



B.A. ENGLISH

School of Humanities, Arts and Design

As an English major, you'll learn to analyze, critique and create works of art, and you'll learn how to bring human experiences to life with your words. You'll choose a concentration in either writing, teaching or literature and criticism, and when you graduate you'll be ready for a career in education, writing, law, public relations, business, journalism, theatre, marketing, publishing—and so much more.

HANDS-ON EXPERIENCES

- Take advantage of one of our numerous internship opportunities
- Participate in community service projects that address real social issues
- Partner with a faculty member to conduct research, and then travel to a conference to present your findings

REAL-WORLD SKILLS

When you graduate with a B.A. in English from Chaminade, you'll have a solid understanding of:

- The process of writing an analytical literary research paper
- Creatively writing an original production of poetry, fiction or nonfiction
- How to define various literary critical approaches and apply them to texts
- Major movements/periods in British and American literature
- Significant authors, texts and issues in British and American Literature

FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION GUARANTEE*

Work with your advisor to develop your four-year major graduation plan, and if you follow that, we guarantee you'll graduate in four years.

SAMPLE FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION PLAN:

YEAR 1

Fall, 16 Credits

COM 101 Introduction to Communication
CUH 100 First-Year Experience
EN 101 Introduction to Expository Writing
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

Spring, 16 Credits

EN 102 Expository Writing
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

YEAR 2

Fall, 16 Credits

EN 200 Level Course
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

Spring, 15 Credits

EN 300 or 400 Level Course
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

YEAR 3

Fall, 15 Credits

EN 314 Backgrounds in American Literature
EN 300 or 400 Level Course
EN Concentration Course
Free Elective
Free Elective

Spring, 15 Credits

EN 315 Backgrounds in British Literature
EN 300 or 400 Level Course
EN Concentration Course
Free Elective
Free Elective

YEAR 4

Fall, 15 Credits

EN Concentration Course
EN Concentration Course
EN Concentration Course
Free Elective
Free Elective

Spring, 15 Credits

EN 499 Senior Seminar
EN Concentration Course
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

*The four-year graduation guarantee depends upon you working with an advisor to create a four-year plan unique to your major. Be sure to meet regularly with the Office of Advising & Career Development to build your own, four-year plan based upon your chosen major.