

## **Associate of Arts to Bachelor of Arts in English**

The following is presented as an articulation agreement between Joliet Junior College (JJC) and Governors State University (GSU) for the English degree program based on the current catalogs of both schools. The student would receive an Associate of Arts (AA) degree from JJC and a Bachelors of Arts (BA) degree in English from GSU.

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

#### **Communications (9 hours)**

- ENG 101 - English I (3)
- ENG 102 - English II (3)
- COMM 101 - Principles of Communication (3)

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

- Humanities Course (3)\*
- Fine Arts Course (3)\*
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#### **Mathematics (3 hours)**

- IAI Mathematics course (3)\*

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

Select one life science course and one physical science course.

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

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

- Social and Behavioral Science Courses from at least two separate disciplines. (9)\*

### **II. ELECTIVES (26-27 Hours)**

- ENG 103 - American Literature (3) (Meets ENGL 1221)
- ENG 104 - American Literature (3) (Meets ENGL 1222)
- ENG 105 - Survey of English Literature (3) (Meets ENGL 1111)
- ENG 106 - Survey of English Literature (3) (Meets ENGL 1112)
- Free Electives (14-15)\* [GSU suggests classes in Humanities.]

### **REQUIRED A.A. DEGREE PROGRAM TOTAL: 64 Hours**

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

Note: Students can complete up to 80 hours at JJC by taking additional electives reducing the GSU Electives.

### III. TO BE COMPLETED AT GSU (56 Hours)

#### Required Courses (27 hours)

ENGL 3099	- Literary Criticism (3)
ENGL 4100	- Advanced Composition (3)
ENGL 4110 or 4205	- Linguistics or 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 4900	- English Capstone (3)

#### Selectives (9 hours)

Three 4000 level literature courses (9)

#### Electives (20 hours)

A minimum of 4 hours must be taken at the upper division level.

### Minimum Required for the BA in English: 120 Hours

**For Additional Information:**  
**Governors State University**  
**GSU Jaguar Transfer Evaluator at**  
<https://govst.transfer.degree/>  
**College of Arts and Sciences**  
[www.govst.edu/cas](http://www.govst.edu/cas)

**Joliet Junior College**  
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