

INFORMATION FOR NEW ENGLISH EDUCATION MAJORS

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VISIT YOUR ASSIGNED ADVISOR!

Save all work from all English required core classes electronically (NSU“L” drive) creating separate folders for each English class. Keep a backup. In ENGL 4133 Teaching English in Secondary School, you will create the required English Education Work Sample Project, a collection of work that demonstrates your command of NCTE, Common Core, and ELA knowledge and skills.

The Department of Languages & Literature uses NSU email for all electronic communication. Check your NSU email frequently.

Proficiency in a language other than English is a requirement for this degree. American Sign language does qualify.

EDUC 3313 (Pre I) will answer your education program questions. Visit the College of Education web site frequently for updates.

Do not take the OSAT multiple times. Do not take the OSAT before completing the majority of your required English Education core courses. One cannot expect to score well on a test if he/she has not completed the coursework.

Do not enroll in ENGL 4133 Teaching English in Secondary School the first semester in the program. See http://catalog.nsuok.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=5&pooid=325&returnto=131 EDUC 4032, EDUC 4353 and ENGL 4133 should be taken concurrently the semester prior to the full internship.

English Education candidates **do not** conduct their full internship at the school from which they graduated or schools where candidates’ children or relatives attend or work. Collaborate. During your Pre I and Pre II semesters, network with other English Education candidates to discuss full internship possibilities. Doing so will facilitate observations, peer reviews, and cultivate professional networks.

The COE Department of Educational Foundations and Leadership and your English Education Specialist can assist you locating mentors who provide excellent experiences. You deserve the best!

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