

Sample Four Year Plan

English (BA)

ENG does not recommend waiting past the first semester of junior year to finish Dialogues Curriculum courses.

Semester 1

- TRU 120: First Year Seminar (3 cr)
- ENG 190: Writing as Critical Thinking (*) (3 cr)
- ENG 216: New Majors Seminar (1 cr)
- Arts & Humanities Perspective course **or** BA English Electives course (3-4 cr)
- Elementary Foreign Language I (3 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (3 cr)

(*) = If student has credit for ENG 190 > **OR** ENG 209: WE/Dialogues with Literature (3 cr), **OR** ENG 211: WE/Perspectives on Literature and Film (3 cr), **OR** ENG 280: Film Form and Sense (3 cr)

Semester 3

- Arts & Humanities Perspective course **or** BA English Electives course (3-6 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum Course (3-6 cr)
- Intermediate Foreign Language I (3 cr)

Semester 5

- JINS 3XX: WE/ (3 cr) (or in semester 6)
- ENG Diverse Perspectives Course (3-4 cr)
- Ofstad Visiting Scholar Seminar (cr)
- BA Aesthetic Literature **or** BA English Electives course (3 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (3 cr)

Semester 7

- ENG Geographical & Historical Contexts Course (3-4 cr)
- Ofstad Visiting Scholar Seminar (cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (6-9 cr)

Semester 2

- ENG 209: WE/Dialogues with Literature (3 cr), **OR** ENG 211: WE/ Perspectives on Literature and Film (3 cr), **OR** ENG 280: Film Form and Sense (3 cr) (if not completed semester 1)
- COMM 170: Public Speaking (3 cr)
- Elementary Foreign Language II (3 cr)
- Arts & Humanities Perspective course **or** BA English Electives course (3-4 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum Course (3 cr)

Semester 4

- Arts & Humanities Perspective course **or** BA English Electives course (3-6 cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum Course (3-6 cr)
- Intermediate Foreign Language I (3 cr)

Semester 6

- JINS 3XX: WE/ (3 cr) (if not in semester 5)
- ENG Genres, Forms, & Audiences Course (3-4 cr)
- Ofstad Visiting Scholar Seminar (__cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (6-9 cr)

Semester 8

- ENG 498: WE/Senior English Capstone (4 cr)
- Ofstad Visiting Scholar Seminar (cr)
- Dialogues Curriculum course (6-9 cr)

NOTES:

- If interested in teaching/the MAE:
 - HLTH 195/196 (Required for Pre-Elem or Spec Ed)(MS 100/101 okay for Pre-Sec Ed)
 ART/MUSI (Required for Pre-Elem or Spec Ed)
 - ECON/GEOG (Required for Pre-Elem or Spec Ed)
 - POL 161 MO Statute (Recommended for Pre-Elem or Spec Ed) All 6 options open to Pre Sec Ed
- WE = Writing Enhanced course
- If you have not completed the Civics Exam, we recommend doing so in your **first year**.
- Truman students are required to complete a Portfolio to graduate. We recommend starting to compile your work for the Portfolio sooner than later.
- Students must complete their Application to Graduate **the semester prior to graduating**. Apply to graduate through TruView.

- Graduating seniors need to complete their seniors test and questionnaire. We recommend reviewing the Assessment & Testing page to plan accordingly.
- **The Dialogues curriculum** requires a certain number of courses/credit hours in the following Perspectives: Social, Arts and Humanities, STEM, Communications, and Statistics. The exact number of courses a student will be required to take during their undergraduate career varies individually according to the credit transferred in.

Department Chair: Please contact the <u>Center for Academic Excellence</u> with any updates to the plan above. Rev. 7-31-24