

# ENGLISH WITH AN EMPHASIS IN JOURNALISM MAJOR (BA TRADITIONAL)

In the English major, students will gain broad-based knowledge of literature from all periods and from around the world. They will learn to write clearly and persuasively, think independently, create original ideas, present alternative viewpoints and solve problems. Concordia University students develop these skills by working closely with knowledgeable faculty dedicated to relationship-based education through discussion, debate, course presentations, one-on-one consultations with professors and supervised writing projects. Students have many opportunities to apply the skills learned in the classroom to practical hands-on situations, such as writing for The Sword student newspaper, tutoring students in the Writing Center, student teaching or gaining internship experience at a local business. Journalism is one of the four areas of emphasis available to students.

## General Education Requirements

All degree seeking undergraduate students must complete the general education (<http://catalog.csp.edu/archive/2020-2021/undergraduate/academic-information/general-education-requirements/>) requirements.

## Degree Requirements

Bachelor of Arts (<http://catalog.csp.edu/archive/2020-2021/undergraduate/academic-information/graduation-requirements/#ba>) degree consists of a major of typically 32 to 44 credits or two minors, general education courses, and elective courses totaling a minimum of 120 credits.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Prerequisites from General Education</b>		
COM 103 or COM 212	Interpersonal Communication (4) Public Speaking (4)	
ENG 120	College Writing (4)	
ENG 155	Introduction to Literature (4)	
<b>Required</b>		
ENG 220	Applied Grammar	2
ENG 221	Journalism	4
ENG 222	Journalism Practicum (1 credit and must take twice with different sub-topics)	2
ENG 227	Column Writing	2
ENG 228	Review Writing	2
ENG 420	Persuasive Writing on Contemporary Issues	4
ENG 498	Internship	2-4
ENG 499	Framing the Literary Tradition	1
ENG 324 or ENG 338	Teaching Writing 1:1 History and Principles of the English Language	2
ENG 326 or ENG 325	Topics in Writing (Must take twice) Creative Writing I	4
ENG 365	British Literature I: Anglo-Saxon, Medieval, Renaissance, Restoration, Enlightenment	4

or ENG 366	British Literature II: Romantics, Victorians, Moderns, Post-Moderns	
ENG 375	World Literature I: Western Classical Literature	4
or ENG 376	World Literature II: Geographic or Thematic	
ENG 385 or ENG 386	American Literature I: Beginnings to 1860 American Literature II: 1860-Present	4
<b>Electives</b>		
Select 2 – 4 credits of the following to reach a total of 41 credits: <sup>1</sup>		2-4
Any 200-level or above course in English not already taken		
Any 200-level or above Political Science or History course		
ART 282	Graphic Design I (3)	
ART 383	Web Design I (3)	
ART 342	Digital Photography (2)	
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>41</b>

<sup>1</sup> Only 4 credits may be taken outside of the English department