TRANSFER PATHWAY GUIDE
2023-2024

Associate of General Studies To
Bachelor of Arts in English

Overview

Completion of the following curriculum will satisfy the requirements for the Associate of General Studies (AGS) degree at Ivy Tech Community College (ITCC) and leads to the Bachelor of Arts (BA) in English degree at Northern Kentucky University (NKU).

Applying to the IvyTech2NKU Program

Students can apply to participate in the pathway program by completing the online application on the NKU transfer webpage. Students must be enrolled in at least six credit hours at Ivy Tech, enrolled in an associate degree program, plan to transfer to NKU, and maintain a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA at Ivy Tech.

Degree Requirements for Ivy Tech

To earn a degree at Ivy Tech a student must successfully complete the required number of credits for the degree, attain a minimum GPA of 2.0 in the required technical and general education courses, and complete at least 15 degree credits in the curriculum as a regular student of Ivy Tech.

Admission Requirements for NKU

Students completing an associate degree with a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher will be accepted into NKU.

Degree Requirements for NKU

To earn a bachelor's degree at NKU, students must complete a minimum of 120 credit hours with at least 45 credit hours numbered 300 and above. In addition, at least 25% of the credit hours required for the degree and the last 30 credit hours must be completed at NKU. Students must have an overall GPA of 2.0, earn a C or higher in each course used to fulfill the major or minor requirements, and meet all prerequisites for courses and requirements for the major. All English majors are required to

demonstrate (1) intermediate-level proficiency in a foreign language previously spoken or used to satisfy the NKU entrance requirement or (2) novice-level-proficiency in a second foreign language. Students can demonstrate intermediate-level-proficiency by either completing the appropriate 200-level course in the language studied in high school or by attaining an acceptable score on the CLEP test in that language. Students can demonstrate novice-level-proficiency by completing two semesters of a language not previously studied or spoken. Students must complete a focus or minor as indicated on the pathway.

Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana

Students must complete the following courses for an Associate of General Studies

Category 1: ITCC Indiana College Core Competencies

ITCC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	Completed
ENGL 111	English Composition	3	ENG 101	
COMM 101	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	CMST 101	
MATH 123	Quantitative Reasoning or Higher (MATH 200: Statistics for Writing Studies Track)	3	MAT 115 or TBD XXX (STA 205)	
TBS XXX	Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3	TBD XXX	
XXXX 101	Foreign Language I (FREN, GERM, SPAN)	3	TBD XXX	
XXXX 102	Foreign Language II (FREN, GERM, SPAN)	3	TBD XXX	
ENGL 206	Introduction to Literature	3	ENG 200	
ENGL 222	American Literature to 1865	3	ENG 208	
ENGL 223	American Literature After 1865	3	ENG 209	
TBS XXX	Scientific Ways of Knowing	3	TBD XXX	
	Subtotal General Education Core	**30**		

TBS XXX means to be selected by Ivy Tech student
TBD XXX means to be determined by NKU based on course selected at Ivy Tech.

Note: Student can take FREN 201, GERM 201 or SPAN 201 in place of the two 100-level courses to meet the foreign language requirement for the English major at NKU.

Category 2: ITCC Degree Requirements for AGS

ITCC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	Completed
IVYT 111	Student Success in University Transfer	1	UNV 100T	
COMM 102 or PHIL 102 or POLS 101	Introduction to Interpersonal Communication or Introduction to Ethics or Introduction to American Government & Politics	3	CMST 220 PHI 200 PSC 100	
ENGL 202	Creative Writing	3	ENG 231	
ENGL 215	Rhetoric and Argument	3	ENG 102	
TBS XXX	Statewide or Transfer Cluster Electives (See options in Categories 5-8 tables below)	19	TBD XXX	
GENS 279	General Studies Capstone Course	1	GIS 100G	
	Total Associate Degree Credit Hours	**60**		

Northern Kentucky University

Students must complete the following courses for a major in English.

Category 3: NKU Major Core Requirements for BA in English

NKU Course	Course	Credits	ITCC Course	Taken at ITCC
ENG 250	Introduction to English Studies	3		
ENG 200	Understanding Literature	3	ENGL 206	x
ENG 204	Introduction to Writing Studies	3		
ENG 307	Diverse Voices in English Studies	3		
Choose 1 sequence: ENG 202 and ENG 203 or ENG 208 and ENG 209	Choose one survey sequence from the following: Survey of British Literature I and Survey of British Literature II or Survey of American Literature I and Survey of American Literature II	6	ENGL 224 ENGL 225 ENGL 222 ENGL 223	x
ENG 231 or ENG 340	Intro to Creative Writing or Business Writing	3	ENGL 202	x
ENG 350 or ENG 351	Critical Theory or Rhetorical Theories & Writing Practices	3		
ENG 323 or ENG 335	Writers in Context or Craft of Creative Writing	3		
TBS XXX	Choose one of the following four tracks: Creative Writing Track Literary and Cultural Studies Track Writing Studies Track Open Focus Track (Required courses are listed in Categories 5-8 tables below.)	21-24		
	Subtotal Major Credit Hours at NKU	**36-39**		
	Subtotal Major Credit Hours at ITCC	**12**		
	Total Major Credit Hours	**48-51**		

