

Programme Specification (Undergraduate)

FOR ENTRY YEAR: 2022/23

1. Programme title(s) and code(s):

BA English with Creative Writing

BA English with Creative Writing with a Year Abroad^

Notes

^ Students may only enter this programme by approved transfer at the end of Year 1

a) HECOS Code

| HECOS Code | % |
|------------|-----|
| 100319 | 75% |
| 100046 | 25% |

b) UCAS Code (where required)

Q3W1

2. Awarding body or institution:

University of Leicester

3. a) Mode of study

Full-time

b) Type of study

Campus-based

4. Registration periods:

BA English with Creative Writing

The normal period of registration is 3 years

The maximum period of registration 5 years

BA English with Creative Writing with a Year Abroad

The normal period of registration is 4 years

The maximum period of registration 6 years

5. Typical entry requirements

AAB-ABB at A level, including English Literature, or English Language, or English Language and Literature

International Baccalaureate: Pass Diploma with 32 points (at least 6 in Higher Level English)

Access: Pass in relevant diploma with some credits at distinction and a review of recent work.

6. Accreditation of Prior Learning

Accreditation of Prior Learning may be considered for entry into the second year of the course if the student has completed a first year on another English or English-related course at university; has completed modules with content comparable to the first year in topic and level; and has passed at a high level (normally a 2:1 average overall). This is dependent on places being available on the programme.

7. Programme aims

The programme aims to

- develop students' knowledge and understanding of English literature from historical periods and genres, and to provide a syllabus with historical range, intellectual progression and opportunities for independent study;
- to develop students' knowledge and understanding of Creative Writing in a variety of forms and genres;
- to foster students' independent thinking and judgment;
- to develop students' core skills in close reading and textual analysis;
- to develop students' core skills in the craft of creative writing, both in practice and critical reflection;
- to develop students' initiative and ability to carry out independent research;
- to develop students' ability to access and assess information, to communicate clearly and effectively, and to present their findings in a professional manner;
- to deliver learning opportunities through lectures, seminars, workshops, small group work, guided study, individual supervision, as well as a range of guest speaker events and field research;
- to enable students to demonstrate their ability in the skills of examinations, essays, online tests and quizzes, portfolios, oral presentations, creative and/or critical writing, commentaries, group projects, and to offer the opportunity to undertake dissertations.

8. Reference points used to inform the programme specification

- QAA Benchmarking Statement
- Framework for Higher Education Qualifications (FHEQ)
- UK Quality Code for Higher Education
- National Association of Writers in Education Benchmark Statement
- University Learning Strategy
- University Assessment Strategy
- University of Leicester Periodic Developmental Review Report
- External Examiners' reports (annual)
- United Nations Education for Sustainable Development Goals
- Student Destinations Data

9. Programme Outcomes

Unless otherwise stated, programme outcomes apply to all awards specified in 1. Programme title(s).

a) Discipline specific knowledge and competencies

i) Mastery of an appropriate body of knowledge

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Demonstrate mastery of an appropriate body of literary, critical, linguistic and creative knowledge and practice (including fiction, creative non-fiction, poetry and drama). | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups and industry professional talks. | Formative and summative assessment including: essays, essaybased examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations and discussion, group projects, peer review sessions, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing across forms and genres, critical reflective, commentary, autonomous learning group reports. |

ii) Understanding and application of key concepts and techniques

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Demonstrate skills in close reading of literary texts. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |
| Demonstrate a knowledge and understanding of the English language in its historical and literary dimensions. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Demonstrate knowledge of and application of a variety of methodological approaches to the study of English. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |
| Demonstrate an understanding of literary history and literary genre. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |
| Demonstrate and apply craft and established creative writing research skills in practice and critical reflection across different forms and genres. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |
| Comment upon, edit and review own and others' creative work. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |

iii) Critical analysis of key issues

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Analyse literary texts for their formal, thematic and rhetorical significance. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |
| Evaluate and select appropriate craft elements for the effective realisation of creative ideas. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |
| Use and reflect on a range of critical methods. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |
| Demonstrate understanding of the historical/ cultural /social context of literature and differences between texts. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |

iv) Clear and concise presentation of material

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Present arguments in a variety of written and oral formats. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |
| Present and/or perform creative work in different forms and genres clearly and cogently. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |

v) Critical appraisal of evidence with appropriate insight

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Marshal appropriate evidence in close reading, interpretation and contextualization. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Use evidence effectively in the construction of arguments. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |
| Develop creative writing through research, practice, and reflecting on own and other's work. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |

