

<b><u>CORE COURSES (27 hours)</u></b>		<b><u>Hrs</u></b>	<b><u>Sem</u></b>	<b><u>Grade</u></b>
ENGL 515	Studies in British Literature	3	_____	_____
ENGL 523	Shakespeare	3	_____	_____
ENGL 542	The American Novel	3	_____	_____
ENGL 602	Methods & Materials of Research	3	_____	_____
ENGL 603	Literary Theory & Practice	3	_____	_____
ENGL 610	Classical Literature	3	_____	_____
ENGL 612	Contemporary Literature	3	_____	_____
ENGL 637	Studies in African-American Literature	3	_____	_____
ENGL 656	Studies in World Literatures	3	_____	_____
<b><u>RESEARCH &amp; CRITICISM COURSES (9 hours)<sup>1</sup></u></b>				
ENGL 688	Research Seminar	3	_____	_____
ENGL 689	Thesis Proposal & Research <sup>2</sup>	3	_____	_____
ENGL 690	Thesis Defense <sup>2</sup>	3	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>		<b>36</b>		

### Graduation Requirements

Complete 36 hours

A maximum of 50% of the program hours may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty University on the same academic level

3.0 GPA

No more than two grades of C may be applied to the degree (includes grades of C+ & C-)

No grade of D or below may be applied to the degree (includes grades of D+ & D-)

Degree must be completed within 5 years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

### Offered in Online Format

### Notes

*All applicable prerequisites must be met*

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<sup>2</sup>Any thesis student who is not ready for enrollment in ENGL 690 after completing ENGL 689 may be required, as determined by the student's thesis chair, to repeat ENGL 689 until deemed ready for enrollment in ENGL 690

*Suggested Course Sequence on second page*

**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE**

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
ENGL 515	3	ENGL 523	3
ENGL 602	3	ENGL 542	3
ENGL 603	<u>3</u>	ENGL 610	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

<u>Third Semester</u>		<u>Fourth Semester</u>	
ENGL 637	3	ENGL 612	3
ENGL 656	3	ENGL 689 <sup>1,2</sup> or Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
ENGL 688	<u>3</u>	ENGL 690 <sup>1,2</sup> or Elective <sup>1</sup>	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9

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