



ENGLISH

DEGREE OPTIONS

English, B.A.

English, B.A.: Text, Business Writing and Digital Studies Option

English, B.A.: English/Law 3+3 Option

Minor options in English and Writing

Cognate options in Digital Writing and Literature, and
Technical Writing and Public Speaking

You love reading novels, you love to write, or you're fascinated with the origins of the English language. These are all good reasons to pursue a degree in English, which will give you broad exposure to the history and literature of the English language, while you also learn critical thinking skills and how to write clearly and persuasively. English majors are experts in the art and science of words, allowing you to expand your imaginative potential and solve real-world problems. The English program at UNH offers a great deal of flexibility. After completing the basic degree requirements, you'll be able to focus your studies on literature; writing, including fiction, creative non-fiction, poetry and digital storytelling; or areas within linguistics, such as language formation.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Small discussion- and research-oriented seminars

Internships with publishers, businesses, and arts and service organizations

Study abroad programs in London, England

Writers and Speakers Series that hosts prominent writers and literary scholars from around the country

Text, Business Writing and Digital Studies Option for students interested in social media, marketing, PR and web design

English Law 3+3 Option enables students to earn a bachelor of arts and law degree in 6 years instead of 7

TOPICS YOU MAY STUDY

Nature writers

Native American studies

Text, business and digital writing
America on film

Postcolonial literatures in English
Shakespeare

Ethnicity in America

Fiction, poetry or nonfiction writing

The rise of "chick lit"

World Englishes



“The English Department has provided me with the resources and opportunities to confidently pursue a career in law. I love having the ability to pick from a variety of courses that directly prepare me for my career goals.”

— DANIELLE HEINE '23

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YOUR POTENTIAL CAREERS ARE:**

Business executive
Communications specialist
Editor
Government consultant
Lawyer
Manager
Marketer
Public relations specialist
Publisher
Reporter
Social media director
Teacher
Web content specialist
Writer