vi) Other discipline specific competencies

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Demonstrate imagination, creativity and linguistic fluency as well as an understanding of the wider professional writing industries, including film, publishing, editing, performance, literary events. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, film screenings, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing from across the genres, and critical reflective commentary, autonomous learning group reports, reviews, journals, field assignments, oral presentations, performances, and peer review sessions. |

b) Transferable skills

i) Oral communication

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| To present arguments in a range of registers and to develop confidence in performing work. | Seminars, workshops, performance, group projects, autonomous learning groups. | Oral presentations, seminar and autonomous learning group discussions, and performance. |

ii) Written communication

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| To present written arguments of varying lengths and levels of formality and to effectively communicate ideas across multiple forms and genres. | Lectures, seminars, writing workshops, supervisions, film screenings, readings, autonomous learning groups, independent research, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, group projects, creative writing across forms and genres and critical reflective commentary, reviews, journals, field assignments, autonomous learning group reports, group projects, peer review sessions, seminar discussion. |

iii) Information technology

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|----------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Use word processing, internet and email effectively. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, workshops, directed reading, written assignments, presentations, independent research and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing across forms and genres, critical reflective commentary, reviews, autonomous learning group reports, group projects. |
| Use word processing, internet and email effectively. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, workshops, directed reading, written assignments, presentations, independent research and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing across forms and genres, critical reflective commentary, reviews, autonomous learning group reports, group projects. |
| Make effective use of PowerPoint or similar visual aids. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, workshops, directed reading, written assignments, presentations, independent research and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing across forms and genres, critical reflective commentary, reviews, autonomous learning group reports, group projects. |
| Identify and evaluate a range of online resources. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, workshops, directed reading, written assignments, presentations, independent research and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, creative writing across forms and genres, critical reflective commentary, reviews, autonomous learning group reports, group projects. |

iv) Numeracy

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Analysis of evidence that may include numerical or historical data. | Seminars, group projects, lectures, independent research. | Group projects, online tests and quizzes, and reports. |

v) Team working

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Solve problems collaboratively. | Group work for projects, writing workshops, seminars, autonomous learning groups. | Group projects, reports, assignments, seminar and autonomous learning group discussions/reports, field assignments, and peer review sessions. |
| Reflect on the value and challenges of group working. | Group work for projects, writing workshops, seminars, autonomous learning groups. | Group projects, reports, assignments, seminar and autonomous learning group discussions/reports, field assignments, and peer review sessions. |
| Collaboratively identify methodologies, manage the distribution of effort and collectively arrive at conclusions. | Group work for projects, writing workshops, seminars, autonomous learning groups. | Group projects, reports, assignments, seminar and autonomous learning group discussions/reports, field assignments, and peer review sessions. |
| Offer constructive feedback in a group environment. | Group work for projects, writing workshops, seminars, autonomous learning groups. | Group projects, reports, assignments, seminar and autonomous learning group discussions/reports, field assignments, and peer review sessions. |

vi) Problem solving

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? | |
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| Solve literary critical, literary theoretical, literary, historical, linguistic, creative research and editorial problems. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, and guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, critical reflective commentaries, reviews, journals, peer review sessions, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar discussion and presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, autonomous learning group discussion and reports. | |
| Identify and implement appropriate research methods. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, autonomous learning groups, and guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, critical reflective commentaries, reviews, journals, peer review sessions, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar discussion and presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, autonomous learning group discussion and reports. | |

vii) Information handling

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Identify, retrieve and manipulate textual, critical and linguistic information. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, critical reflective commentaries, journals, autonomous learning group reports, group projects, peer review sessions. |
| Assess the significance of this information in the construction of arguments and creative work. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research. | Essays, essay-based examinations, dissertation, seminar presentations, group projects, online tests and quizzes, seminar discussion, critical reflective commentaries, journals, autonomous learning group reports, group projects, peer review sessions. |

viii) Skills for lifelong learning

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Demonstrate intellectual and creative independence. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, film | Essays, essay-based examinations (processing and ordering and prioritising information), dissertation (managing time and |
| Critically evaluate writing across all forms and genres; formulate arguments and distil information quickly and efficiently. | screenings, autonomous learning groups, guest author and industry professional talks. | research), seminar presentations (public speaking skills), group projects (collaboration), seminar discussion (collaboration and response), creative writing and critical commentary (attention to |
| Write well across all forms and genres. | | detail), assignments (time management) oral presentations (confidence and presentation skills), |
| Manage the time and resources available. | | performances (teamwork), autonomous learning group reports (teamwork), group |
| Demonstrate a broad comprehension of the history of English literature, the forms and genres in which writers practised, and an awareness of the professional writing industries. | | projects (teamwork), peer review sessions (responding to criticism). |