Category 4: Additional Requirements at NKU

NKU Course	Course	Credits	ITCC Course	Taken at ITCC
	Subtotal Minor Credit Hours Taken at NKU	**12-24**		
	Subtotal Elective (300/400 level) Hours	**0-12**		
	Total Baccalaureate Degree Credit Hours	**120-123**		

Category 5: NKU Major Requirements for the Creative Writing Track

NKU Course	Course	Credits	ITCC Course	Taken at ITCC
ENG 332	Fiction Writing	3		
ENG 334	Poetry Writing	3		
ENG 336	Creative Nonfiction Writing	3		
Choose 2: ENG 358 ENG 431 ENG 432	Choose 2 courses from Creative Writing Group B: Writing in Creative Genres Screenwriting Novel Writing	6		
Choose 2: ENG 430 ENG 542 ENG 584 ENG 434 ENG 436	Choose 2 courses from Creative Writing Group C: Advanced Poetry Writing Teaching and Practice/Creative Writing Literary Publishing and Editing Advanced Fiction Writing Advanced Creative Nonfiction Writing	6		
ENG 450	Capstone in English Studies	3		
	Additional Credit Hours for Track	**24**		

Category 6: NKU Major Requirements for the Literary and Cultural Studies Track

NKU Course	Course	Credits	ITCC Course	Taken at ITCC
Choose 2: ENG 202 ENG 203 ENG 206 ENG 207 ENG 208 ENG 209 ENG 217 ENG 218	Choose 2 survey courses not used to fulfill core requirements: Survey of British Literature I Survey of British Literature II Western World Literature I Western World Literature II Survey of American Literature I Survey of American Literature II African-American Literature to 1940 African-American Literature 1940-Present	6	ENGL 224 ENGL 225 ENGL 212 ENGL 213	Option at ITCC
TBS XXX	Choose 15 credit hours of upper division literature courses	15	ENGL 214 ENGL 219 ENGL 240 ENGL 245	Option at ITCC
ENG 450 or ENG 496	Capstone in English Studies Internship: Various	3		
	Additional Credit Hours for Track	**24**		

Category 7: NKU Major Requirements for the Writing Studies Track

NKU Course	Course	Credits	ITCC Course	Taken at ITCC
Choose 4:	Choose 4 courses from Writing Studies Group A. Course must be different from core or Group C courses.	12		Option at ITCC
ENG 331	Persuasive Writing			
ENG 338	Writing for Social Change			
ENG 340	Business Writing			
ENG 347	Technical Writing		ENGL 211	
ENG 348	Editing and Content Development			
ENG 349	Content Development for Web			
ENG 371	Traditional Grammar		ENGL 250	
ENG 381	Introduction to Linguistics		ENGL 249	
ENG 394	Topics (must be approved by department)			
ENG 496	Internship: Various (1-3 credits)			
ENG 497	Projects: Writing (1-3 credits)			
ENG 544	Research/Methods in Professional Writing			
ENG 546	Grant Writing			
ENG 556	Composition Theories (1-3 credits)			
Choose 1:	Choose 1 course from Writing Studies Group B:	3		
ARTV 101	Adobe Creative Cloud: Visual Design Basics			
BIS 101	Fundamentals of Business Computing			
INF 128	Principles of Informatics (SB)			
Choose 2:	Choose 2 courses from Writing Studies Group C. Course must be in addition to core, Group A, the capstone, an area of focus, or a minor.	6	ENGL 210 ENGL 211 ENGL 214 ENGL 219 ENGL 240 ENGL 245 ENGL 249 ENGL 250	
ENG XXX	ENG course at 300, 400 or 500-level not used to fulfill other requirement or general education			
CMST 403	Health Communication			
ENTP 305	Introduction to Entrepreneurship			
JOU 220	News Writing			
JOU 321	Digital Publishing			
JUS 210	Legal Research			
MGT 300	Behavior in Organizations: Understanding Organizational Life			
MGT 306	Project Management			
MKT 205	Principles of Marketing		MKTG 101	Option at ITCC
MKT 308	Integrated Marketing Communications			
MKT 370	Social and Digital Marketing			
SPB 309	Sports and Events Public Relations			
STA 205	Statistical Methods (QR)		MATH 200	
PHI 306	Philosophy and Science			
PSC 312	Modern Ideologies			
SOC 334	Contemporary Sociological Theory			
SOC 360	Technology and Social Change			
SOC 425	Political Sociology			
WGS 310	Gender in the Workplace			

NKU Course	Course	Credits	ITCC Course	Taken at ITCC
WGS 317	Gender and Communication			
ENG 450 or ENG 496	Capstone in English Studies Internship: Various	3		
	Additional Credit Hours for Track	**21**		

Category 8: NKU Major Requirements for the Open Focus Track

NKU Course	Course	Credits	ITCC Course	Taken at ITCC
ENG XXX	Choose 21 credit hours of English courses at the 300-, 400- and 500-level from courses not used to fulfill any other requirements, including general education requirements.	21	ENGL 210 ENGL 211 ENGL 214 ENGL 219 ENGL 240 ENGL 245 ENGL 249 ENGL 250	Option at ITCC
ENG 450 or ENG 496	Capstone in English Studies Internship: Various (1-3 credits)	3		
	Additional Credit Hours for Track	**24**		

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