**Name:**

**ULID:**

**Semester admitted:**

The MA in English with a concentration in TESOL requires 33 credit hours beyond the BA. At least half of the coursework must be at the 500/600 level.

**Transfer Credit Hours:**

Students may transfer up to nine (9) graduate coursework hours from their prior institution, with the approval of the Graduate Coordinator and the Graduate School.

**General Coursework and Degree Requirements:**

Foreign language requirement: reading knowledge of one (1) language (     , completion date:      )

**Concentration Requirements:**

ENGL 506

ENGL 452

ENGL 561

ENGL 562

ENGL 563

Elective from ENGL 405, 425, 455, 458, 553, or an appropriate course from CODI, Modern Languages, or EDCI

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**Candidacy:**

Immediately after completing 12 hours of graduate coursework, the student should apply for candidacy and submit a Candidacy, Committee and Copyright Compliance Form to the Graduate Coordinator for Continuing Students.

Application for Candidacy submitted to Graduate Coordinator for Continuing Students.

**Practicum Track:**

You will teach ESOL for a semester and produce a paper or project that reflects on your experiences as a teacher. Various ESOL placements are available within the University or the community, or students might take advantage of internships or jobs available around the world.

Practicum committee members:

Chair:       Reader:       Reader:       Reader (optional):

**Thesis Track:**

After their second semester, the candidate should begin work on the thesis prospectus. Once approved by the candidate’s committee, the prospectus should be submitted to the Graduate Coordinator for Continuing Students by the middle of their third semester.

Thesis Prospectus Submitted, middle of third semester

Date prospectus approved (M/D/YY):

Thesis committee members:

Chair:       Reader:       Reader:       Reader (optional):

**ESL certification for K-12 teachers:**

K-12 teachers from Louisiana who have a prior education certification can take the ESL add-on certification (12 hours) as a part of this M.A. concentration. The School of Education should be consulted for the current list of courses required for certification.

See the [English Graduate Student Handbook](http://english.louisiana.edu/node/245) for more information on all degree requirements.

**Coursework Checklist**

500/600 level courses: at least half of your total coursework hours must be at the 500 or 600 level.

ENGL 500 and 509 do not count towards the total number of credit hours needed for the degree.

Registration for all 400G-level courses requires completion of override request found at bottom left of English Dep’t. webpage.

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| **Requirement** | **Course Taken/**  **No. and Name** | **Semester, Year** | **Grade** | **Credit Hours** | **Notes** |
| ENGL 506 |  |  |  | 3 | 1st semester. |
| ENGL 452G |  |  |  | 3 | 1st semester. |
| ENGL 561 |  |  |  | 3 | 1st semester. |
| ENGL 562 |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| ENGL 563 |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| Linguistics: 405, 425, 455, 458, 553, CODI, ModL, EDCI |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| Linguistics: 405, 425, 455, 458, 553, CODI, ModL, EDCI |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| Linguistics: 405, 425, 455, 458, 553, CODI, ModL, EDCI |  |  |  | 3 |  |
| Elective (must be 501 for GTAs) |  |  |  | 3 | GTAs must take ENGL 501 ***before*** teaching. |

Thesis track:

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| ENGL 599 *(Thesis)* |  |  |  | 3 |  |
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Practicum track:

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| ENGL 564 *(TESOL Practicum)* |  |  |  | 3 |  |
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| **Required Courses for GTAs** | **Course Completed** | **Semester, Year** |
| ENGL501, as above |  | 2nd semester |
| ENGL509 (1 hour)  ENGL509 (1 hour) |  | 3rd semester  4th semester |

Total Hours: 33 (+ 2 for GTAs)