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Department of Linguistics and English Language

BA in ENGLISH LANGUAGE (554924) MAP Sheet

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**UNIVERSITY CORE AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

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**GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Minimum residence hours required: 30.0
- Minimum hours needed to graduate: 120.0

*THIS CLASS FILLS BOTH
UNIVERSITY CORE AND
PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS
(3 hours overlap)*

**PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

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<th>Complete the following prerequisite to all courses required for the ELang major:</th>
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<td>ELang 223</td>
<td>Introduction to the English Language</td>
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<td>LingC 360</td>
<td>International Software &amp; Text Pro</td>
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<td>LingC 489R</td>
<td>Linguistic Computing Project</td>
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Note 1: Only one digital humanities and technology (DighT) or linguistics computing (LingC) course can be used to fill this requirement.

Note 2: The courses chosen to satisfy requirements above cannot double count in this requirement.

Complete 12 credit hours of university course work (or the equivalent) to a 200-level or higher in any single language. This may be the same language used to satisfy the GE Foreign Language option. (Note that the GE Foreign Language option may require more coursework than this requirement for the English language major.) A language relevant to the historical development of English is strongly recommended, namely Latin, French, German, or classical Greek.

Complete the following core courses:

- ELang 273 | Empirical Methods in English Ling. | 3.0 |
- ELang 322 | Modern American Usage | 3.0 |
- ELang 324 | History of the English Language | 3.0 |
- ELang 325 | The Grammar of English | 3.0 |
- ELang 326 | English Semantics and Pragmatics | 3.0 |
- ELang 327 | English Phonetics and Phonology | 3.0 |
- ELang 495R | The Senior Course | 3.0 |

Complete one course from the following:

- ELang 362 | Discourse Analysis | 3.0 |
- ELang 468 | Varieties of English | 3.0 |
- Ling 550 | Sociolinguistics | 3.0 |

Complete one of the following period courses:

- ELang 525 | Old English 1 | 3.0 |
- ELang 526 | Middle English | 3.0 |
- ELang 527 | Early Modern English | 3.0 |

Complete three courses from the following:

- DighT 230 | Introduction to Print Publishing | 3.0 |
- DighT 250 | Web Publishing | 3.0 |
- DighT 260 | Text Processing & Analysis | 3.0 |
- ELang 362 | Discourse Analysis | 3.0 |
- ELang 421R | Studies in Language or Editing | 3.0 |
- ELang 468 | Varieties of English | 3.0 |
- ELang 521R | Studies in Language | 3.0 |
- ELang 522 | Language Policy and Planning in English Language Contexts | 3.0 |
- ELang 524 | History of the Book | 3.0 |
- ELang 525 | Old English 1 | 3.0 |
- ELang 526 | Middle English | 3.0 |
- ELang 527 | Early Modern English | 3.0 |
- ELang 529 | Structure of Modern English | 3.0 |
- ELang 535 | Language and Literature | 3.0 |
- ELang 548 | Old English 2 | 3.0 |
- Ling 325 | Theoretical Syntax | 3.0 |
- Ling 450 | Intro to Historical-Comparative Ling. | 3.0 |
- Ling 485 | Corpus Linguistics | 3.0 |
- Ling 545 | Psycholinguistics | 3.0 |
- Ling 550 | Sociolinguistics | 3.0 |
- Ling 551 | Anthropological Linguistics | 3.0 |
- LingC 200 | Basic Humanities Computing Skills | 3.0 |
- LingC 220 | Linguistic Computing Programming 1 | 3.0 |
- LingC 260 | Text Processing & Analysis | 3.0 |
- LingC 355 | Text Encoding & Markup | 3.0 |

(Continued in next column)


**Suggested Sequence of Courses:**

### FRESHMAN YEAR

**1st Semester**
- First-year Writing or A Htg 100 (3.0)
- ELang 223 3.0
- Rel A 121 2.0
- Language elective 4.0
- General Education courses, and/or general electives 3.0

**Total Hours 15.0**

**2nd Semester**
- A Htg 100 or 1st Year Writing (3.0)
- Rel A 122 2.0
- Language elective 4.0
- General Education courses, and/or general electives 3.0

