

English Certification (5-12)

Students pursuing English Certification (5-12) through a UNH teacher education program must complete a bachelor's degree (or equivalent) in English, in addition to the Education Program requirements. Undergraduates are strongly encouraged to complete a B.A. in English Teaching, which includes the following requirements:

English course requirements

ENGL 419 Introduction to Literacy Analysis

ENGL 514 Survey of British Literature (1800-present)

ENGL 516 Survey of American Literature (Civil War to present)

ENGL 657 Shakespeare

ENGL 791/891 English Grammar *

English Methods courses: ENGL 792/892 *Teaching Literature and Literacy* & ENGL 710/810 *Teaching Writing* or ENGL 725/810S *Seminar in English Teaching* & ENGL 726/892S *Seminar in English Teaching*

- Two literature courses numbered 600 or above. (ENGL 512 or 513, Survey of British Literature, may be substituted for one of these two.)
- Any English Department course in writing, linguistics, critical theory, film or literature (**except** English 401, 403 and 444)
- One course that addresses race, the construction of race, and racial theories. Choose from: 517, 540, 609, 690, 738, 740, 693R, or 797R. (other courses may count. Please see your advisor).

You must plan your English course schedule in advance. A course you need to satisfy an English requirement might not be offered in the semester you plan to take it, which could delay your internship. Please see your English advisor for help with planning your junior/senior years at UNH.

* ENGL 791/891 is offered separately as 791 and 891 in alternating years at UNH-M.

Education course requirements

*EDUC 500/935A Exploring Teaching

EDUC 700/800 Educational Structure & Change

EDUC 701/801 Human Development & Learning: Educ Psyc

*EDUC 705/805 Contemporary Educ Perspectives

EDUC 751B/851B Educating Exceptional Learners: Secondary

English Methods courses listed above

EDUC 900A & EDUC 901A Internship & Seminar in Teaching (2 semesters Fall and Spring)

*Indicates course work must be completed before the internship

Any Education course taken for a teacher licensure requirement must be completed with a grade of **B-** or better. This applies to any courses from other departments that have been designated as equivalent to an Education course.

Degrees (Minimum of 32 Graduate credits)

M.Ed. In addition to the 12 credit internship, 10 graduate credits must be UNH Education courses. The remaining graduate credits can be in Education, English or another department.	M.A.T. In addition to the 12 credit internship, three graduate level courses (9-12 credits) must be in English. The remaining graduate credits can be in English, Education or another department.
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Admission to the M.Ed. or M.A.T. is competitive and requires submission of an application to the UNH Graduate School. This includes official transcripts, scores from the Praxis Core exam, personal statement and three letters of recommendations. Thirty-two (32) Graduate credits are the minimum for either degree.

English course requirements for students who have completed a baccalaureate degree at a school other than UNH

Students seeking English Certification (5-12) through the University of New Hampshire are expected to have a major in English or its equivalent. In order to be certified, they must have completed the following subject area requirements, through undergraduate or graduate coursework.

1. Two courses in **American literature** (a survey, plus a specialized, upper-level course)
Met: Not met: Completed:
through the following courses: and additional work required:

2. Two courses in **British literature** (a survey, plus a specialized, upper-level course)
Met: Not met: Completed:
through the following courses: and additional work required:

3. A course in **Shakespeare**
Met: Not met: Completed:
through the following courses: and additional work required:

4. A course in **criticism**, theoretical or practical
Met: Not met: Completed:
through the following courses: and additional work required:

5. A course in **grammar or language** (as 791/891, 752/852, 718/818)
Met: Not met: Completed:
through the following courses: and additional work required:

6. A course in **teaching writing** (as 710/810 or 725/810S)
Met: Not met: Completed:
through the following courses: and additional work required:

7. A course in **teaching literature and literacy** (as 792/892 or 726/892S)
Met: Not met: Completed:
through the following courses: and additional work required:

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