence in Scholarship" Award  
Irol Whitmore Scholarship

### Program Description

The English program prepares students to speak and write with clarity and precision, to conduct research, and to analyze, interpret and synthesize material. A subject endorsement in English prepares the students to serve as teachers in public and private school settings. English can stand alone as a single endorsement area.

This program also provides an opportunity for students to develop skills in analyzing literary works and to broaden their intellectual development through the study of the classics and the most recent poetry, novels, and plays. Courses cover material ranging from the Old and New Testaments, Homer, Virgil, and Shakespeare to modern European, British and American poetry, drama, and fiction.

### Special Features

Plains Writers Series  
Sigma Tau Delta -- National honor society  
Judas Goat -- Literary magazine  
Hot Papers Contest  
Poetry & Fiction Slams

### For more information contact:

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**FRESHMAN YEAR**

ENG 102	Composition Skills	3	General Education	12-15
CNA 100	Prin. of Human Communication	3	Physical Science (laboratory)	3
HIS 120	World History	3		
* ENG 270	Critical Approaches to Literature	3		

15-17 hours each semester

**SOPHOMORE YEAR**

ENG 202	Poetry Workshop	3	Life Science (laboratory)	3
ENG 203	Fiction Workshop	3	EDU Professional Education	
ENG 325	Linguistics I	3		
ENG 326	Linguistics II	3		
ENG 381	Classical Epic & Drama <b>OR</b>			
ENG 382	The Bible as Literature	3		
ENG 361	American Literature I	3		
	(offcered every other year)			
ENG 362	American Literature II	3		
	(offcered every other year)			
MAT	by advisement	3		
	Courses in second endorsement	3-9		

15-17 hours each semester

**JUNIOR YEAR**

ENG 371	British Literature I	3	General Education	6
ENG 372	British Literature II	3	ENG 443 Young Adult Literature	2
ENG 444	Teaching Reading in Middle & Secondary Schools	2	ENG 480 Senior Seminar	3
EDU	Professional Education	<u>9</u>	Courses in second endorsement	<u>3-9</u>
		15-17		15-17

**SENIOR YEAR**

ENG 442	Teaching Writing	2	EDU 410 Directed Teaching	12
EDU	Professional Education	3		
	Courses in Second Endorsement	<u>6-9</u>		
		12-14		

Advisors should consult the course rotations on the WSC web page at: <http://www.wsc.edu/academic/>

**NOTE:** Course sequences listed above are suggested only. The final decision rests with the student and advisor based on availability of courses. Summer school or an extra semester may be necessary for the student to complete all requirements.

\*English majors and English endorsements are not required to take ENG 150. English endorsements are not required to take ENG 384.