**Total Hours 15.0**

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

**3rd Semester**
- ELang 322 (FWSu) 3.0
- Rel A 211 or 212 2.0
- General Education courses, and/or general electives 6.0

**Total Hours 15.0**

**4th Semester**
- ELang 325 (FWSpSu) 3.0
- Religion elective 2.0
- General Education courses, and/or general electives 10.0

**Total Hours 15.0**

### JUNIOR YEAR

**5th Semester**
- ELang 326 (F) 3.0
- ELang/Ling elective 3.0
- Rel C 324 or 325 2.0
- General Education courses, and/or general electives 7.0

**Total Hours 15.0**

**6th Semester**
- ELang 324 (FWSp) 3.0
- ELang 327 3.0
- Religion elective 2.0
- General Education courses, and/or general electives 7.0

**Total Hours 15.0**

### SENIOR YEAR

**7th Semester**
- ELang/Ling elective 3.0
- ELang/Ling elective 3.0
- Religion elective 2.0
- General Education courses, and/or general electives 7.0

**Total Hours 15.0**

**8th Semester**
- ELang 495R (FW) 3.0
- ELang/Ling elective 3.0
- ELang/Ling elective 3.0
- General Education courses, and/or general electives 6.0

**Total Hours 15.0**

### THE DISCIPLINE:
The English Language major is focused on English linguistics. As a linguistic program of study it is concerned with the study of language in all its aspects—from speech sounds to sentence formation to meaning; from how language is organized and used in a social setting to how it is organized and processed in the brain. Linguists study language form, language change, language acquisition, and even the texts in which language is recorded. Linguists recognize that the communicative power of language is what brings cohesion to all human enterprises. For the student interested in the nature of language, linguistics is the subject to study.

The science of linguistics has many real-world applications—including translation, information storage/retrieval, lexicography, editing, and language teaching. In addition to its majors in general linguistics and in English language, BYU’s Department of Linguistics and English Language offers undergraduate minor programs (as well as graduate degrees) in several of these areas.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:
A degree in English Language is an important preparation for a variety of jobs that require special attention to the English language such as advertising, technical writing, editing, translation, lexicography, educational material development, and software design. It is also an excellent preparation for those planning graduate studies in areas as diverse as law, international business, tourism, library science, TESOL, communicative disorders, and speech pathology, not to mention graduate studies in specific languages or in linguistics itself.

### Career Suggestions and Strategies:
Possible careers: university teaching or research, translation, software development, lexicography, artificial intelligence, computer assisted instruction, defense, military, prelaw or preprofessional preparation, national security, data analysis, technical writing and editing, government service, abstracting service, church service.

Possible employers: universities, libraries, government agencies, military, software developers, church services, translation companies, small institutions, computer companies.

Employment strategies: gain computer skills, select a wide variety of electives, gain foreign experience, seek internships, study non-Indo European language, develop writing skills, gain writing experience, gain debate skills, become a certified translator, gain translation experience, work at a variety of jobs, gain good science skills, gain good analytical skills.

### ADVISEMENT:
HUMANITIES ADVISEMENT CENTER
1175 JFSB
(801) 422-4789

- Declare or change major or minor
- Clear for graduation (recommended application is two semesters before graduation)
- GE, major, and transfer advisement
- Questions about university policies
- Clearance of CAC holds and adding over hours
- Graduation records
- Requirement sheets, correct ABC errors
- Evaluate students’ holds at 96 hours and 150+ hours

LINGUISTICS AND ENGLISH LANGUAGE
DEPARTMENT
4064 JFSB
(801) 422-2937

- Faculty advisement
- Career counseling
- Adding major classes
- Class offering changes
- Specific course information
- Grade changes
- Letters of recommendation
- Graduate school advisement
- Orientation to major

**Note:** Students are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credit hours each semester or 30 credit hours each year, which could include spring and/or summer terms. Taking fewer credits substantially increases the cost and the number of semesters to graduate.

**Note:** Contact the college advisement center for help in outlining an efficient schedule.