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English Language and Literature (ELL)

I. DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

The degree comprises 129-133 credit hours which can be completed over a four-year period of full-time study. The number of credit hours selected within this range is determined by local accreditation requirements. The breakdown of credit hours and courses needed to complete the programme are as follows:

No.	Category	Credit Hours
1.	Univ. Requirements/Mandatory	18
2.	Univ. Requirements/Electives	3-7
3.	Fac. Requirements/Mandatory	8
4.	Fac. Requirements/Electives	4
5.	Spec. Requirements/Mandatory	64
6.	Spec. Requirements/Electives	32
Total		129-133

1. University Requirements/ Mandatory (18 credit hours)

The following courses comprise the Mandatory University Requirements:

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours	Prerequisites
AR111	Arabic Communication	3	-
AR112	Arabic Communication	3	AR111
EL111	English Communication	3	EL099

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EL112	English Communication	3	EL111
GR101	Self-Learning Skills	3	-
TU170	Computing Essentials	3	EL098
Total		18	

** All incoming students since 2015/2016 must sit for an English Placement Test. On the basis of their results they enrol in EL097, EL098, EL099, EL111, EL112 or are exempted from them.

2. University Requirements/ Electives (3-7 credit hours)

The following courses comprise the Electives University Requirements:

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours	Prerequisites
BE322/4	Entrepreneurship and Small Business	4	B120
GR111	Arabic-Islamic Civilization	3	--
GR112	Issues and Problems of Development in the Arab	3	-
GR115	Current International Issues and Problems	3	-
GR131	Branch Requirement	3	--
CH101	Chinese for Beginners (I)	3	--
CH102	Chinese for Beginners (II)	3	CH101
SL101	Spanish for Beginners (I)	3	--
SL102	Spanish for Beginners (II)	3	SL101
FR101	French for Beginners (I)	3	--
FR102	French for Beginners (II)	3	FR101
Total		3-7	

3. Faculty Requirements/ Mandatory (8 credit hours)

The following courses comprise the Mandatory Faculty Requirements:

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours	Prerequisites
EL 117	Writing	4	EL111
EL 119	Oral and Presentation Skills	4	EL111
Total		8	

4. Faculty Requirements/ Electives (4 credit hours)

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The following courses comprise the Electives Faculty Requirements:

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours	Prerequisites
TR102	Introduction to Translation	4	EL121
EL123	Discourse Analysis	4	EL120
EL230	American Literature	4	EL121
EL240	Drama	4	EL121
EL350	Introduction to Literary Theory	4	EL121
ED256	Teaching Methods (Lebanon Branch)	4	EL112
Total		4	

5. Core Specialization/ Mandatory (64 credit hours)

The following courses comprise the Mandatory Core Specialization:

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours	Prerequisites
EL120	English Phonetics and Linguistics	4	EL111
EL121	Literary Appreciation & Critique	4	EL117 & EL119
AA100A	Arts of Past & Present (I)	8	EL117
AA100B	Arts of Past & Present (II)	8	AA100A
EL122	Writing Research (core)	4	EL117
EL118	Reading (core)	4	EL111
A230A	Reading and Studying Literature	8	EL121
A230B	Reading and Studying Literature	8	A230A
U214A	Worlds of English (I)	8	EL120
U214B	Worlds of English (II)	8	U214A
Total		64	

6. Core Specialization/ Electives (32 credit hours)

A. Language: 16 hrs are to be taken from the following language courses (parts I & II from the same course):

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours	Prerequisites
E302A	Language and Creativity (I)	8	U214B
E302B	Language and Creativity (II)	8	E302A
OR			

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E304A	Exploring English Grammar (I)	8	U214B
E304B	Exploring English Grammar (II)	8	E304A
Total		16	

B. Literature: 16 hrs are to be taken from the following literature courses (parts I & II from the same course)

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours	Prerequisites
A335A	Literature in Transition (I)		A230B
A335B	Literature in Transition (II)	8	A335A
OR			
EA300A	Children's Literature (I)	8	A230B
EA300B	Children's Literature (II)	8	EA300A
Total		16	

Total Programme Hrs. 129-133