

# Secondary Education 7–12 (English)

The Bachelor of Science in English prepares candidates to teach English at the secondary level. A rigorous emphasis on the content area, along with education courses, ensures that candidates master the subject area and achieve the professional competence needed to teach English effectively. Upon fulfillment of standards required by the State of Tennessee, students who successfully complete the Bachelor of Science degree requirements may be recommended for 7–12 licensure.

## Program Requirements

| COURSE NUMBER/SUBJECT                                | COURSE  | CREDITS         |
|--|---|-----------------|
| <b>LIBERAL ARTS CORE</b>                             |   | <b>47 HOURS</b> |
| ENG 111/112  | English Composition I & II  | 6               |
| HIS 111/112 or 201/202                               | History electives (two sequential courses)                          | 6               |
| THE 210  | Moral Theology <sup>†</sup>   | 3               |
|  | Theology elective (any one 100 or 200 Theology course)              | 3               |
| MAT 210  | Statistics I  | 3               |
|  | Mathematics (any one credit-bearing course)                         | 3               |
|  | Philosophy (any one 100 or 200 level Philosophy course)             | 3               |
|  | Fine Arts   | 3               |
|  | Foreign Language (any two consecutive courses in the same language) | 6               |
|  | Science (any two laboratory courses)                                | 8               |
| CPU 115  | Introduction to Computers*  | 3               |
| <b>TEACHER EDUCATION CORE</b>                        |   | <b>15 HOURS</b> |
| EDU 240  | Foundations of Education  | 3               |
| PHI 330  | Philosophy of Education   | 3               |
| PSY 315  | Educational Psychology  | 3               |
| PSY 320  | Human Growth and Development  | 3               |
| PSY 400  | Tests and Measurements  | 3               |
| <b>MAJOR IN ENGLISH: 7–12 LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS</b> |   | <b>39 HOURS</b> |
| ENG 213  | English Literature I  | 3               |
| ENG 214  | English Literature II   | 3               |
| ENG 215  | American Literature   | 3               |
| ENG 311  | World Literature: Epic  | 3               |
| ENG 312  | World Literature: Lyric   | 3               |
| ENG 313  | World Literature: Tragedy & Comedy                                  | 3               |
| ENG 314  | World Literature: Novel   | 3               |
| ENG 330  | Modern Multi-Cultural Writers                                       | 3               |
| ENG 343  | Advanced Grammar  | 3               |
| ENG 344  | Advanced Composition  | 3               |
| ENG 403  | Adolescent Literature   | 3               |
| ENG 410 or ENG 411                                   | Linguistics or History of English Language                          | 3               |
| ENG 412  | Shakespeare   | 3               |
| <b>PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION</b>                        |   | <b>24 HOURS</b> |
| EDU 334  | Methods of Instruction 7-12   | 3               |
| EDU 335  | Teaching Reading 7-12   | 3               |
| EDU 424  | Instructing Diverse Learners  | 3               |
| EDU 425  | Media and Technology in Education                                   | 3               |
| EDU 402  | Seminar: Teaching and Management in the Secondary Classroom         | 3               |
| EDU 436  | Enhanced Student Teaching 7-12                                      | 3               |

\* Or successful completion of competency exam.

† Courses must be taken at Aquinas College and a minimum grade of "C" is required.

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