English Four Year Academic Pathway: Literature Track

Year 1	Fall			Spring		
		Credits	Grade		Credits	Grade
Benchmark 1 Requirements One 200-level ENGL course to be completed within the **first year** of academic study.	GEP/GFR AH course	3	___	GEP/GFR ENGL 200-level course (AH)	3	___
	GEP/GFR ENGL 100 (or equivalent)	3	___	GEP/GFR AH course	3	___
	GEP/GFR AH course	3	___	GEP/GFR Language 102	4	___
University Requirements ENGL 100 (or equivalent) and a credit-bearing math course to be completed within the first year of academic study.	GEP/GFR SS course	3	___	GEP/GFR Math	3	___
	GEP/GFR Language 101	4	___	GEP/GFR Scienc	3	___
	PE	(1.5)	___			___
	Total	16		Total	16	

Year 2	Fall			Spring		
		Credits	Grade		Credits	Grade
Benchmark 2 Requirements ENGL 300 and ENGL 301 must be completed by the end of **two semesters** into the major.	ENGL 300	3	___	ENGL 302	3	___
	ENGL 301 (WI)	3	___	ENGL Elective #1	3	___
Benchmark 3 Requirements ENGL 302 must be completed by the end of **three semesters** into the major.	GEP/GFR SS course	3	___	GEP/GFR Culture course	3	___
	GEP/GFR Culture course	3	___	GEP/GFR Science/lab course	4	___
Benchmark 4 Requirements The first elective course (out of 4) should be completed by the end of **three semesters** into the major.	GEP/GFR Language 201	4	___	Open Elective	3	___
	PE	(1.5)	___			___
	Total	16		Total	16	

Year 3	Fall			Spring		
		Credits	Grade		Credits	Grade
Benchmark 5 Requirements Four 300 or 400-level historical period courses must be completed by the end of **five semesters** into the major.	ENGL historical period course #1	3	___	ENGL historical period course #3	3	___
	ENGL historical period course #2	3	___	ENGL historical period course #4	3	___
Major Requirements The second elective course (out of 4) should be completed by the end of **five semesters** into the major.	GEP/GFR SS course	3	___	ENGL Elective #2	3	___
	Open Elective	3	___	Open Elective	3	___
	Open Elective	3	___	Open Elective	3	___
			___			___
	Total	15		Total	15	

Year 4	Fall			Spring		
		Credits	Grade		Credits	Grade
Major Requirements 1) One ENGL 400-level course AND an ENGL 400-level seminar must be completed in the **last two semesters** of the major. **(Note: All English majors must take a seminar and cannot substitute an additional 400-level course).**	ENGL 400-level course or 400-level seminar	3	____	ENGL 400-level seminar or 400-level course	3	____
	ENGL Elective #3	3	____	ENGL Elective #4	3	____
	Upper Level Elective	3	____	Upper Level Elective	3	____
2) ENGL Elective #3 and #4 (out of four) must be completed in the **last two semesters** of the major.	Open Elective	3	____	Open Elective	3	____
	Open Elective	3	____	Open Elective	3	____
	Total	15		Total	15	

Total = 124 credits

University Requirements				Major Requirements			
GEP / GFR (pre Summer 2007 higher ed start)							
Requirements:	**Course**	**Credits**	**Grade**		**Year**	**Credits**	**Grade**
Arts & Humanities (AH) - *see Note below*	ENGL 200-level	3		**Benchmark 1 Requirement**			
Arts & Humanities (AH)				ENGL 200-level course	1	3	
Arts & Humanities (AH)				**Benchmark 2 Requirements**			
Social Sciences (SS) - *see Note below*				ENGL 300	2	3	
Social Sciences (SS)				ENGL 301	2	3	
Social Sciences (SS)				**Benchmark 3 Requirement**			
Sciences (S) - *with lab*				ENGL 302	2	3	
Lab				**Benchmark 4 Requirement**			
Sciences (S) - *with or without lab*				English Elective #1	2	3	
Math (M) [GFR = (MS)]				**Benchmark 5 Requirements**			
Language (L) - *through 201 level*	_____ 201			ENGL historical period course #1	3	3	
Global Culture (C) [GFR may replace w/ 2nd lang]				ENGL historical period course #2	3	3	
Global Culture (C) - *GEP BA only*				ENGL historical period course #3	3	3	
Writing Intensive (WI)				ENGL historical period course #4	3	3	
Physical Ed (PE) - *Institutional credit only*		1.5					
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Note: AH & SS from at least 2 disciplines for GEP/ AH & SS from at most 2 disciplines for GFR							
Additional UMBC Graduation Requirements:				**Diversity**	**Course**	**Credits**	**Grade**
☐ At least 120 academic credits				One ENGL course designated			
☐ At least 30 credits earned at UMBC				with a "D" for Diversity		3	
☐ At least 45 upper level credits (300 and 400 level)							
☐ At least 2.0 GPA							
Other Major Requirements:	**Year**	**Credits**	**Grade**				
English 300/400 Elective #2	3	3					
English 300/400 Elective #3	4	3					
English 300/400 Elective #4	4	3					
ENGL 400-level course	4	3					
ENGL 400-level seminar	4	3					
***For additional details on Literature track in English, please refer to umbc.edu/prog_majors.html or pick up the Literature major checklist in the front office of the English Department.							