

CONCORDIA COLLEGE – MOORHEAD, MN
Major in English with Communication Arts/Literature
Education

The major in English with Communication Arts/Literature Education prepares students to be recommended by the Concordia College Department of Education for Minnesota licensure to teach in grades 5-12.
 Courses fulfill standards for MN Rule 8710. 4250

Requirements are 52 credits plus 36 credits in education:

Course Number	Course Name	Semester Credits	Status
Required English Courses:			
20 credits in literature foundations:			
ENG 220	Human Values in British and American Literature	4	
ENG 230	Introduction to Literary Scholarship	4	
4 credits from these American literature courses:		4	
ENG 353	American Lit: Beginnings to Realism (4 cr)		
ENG 355	American Lit: Realism to Present (4 cr)		
4 credits from these British literature courses:		4	
ENG 326	British Lit: Medieval to Renaissance (4 cr)		
ENG 336	British Lit: The Restoration to Romanticism (4 cr)		
ENG 346	British Lit: Empire to Independence (4 cr)		
4 credits – 400 level literature elective:		4	
ENG 401	Shakespeare and the English Renaissance (4 cr)		
ENG 410	Individual Author (4 cr)		
ENG 421	Traditions in Literary Genre (4 cr)		
ENG 439	Film and Literature (4 cr)		
ENG 441	Theory/Practice of Criticism (4 cr)		
ENG 451	Postcolonial Literatures (4 cr)		
ENG 488	Senior Capstone in Literature (4 cr)		
8 credits in language and writing:			
ENG 315	English Language, Historical and Analytical	4	
4 credits from the following:		4	
ENG 227	Foundations of Creative Writing (4 cr)		
ENG 316	Business Writing (4 cr)		
ENG 317	Telling the Story: News Writing (4 cr)		
4 credits in diversity:		4	
ENG 160	Global Literature and Human Experience (4 cr)		
ENG 358	Native American Literatures (4 cr) * required for ND licensure		
ENG 365	Writing of Women (4 cr)		
ENG 380	Special Topics (when designated diversity) (4 cr)		

4 credits in education theory and methods:			
EDUC 374	Young Adult Literature	2	
ENG 491	Methods of Teaching Reading and Writing for the Secondary School	2	
16 credits in communication studies:			
COM 201	Introduction to Communication Studies	4	
COM 205	Advanced Public Speaking	4	
COM 331	Mass Media	4	
4 credits from the following:		4	
COM 312	Interpersonal Communication (4 cr)		
COM 314	Group Communication (4 cr)		
Required methods courses:			
EDUC 376	Methods of Teaching English	4	
EDUC 394	Methods of Teaching in Communication Studies	4	
Education Requirements:			
PSYC 212	Educational Psychology	4	
EDUC 210	Foundations in K-12 Education	2	
EDUC 221	Teaching in the Middle School	2	
EDUC 350	The Art and Science of Teaching	2	
EDUC 351	Ecology of the Educational Setting	2	
EDUC 399	Orientation to Student Teaching	0	
EDUC 420	Knowledge, Literacy and Inquiry	2	
EDUC 425	Education of the Exceptional Child	2	
EDUC 439	Human Relations	2	
EDUC 498	Student Teaching	10	

Co-curricular activity participation: Participation in co-curricular activities approved by the English Department and the Communication Studies and Theatre Art Department is a required part of the Communication Arts/Literature licensure. Two different co-curricular activities are required. A minimum of one semester of participation for each activity is suggested; however, participation should not occur during the student teaching semester. Teaching majors are responsible for getting specific information on co-curricular participation requirements from the CSTA and English departments. Suggested activities include forensics; a media activity such as AfterWork, Cobber yearbook, Concordia On-Air, The Concordian, or KORD radio; Campus Service Commission (when English-or education-related and not a requirement for an existing course); theatre; or alternate co-curricular activity approved in advance by the student's advisor and the CSTA Department and English Department chairs.