The English program at College of the Siskiyous provides training in analytical, communicative, and writing skills necessary for a number of professions. English majors have a good background for careers in teaching, journalism, technical writing, free-lance writing, telecommunications, editing, magazine or book publishing, book marketing and distribution, advertising, law, and business/corporate communication. The English major prepares students for careers requiring strong communication skills, organizational abilities, and critical thinking skills. The English curriculum also academically prepares the student to transfer to a 4-year university to complete a Baccalaureate degree in a related discipline. Students who wish to transfer may want to consult a counselor to help them determine the best course of action for their goals.

Important: To obtain the Associate in Arts Degree in English, students must complete the following requirements with a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0:

- The English major requirements below.
- The College of the Siskiyous General Education Pattern (COSGE) requirements.
- Any needed electives to reach a total of 60 COS degree-applicable units.
- All major courses and any courses noted on the COSGE check sheet must be completed with a C or better.

Requirements for the Major

□ Core-Complete the following: ----------------------------------------------- 6 units
  □ ENGL 1501- Advanced Composition-Literature (3)
  □ ENGL 1502- Advanced Composition- Critical Thinking (3)

□ List A- Complete two of the following: ----------------------------------------------- 6 units
  □ ENGL 2043- World Literature I (3)
  □ ENGL 2044- American Literature I (3)
  □ ENGL 2046- British Literature I (3)
  □ ENGL 2543- World Literature II (3)
  □ ENGL 2544- American Literature II (3)
  □ ENGL 2546- British Literature II (3)

□ List B-Complete one of the following: ----------------------------------------------- 3 units
  □ Any course not used in List A above (3)
  □ ENGL 1019- Creative Writing (3)

□ List C-Complete one of the following: ----------------------------------------------- 3 units
  □ Any course not used in List A or List B above (3)
  □ ENGL 1033- Introduction to Shakespeare (3)
  □ ENGL 2036- Children’s Literature (3)

Total Units ---------------------------------------------------------- 18