

Associate in Arts Degree: Creative Writing

The Creative Writing AA Degree helps students build strong writing and thinking skills while exploring creativity as an important form of expression. Students take courses in different genres, including poetry, fiction, and creative nonfiction. Students will study contemporary, diverse writers, learn key craft elements, develop their own voice through workshops and practice, and explore academic and professional publishing opportunities.

Degree Student Learning Outcome:

Students will be able to create original writing in multiple genres that demonstrates effective use of craft elements, an awareness of diverse and contemporary literary voices, and a developed individual voice, while engaging in workshop practices, revision, and exploring publishing opportunities.

Program Requirements:

Units Required: 18

	Units:
ENGL-105 Introduction to Creative Writing	3.0
ENGL-106 Creative Writing - Nonfiction	3.0
ENGL-108 Creative Writing - Poetry	3.0
ENGL-109 Creative Writing - Short Stories	3.0
ENGL-122 Literary Magazine Production	3.0

Plus three units from the following:

ENGL-135 Literature and Film	3.0
ENGL-200 Introduction to Latina/o Literature	3.0
ENGL-250 British Literature I	3.0
ENGL-251 British Literature II	3.0
ENGL-260 American Literature I	3.0
ENGL-261 American Literature II	3.0
ENGL-262 American Multicultural Literature	3.0
ENGL-263 Introduction to Poetry	3.0
ENGL-264 Study of Fiction	3.0
ENGL-270 Introduction to African-American Literature	3.0
ENGL-271 Mythology	3.0
ENGL-272 The Bible As Literature	3.0
ENGL-273 World Literature I	3.0
ENGL-274 World Literature II	3.0
ENGL-275 Shakespeare	3.0
ENGL-280 Women Writers	3.0
ENGL-281 Introduction to Science Fiction and Fantasy	3.0