

(Cohort 2025 and thereafter) - BA in English

Degree Requirements	Normative 4-year Degree	Advanced Standing I	Advanced Standing II (Senior-year Entry)
Gateway Education requirement : - University language : 9 credits - Whole-Person Development : 1 credit - GE course (distribution area requirements) : 12 credits - College-specified course : 9 credits	31 credit units <i>- English requirement: 6 credits - CCIV : 3 credits - Whole-Person Development : 1 credit - Area requirement: 12 credits - College Specified Courses: 9 credits</i>	21 credit units <i>- English requirement: 6 credits - CCIV : 3 credits - Whole-Person Development : 1 credit - Area requirement: 6 credits - College Specified Courses: 6 credits</i>	12 credit units <i>- English requirement: 3 credits - Area requirement: 3 credits - College Specified Courses: 6 credits</i>
College/School requirement	6 credit units <i>(Students should complete the two College foundation courses in 1st year)</i>	6 credit units <i>(Students should complete the two College foundation courses in 1st year)</i>	0 credit units (full-exemption)
Departmental Foundation Course	6 credit units	3 credit units	0 credit units
Major requirement: - Major core : 24 credits - stream core: 12 credits - stream elective: 15 credits	51 credit units	51 credit units	51 credit units
Free electives / Minor (if applicable)	27 credit units	9 credit units	0 credit units
Minimum number of credit units required for the award	121 credit units	91 credit units	63 credit units
Maximum number of credit units permitted	144 credit units	114 credit units	84 credit units
Normal period of study	4 years	3 years	2 years
Maximum period of study	8 years	6 years	5 years

Note: Students of second major and students changed to the Major will follow the Advanced Standing I curriculum and will be required to take one designated Foundation-year course, i.e. EN2722 (3 credit units) (only applicable to normative 4-year degree students admitted with Advanced Standing I). ASII students will be exempted from the Foundation-year courses.