

## Associate of Arts Bachelor of Arts in English with Teacher Education

The following is presented as an articulation agreement between Kankakee Community College (KCC) and Governors State University (GovState) for the English – Teacher Education degree program based on the current catalogs of both schools. The student would receive an Associate of Arts (AA) degree from KCC and a Bachelors of Arts (BA) degree in English from GovState. **The BA in English – Teacher Education program has special admissions requirements, please refer to the GovState catalog.**

### I. TRANSFERABLE GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM: (37-38 Hours)

#### Communications (9 hours)

- ENGL 1613 - English I (3)
- ENGL 1623 - English II (3)
- SPCH 1553 - Introductory Speech (3)

#### Humanities and Fine Arts (9 hours)

- Humanities Course (3)\*
- Fine Arts Course (3)\*
- Non-Western Culture Humanities Course (3)\*

#### Mathematics (3 hours)

- IAI Mathematics course (3)\*

#### Physical and Life Sciences (7-8 hours)

Select one life science course and one physical science course. One course must have a lab.

- Life Science Course (3-4)\*
- Physical Science Course (3-4)\*

#### Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 hours)

- HIST 2513 - History of the US to 1877 (3) (Meets HIST 1110) **OR**
- HIST 2523 - History of the US from 1877 to Present (3) (Meets HIST 1120)
- PLSC 1513 - American Government (3) (Meets POLS 2100)
- PSYC 1813 - Introduction to Psychology (3) (Meets PSYC 1101)

### II. AREA OF CONCENTRATION/MAJOR FIELD (18 Hours)

- EDUC 1713 - Intro to Public Education (3) (Meets EDUC 2310)
- EDUC 1763 - Technology in Education (3) (Meets EDCP 2101)
- EDUC 1833 - Students with Disabilities (3) (Meets SPED 2100)
- ENGL 2533 - Survey of British Literature II (3) (Meets ENGL 2112)
- ENGL 2723 - American Literature Up to 1865 (3) (Meets ENGL 1221)
- ENGL 2733 - American Literature from 1865 to Present (3) (Meets ENGL 1222)
- Humanities Course (3)

### III. ELECTIVES (4-5Hours)

- ORIN 1541 - Foundations for Student Success (1)
- Electives (3-4) Recommend Humanities.

### REQUIRED A.A. DEGREE PROGRAM TOTAL: 60 Hours

\* Refer to the KCC AA/AS guidelines for a list of course choices in Section I-III.

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## IV. TO BE COMPLETED AT GOVSTATE (65 Hours)

### Required Core Courses (36 hours)

- ENGL 1111 - British Literature I (3)
- ENGL 3099 - Literary Criticism (3)
- ENGL 3115 - Studies in Mythology (3)
- ENGL 3330 - Studies in Literature (3)
- ENGL 4100 - Advanced Composition (3)
- ENGL 4205 - Modern English Grammar (3)
- ENGL 4505 - Major English Authors (3)
- ENGL 4510 - Major American Authors (3)
- ENGL 4515 - Major Black Authors (3)
- ENGL 4520 - Contemporary Literature (3)
- ENGL 4550 - Shakespeare's Plays (3)
- ENGL 4600 - Rhetorical Theory and Practice (3)

### Required Education Courses (29 hours)

- EDUC 3440 - Educational Psychology II (3)
- EDUC 4301 - Secondary Microteaching 1 (1)
- EDUC 4302 - Secondary Microteaching 2 (1)
- EDUC 4465 - Methods of Teaching English (3)
- ENGL 4080 - English Special Topics (3)
- ENGL 4575 - Reading Theory and Practice in Secondary Schools (3)
- ENGL 4580 - Read and Rap: Literature for Young Adult Readers (3)
- EDUC 4999 - Student Teaching: Senior Capstone (12) (Taken Last Semester)

### Minimum Required for the BA in English with Teacher Education: 123 Hours

(125 hours as written to satisfy AA and BA requirements.)

**For Additional Information:**  
**Governors State University**  
**Jaguar Transcript Evaluator**  
at <https://govst.transfer.degree/>

**Kankakee Community College**  
**(815) 802-8208**  
[www.kcc.edu/transfer](http://www.kcc.edu/transfer)

**College of Arts and Sciences**  
[www.govst.edu/cas](http://www.govst.edu/cas)

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