ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

MAJOR MAP

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

	1ST YEAR	2ND YEAR	3RD YEAR	4TH OR FINAL YEAR	WHERE COULD I GO
GET THE COURSES YOU NEED	Take Washburn 101: Washburn Experience Take English 101: First-Year Writing Take English 105: Introduction to English Studies Start taking Literature Survey courses Work on Gen Ed Requirements Work on foreign language requirement during the academic year	or certificate that would enhance your studies •Complete foreign language requirement	 Take English 300: Advanced College Writing Take English 301: Literary Criticism and Theory Take English 310: Modern Grammar and Linguistics Continue to work on upperdivision English courses 	• Complete Outstanding Major Requirements • Take English 400: Senior Seminar • Complete Outstanding Degree Requirements	• Editing • Government and Publiservice • Journalism • Law • Legal Analysis • Library Science • Lobbying • Market Research • Marketing • Museum Curation • Nonprofit Communications • Nonprofit Program/Campaign Work • Operations Analysis • Philanthropy and Foundation Work • Political Campaign Work • Proposal Writing • Public Policy Analysis • Public Relations • Publishing • Sales • Screenwriting • Social Media Engagement • Speech Writing • Teaching (Primary, Secondary, Post- Secondary) • Teaching English as a Second Language • Telecommunications • Web Content Writing and Editing • Web Design and Development
GET RELEVANT EXPERIENCE	 Participate in English Department Events Explore Possible WTE Options Attend Apeiron Attend workshops through the Center for Student Success 	 Look into writing for and/or working at the Washburn Review Work at Kaw Yearbook Determine Scholarly WTE Advisor Attend Apeiron 	Write for and/or work at the Washburn Review Work at Kaw Yearbook Think about tutoring at the Writing Center Present at Apeiron Present at an Undergraduate Conference Complete Scholarly WTE	• Complete Outstanding Major Requirements • Take English 400: Senior Seminar • Complete Outstanding Degree Requirements	
GET CONNECTED AND DIVERSIFY	Attend BOWTIE Fair Attend English Department Events Attend Sigma Tau Delta Events Attend Washburn Theater Performances Attend Public Talks and Readings within the larger Topeka Community Explore Potential Volunteer Opportunities on Campus and in the Topeka Community	Attend English Department Events Attend Sigma Tau Delta Events Attend Washburn Theater Performances Talk to International Programs about study abroad programs Consider Getting Involved with Student Organizations Promoting Diversity Attend Events with a Focus on Diversity and Global Topics	Attend English Department Events Attend Sigma Tau Delta Events Attend Washburn Theater Performances Attend Public Talks and Readings within the larger Topeka Community Volunteer on Campus and/or in the Topeka Community Complete a Study Abroad Trip in Year 3 or 4	• Volunteer at the BOWTIE Fair • Complete an Internship • Attend Sigma Tau Delta Events • Attend English Department Events • Continue Developing Language Skills • Participate in a Program to Teach English in Foreign Countries	
POST-GRAD PREPARATION	 Attend Career Services Workshops Attend Department Career Prep Workshop(s) 	• Attend Career Services Workshops • Attend Department Career Prep Workshop(s)	Attend Career Services Workshops Visit Career Services Attend Department Career Prep Workshop(s) Explore Potential Job Opportunities and/or Graduate Programs	• Attend Career Services Workshops • Attend Department Career Prep Workshop(s) • Review Resume and Job Materials • Take GREs/LSATs • Talk to Professors Early about	

• Study and Prepare for GREs/LSATs

• Explore and Apply for Internships

(Can Complete 2nd Semester of

Junior Year or Later)

References

• Apply for Jobs or Graduate School

Internship or Volunteer Opportunity

• Complete a Career-Related

WHERE **COULD I GO AFTER GRADUATION?**

- Editing
- Government and Public Service
- Journalism
- Law
- Legal Analysis
- Library Science
- Lobbying
- Market Research
- MarketingMuseum Curation
- Nonprofit
- Communications • Nonprofit Program/
- Campaign Work
- Operations AnalysisPhilanthropy and
- Foundation Work
- Political Campaign Work
- Proposal WritingPublic Policy Analysis
- Public Relations
- Publishing
- Sales
- Screenwriting
- Social Media
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