English

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Chair of the Department

The goals of the English major at Manhattan College are to develop in students an understanding of literary texts and issues that is coherent, informed, and broadly responsive; to develop in students the ability to articulate that understanding orally and in writing through a critical vocabulary and a variety of methodological and rhetorical structures; and to develop that understanding in a range of courses in English literature, American literature, and world literature in translation.

Major
Requirements for a Major in English: Thirty credits on the 300 level, including:

ENGL 306 Introduction to Literary Study 3
ENGL 309 British Literature: Beowulf to the Augustan Age 3
ENGL 310 British Literature II: The Romantics through the Twentieth Century 3
ENGL 372 American Literature to 1914 3
ENGL 395 Senior Seminar 3
Electives 15

Students in the School of Education with a concentration in English must take one of the following:

ENGL 326 Advanced Composition
ENGL 331 History of the English Language
ENGL 332 Theories of Composition
ENGL 333 Grammar and Writing

Total Credits 30

* Students in the School of Education with a concentration in Childhood Education must take ENGL 365 Children's Literature

Additional details about elective options for Education majors will be found in the Education section of this catalog.

A minimum grade of C is required for all major courses. ENGL 110 First Year Composition or its equivalent is a prerequisite for all 300 level courses.

Minor
Requirements for a Minor in English: Fifteen credits on the 300 level including:

ENGL 309 British Literature: Beowulf to the Augustan Age 3
or ENGL 372 American Literature to 1914
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A minimum grade of C is required for courses to satisfy these requirements, or its equivalent is a prerequisite for all 300 level courses.