

**Faculty of Liberal Arts and Professional Studies**  
**Department of English**  
**Bachelor of Arts – English (Specialized Honours)**  
**Program Checklist for 2023-2024**

<b>GENERAL EDUCATION - 21 Credits</b> 21 credits at the 1000 level, chosen from 3 different general education categories	<b>Credit</b>	<b>Complete or Incomplete</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1) Humanities or Social Science:	9.00			
2) Humanities or Social Science: (whichever is not taken in 1)	6.00			
3) Natural Science:	6.00			
<b>Total General Education Credits</b>	<b>21.00</b>			
<b>MAJOR COURSES – 60 Credits</b>				
<b>6 Credits chosen from<sup>1</sup>:</b> AP/EN 1001 3.0 and EN 1002 3.0 or AP/EN 1101 6.0 Literature and Law or AP/EN 1102 6.0 Literature and Health or AP/EN 1103 6.0 Literature and Business	6.00			
AP/EN 2000-level from Category C <sup>2</sup> :	6.00			
AP/EN 2000-level:	6.00			
AP/EN 2000-level:	6.00			
AP/EN 3000-level	6.00			
AP/EN 3000-level	6.00			
AP/EN 4000-level:	6.00			
AP/EN 4000-level:	6.00			
AP/EN 2000 or 3000-level	6.00			
AP/EN 3000 or 4000-level	6.00			
<b>Total Major Credits</b>	<b>60.00</b>			
<b>Courses Outside the Major – 18 Credits</b>				
Courses outside EN:	6.00			
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Courses outside EN:	6.00			
<b>Total Credits Outside the Major</b>	<b>18.00</b>			
<b>Free Choice: 21 Credits (including extra EN courses)</b>				
Any Course:	6.00			
Any Course:	6.00			
Any Course:	6.00			
Any Course:	3.00			
<b>Total Free Choice Credits</b>	<b>21.00</b>			
<b>TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS</b>	<b>120.00</b>			

<sup>1</sup>All students majoring or minoring in English must complete the following introductory course/s before proceeding in English: EN 1001 3.0 and Ap/EN 1002 3.0 OR AP/EN 1101 6.0 OR AP/EN 1102 6.0 OR AP/EN 1103 6.0. Students must successfully complete AP/EN 1001 3.0 with a minimum grade of D (50%) before they may take AP/EN 1002 3.0 and complete AP/EN 1002 3.0 with a minimum grade of C (60%) before they will be permitted to continue in English. AP/EN 1101, EN 1102 or EN 1103 must be completed with a minimum grade of C to continue with English as a major/minor. Students may only count six credits from a 1000-level English course towards their major or minor program.

<sup>2</sup>Category 'C' courses can be found on the program academic calendar.

**Note:** Students may not count more than six credits from the 2170 and 3170 series of AP/EN courses (the Popular Genres series) for major or minor credit in English.

Specialized Honours BAs, students pursuing those degrees must take at least nine credits in courses from Time period groups I and II overall – they may satisfy this requirement by taking either: a) at least six credits from group I and at least three credits from group II, or b) at least three credits from group I and at least six credits from group II. (Please refer to English Department’s website for Time period requirements).

Additional Notes:

**Requirement Checklist and Notes (To ensure graduation, each box must be checked 'completed')**

- Residency Requirement: a minimum of 30 course credits and at least half (50 per cent) of the course credits required in each undergraduate degree program major/minor must be taken at York University.
- Upper-level Requirement: at least 36 credits at the 3000 or 4000 level, including 18 credits at 4000-level.
- Cumulative grade point average of at least 5.0.

NOTE#1: Non-Literature Courses: students cannot use uncategorized EN courses toward their major requirements; these include, but are not limited to, courses offered in the subjects PRWR, CRWR and DLLL

NOTE#2: Popular Genre Course: students may count to a maximum of 6 credits from Category D (Popular Genres: EN 3170-3179) towards their major requirements

NOTE: For the **GENERAL EDUCATION** category, a minimum of 6.0 credits must be chosen from each of Humanities, Natural Science and Social Science. General Education courses are offered at the 1000 level. A maximum of 9 credits in Humanities and Social Science will count towards fulfillment of the General Education 21 credit requirements.

**PLEASE NOTE:** This manual Degree Checklist is **only a guide** designed to assist students with degree requirements and course selection. It is not intended as the official confirmation of a student’s eligibility to graduate as requirements may change from year to year. Satisfaction of all degree requirements will be officially determined by the Registrar’s Office upon application to graduate. Students are advised to make sure they are following the correct degree requirements by checking the Undergraduate Calendar of the year in which they entered their program.

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