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Demonstrate intellectual and creative independence. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, film screenings, autonomous learning groups, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations (processing and ordering and prioritising information), dissertation (managing time and research), seminar presentations (public speaking skills), group projects (collaboration), seminar discussion (collaboration and response), creative writing and critical commentary (attention to detail), assignments (time management) oral presentations (confidence and presentation skills), performances (teamwork), autonomous learning group reports (teamwork), group projects (teamwork), peer review sessions (responding to criticism). |
| Critically evaluate writing across all forms and genres; formulate arguments and distil information quickly and efficiently. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, film screenings, autonomous learning groups, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations (processing and ordering and prioritising information), dissertation (managing time and research), seminar presentations (public speaking skills), group projects (collaboration), seminar discussion (collaboration and response), creative writing and critical commentary (attention to detail), assignments (time management) oral presentations (confidence and presentation skills), performances (teamwork), autonomous learning group reports (teamwork), group projects (teamwork), peer review sessions (responding to criticism). |

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Write well across all forms and genres. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, film screenings, autonomous learning groups, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations (processing and ordering and prioritising information), dissertation (managing time and research), seminar presentations (public speaking skills), group projects (collaboration), seminar discussion (collaboration and response), creative writing and critical commentary (attention to detail), assignments (time management) oral presentations (confidence and presentation skills), performances (teamwork), autonomous learning group reports (teamwork), group projects (teamwork), peer review sessions (responding to criticism). |
| Manage the time and resources available. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, film screenings, autonomous learning groups, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations (processing and ordering and prioritising information), dissertation (managing time and research), seminar presentations (public speaking skills), group projects (collaboration), seminar discussion (collaboration and response), creative writing and critical commentary (attention to detail), assignments (time management) oral presentations (confidence and presentation skills), performances (teamwork), autonomous learning group reports (teamwork), group projects (teamwork), peer review sessions (responding to criticism). |

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Demonstrate a broad comprehension of the history of English literature, the forms and genres in which writers practised, and an awareness of the professional writing industries. | Seminars, lectures, supervisions, writing workshops, directed reading, written assignments, independent research, film screenings, autonomous learning groups, guest author and industry professional talks. | Essays, essay-based examinations (processing and ordering and prioritising information), dissertation (managing time and research), seminar presentations (public speaking skills), group projects (collaboration), seminar discussion (collaboration and response), creative writing and critical commentary (attention to detail), assignments (time management) oral presentations (confidence and presentation skills), performances (teamwork), autonomous learning group reports (teamwork), group projects (teamwork), peer review sessions (responding to criticism). |

10. Progression points

This programme follows the standard Scheme of Progression set out in <u>Senate Regulations</u> – see the version of Senate Regulation 5 governing undergraduate programmes relevant to the year of entry.

In cases where a student has failed to meet a requirement to progress he or she will be required to withdraw from the course

a) Course transfers

n/a

11. Criteria for award and classification

This programme follows the standard scheme of undergraduate award and classification set out in <u>Senate Regulations</u> – see the version of <u>Senate Regulation 5 governing undergraduate programmes</u> relevant to the year of entry.

12. Special features

For the aims, learning outcomes and application criteria for the GCSA Year Abroad please see https://le.ac.uk/study/undergraduates/courses/abroad.

13. Indications of programme quality

[Insert details]

14. External Examiner(s) reports

The details of the External Examiner(s) for this programme and the most recent External Examiners' reports for this programme can be found at exam-papers [log-in required]



Programme Specification (Undergraduate)

Appendix 1: Programme structure (programme regulations)

The University regularly reviews its programmes and modules to ensure that they reflect the current status of the discipline and offer the best learning experience to students. On occasion, it may be necessary to alter particular aspects of a course or module.

