





English Education // MAJOR MAP

Bachelor of Science



Southwest Baptist
UNIVERSITY

	FRESHMAN	SOPHOMORE	JUNIOR	SENIOR
 <p><i>Grow</i> ACADEMICALLY</p>	<p>Investigate introductory courses such as ENG 1113 English Composition I and ENG 2213 English Composition II.</p> <p>Familiarize yourself with your department by getting to know the professors and other students within your major.</p>	<p>Explore career goals with your advisor and consider when you will take the Missouri General Education Assessment (MoGEA).</p> <p>Discover more about your major by engaging in courses such as ENG 3373 Structure of the English Language and ENG 3303 Young Adult Literature.</p>	<p>Continue engaging in your Professional Educational Coursework through EDU 2131 Field Experience Level 1, EDU 2823 Technology for Educators, EDU 2463 Foundations of Middle School, and content area courses.</p>	<p>EDU 4939 Student Teaching, EDU 4691 Student Teaching Seminar, EDU 4832 Assessment and Evaluation of Learners, EDU 4842 Teaching Diverse Learners, and EDU 4951 Communication in Education will bring your academic experiences together and prepare you for your desired career path upon graduation.</p>
 <p><i>Pursue</i> SERVANT LEADERSHIP</p>	<p>Participate in student organizations and professional associations like MO State Poetry Society (MSPS) and Student Missouri State Teachers Association (SMSTA).</p>	<p>Consider utilizing your skills to assist as a Writing Center tutor.</p> <p>Assist Sigma Tau Delta members with visiting Literary Artists.</p>	<p>Demonstrate servant-leadership by making new members feel welcome and pursuing leader/officer positions in your organizations.</p> <p>Consider becoming a Peer Mentor with the Success Center's Run2Win Program.</p>	<p>Spread the word about what clubs/organizations/events you have enjoyed and help others to get connected on campus.</p> <p>Pursue a leadership role within Sigma Tau Delta.</p>
 <p><i>Embrace</i> OUR GLOBAL SOCIETY</p>	<p>Visit SBU's Center for Global Connections (CGC) to learn about global service opportunities.</p> <p>Be involved locally through Writing Celebration Nights, the Casebolt Project, Poetry workshops, and Barnett-Padgett Literary Artist Series.</p>	<p>Are you interested in studying abroad? Ask your advisor or Career Services about study abroad opportunities.</p> <p>Experience other cultures on the SBU campus by taking classes in World Literature.</p>	<p>Consider serving on a team through the CGC.</p> <p>Engage in a technical writing class and practice writing grants for non-English speaking cultures.</p>	<p>Assess what opportunities, locally and globally, are available upon graduation.</p> <p>Utilize your skills by tutoring non-native speakers.</p>
 <p><i>Plan for</i> YOUR FUTURE</p>	<p>Discuss your career interests with an advisor and identify your career goals.</p> <p>Gather information on careers you are interested in pursuing. Use the Occupational Outlook Handbook to discover information and job projections for any career path.</p>	<p>Begin building your résumé by keeping track of all clubs and organizations in which you participate. Continue this throughout your college career.</p> <p>Cultivate genuine relationships with professors.</p>	<p>Explore graduate schools, if you desire to continue your education. Consider SBU's Master's degrees in Education.</p> <p>Prepare for the Missouri Content Assessment.</p>	<p>Identify and ask individuals if they will write letters of reference/recommendation for you.</p> <p>Finalize your résumé and cover letter. Apply for teaching positions.</p> <p>Plan a time to meet with the Career Services Director to practice a mock interview.</p> <p>File intent to graduate card.</p>

CAREER POSSIBILITIES

English Teacher

English Teacher abroad