

# English: Associate of Arts Degree

<b>Faculty of Arts</b>	kpu.ca/arts
<b>English</b>	kpu.ca/arts/english
<b>Implementation Date</b>	01-Sep-2011
<b>Start Date(s)</b>	September January May
<b>Admission Type</b>	Open admission
<b>Enrolment Type</b>	Open enrolment
<b>Program Type</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Credential Granted</b>	Associate Degree
<b>Offered At</b>	Langley Richmond Surrey
<b>Format</b>	Full-time Part-time
<b>How to Apply</b>	www.kpu.ca/admission

## DESCRIPTION

Concentration in English at the Associate level is an excellent foundation for a variety of careers and further studies. Those who wish to pursue a B.A. Major or Minor in English are encouraged to take a variety of English courses within an Associate of Arts degree.

Transfer to a Bachelor of Arts Program

Students who complete the Associate of Arts degree in English are eligible for admission to KPU's Bachelor of Arts, Major or Minor in English programs, as well as to KPU's Bachelor of Arts programs in other areas, as long as other third year entry requirements are met.

Students who receive an Associate of Arts degree in English from Kwantlen Polytechnic University will also have appropriate course coverage to be eligible to enter the English major program at any other university in British Columbia. (UBC has additional requirements that students will need to complete, and UVic strongly recommends that students also have reading knowledge of a second language; however, direct entry is available into the B.A. English programs at most other institutions, including SFU.)

## PROGRAM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

General university admission requirements apply to this program including the undergraduate-level English Proficiency Requirement.

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Within the framework of the Associate of Arts degree, students must complete at least 60 credits with a minimum of C in each course including the following:

### 1. Must take:

ENGL 1100	Introduction to University Writing	3 credits
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### 2. At least one of:

ENGL 1202	Reading and Writing about Selected Topics: An Introduction to Literature	3 credits
ENGL 1204	Reading and Writing about Genre: An Introduction to Literature	3 credits

### 3. Both of:

ENGL 2316	English Literature: 14th to 18th Centuries	3 credits
ENGL 2317	English Literature: 18th to 20th Centuries	3 credits

### 4. At least one of:

ENGL 2301	Canadian Literature in English	3 credits
ENGL 2309	Literature of the United States of America	3 credits

The English department strongly recommends that students who are pursuing an Associate of Arts Degree in English from Kwantlen Polytechnic University also complete at least one additional second year course chosen from the following list:

ENGL 2315	The Comic Voice	3 credits
ENGL 2319	The Novel in English: Its Development	3 credits
ENGL 2320	Studies in Poetry	3 credits
ENGL 2330	Studies in Drama	3 credits
ENGL 2340	Studies in Fiction	3 credits
ENGL 2350	Critical Studies in Film	3 credits

## CREDENTIAL AWARDED

Upon successful completion of this program, students are eligible to receive an **Associate of Arts Degree in English**.