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Updates to the programme

| Academic year affected | Module Code(s) | Update |
|------------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|
| 2022/23 | EN1010 | Title changed from Reading English |
| 2023/24 | EN2060 | New core module |
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Level 4/Year 1 2022/23

Credit breakdown

| Status | Year long | Semester 1 | Semester 2 |
|----------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Core | Choose an item. | 60 credits | 60 credits |
| Optional | Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. |

120 credits in total

Core modules

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|--------|-------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Sem 1 | EN1070 | Writing Matters | 15 credits |
| Sem 1 | EN1020 | The Novel Around the World | 30 credits |
| Sem 1 | EN1025 | Introduction to Writing Creatively (Part 1) | 15 credits |
| Sem 2 | EN1010 | Reading Poetry | 15 credits |
| Sem 2 | EN1050 | Renaissance Drama: Shakespeare and his Contemporaries | 30 credits |
| Sem 2 | EN1035 | Introduction to Writing Creatively (Part 2) | 15 credits |

Level 5/Year 2 2023/24

Credit breakdown

| Status | Year long | Semester 1 | Semester 2 |
|----------|-----------------|------------|------------|
| Core | Choose an item. | 30 credits | 15 credits |
| Optional | Choose an item. | 30 credits | 45 credits |

120 credits in total

Core modules

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|--------|----------------------------------|------------|
| Sem 1 | EN2070 | Using Stories | 15 credits |
| Sem 1 | EN2060 | Critical Perspectives 1 | 15 credits |
| Sem 2 | EN2080 | Advanced Creative Writing Skills | 15 credits |

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Option modules

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|--------|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Semester 1 | EN2147 | Romantic Literature from Blake to Shelley | 30 credits |
| Semester 1 | EN2350 | Eighteenth-Century Literature from Restoration to Revolution | 30 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN2330 | Modern Literature from Heart of Darkness to Nineteen Eighty-Four | 30 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN2340 | Rewriting Britain from Windrush to Now | 30 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN2025 | English and Arts Journalism | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN2192 | Diversifying the Publishing Industry | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN2196 | English and Education | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN2360 | Critical Perspectives 2 | 15 credits |

Notes

Students should choose 1 30-credit option in semester 1. They should choose 1 30-credit option and 1 15-credit option in semester 2.

This is an indicative list of option modules and not definitive of what will be available. Option module choice is also subject to availability, timetabling, student number restrictions and, where appropriate, students having taken appropriate pre-requisite modules.

Level 6/Year Final 2024/25

| Status | Year long | Semester 1 | Semester 2 |
|----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Core | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| Optional | n/a | 60 credits | 60 credits |

120 credits in total

Students must choose ONE of the following:

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|--------|-------------------------|------------|
| Semester 1 & | EN3010 | Dissertation in English | 45 credits |
| 2 | | | |

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|------------------------|--------|----------------------------------|------------|
| Semester 1 & | EN3011 | Dissertation in Creative Writing | 45 credits |
| 2 | | | |

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Option modules

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|--------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Semester 1 | EN3320 | Renaissance Literature from Utopia to Paradise Lost | 30 credits |
| Semester 1 | EN3328 | Victorians: from Oliver Twist to The Picture of Dorian Gray | 30 credits |
| Semester 1 | EN3004 | Adolescence in American Fiction and Film | 15 credits |
| Semester 1 | EN3060 | Science Fiction: Exploring Space and Time | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN3078 | Love and Death: The Novel in Nineteenth-Century Russia and France | 15 credits |
| Semester 1 | EN3119 | Writing Voices* | 15 credits |
| Semester 1 | EN3151 | Classical Worlds: Translation and Reception | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN3174 | Writing Prose Fiction* | 15 credits |
| Semester 1 | EN3209 | The Living and the Dead in Nineteenth-Century Literature and Culture | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN3021 | Literatures of Protest: Reading and Political Action | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN3027 | The Latin World: Ancient, Medieval and Modern | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN3035 | Weird Fiction/ Weird Film | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN3144 | The Thatcher Factor: The 1980s in Literature | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN3158 | Jane Austen: Novels, Contexts, Adaptations | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN3194 | Tragedy | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EN3041 | Literature and Decolonisation | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | NT3200 | Sustainability Enterprise Partnership Project | 15 credits |

Notes

Students should choose EITHER EN3010 Dissertation in English OR EN3011 Dissertation in Creative Writing. They should choose 1 30-credit option and 1 15-credit option in Semester 1, and 2 15-credit options in Semester 2. Students must take at least 30 credits in Creative Writing during the year, including at least 15 credits each semester. Students are advised to work with their Personal Tutor to ensure they have sufficient credits. Creative Writing options are marked with an asterisk. The list of 15-credit option modules is indicative only, and not definitive of what will be available. Option module choice is also subject to availability, timetabling, student number restrictions and, where appropriate, students having taken appropriate pre-requisite modules.

Appendix 2: Module specifications

See undergraduate module specification database (Note - modules are organized by year of delivery).