

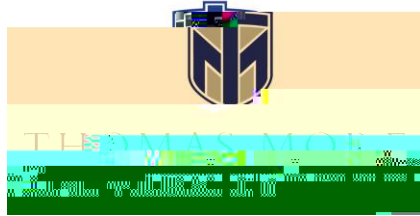
English and Creative Writing

Accelerated English Minor (English 4 More) for TMU DC English Students

Pathway Description:

A degree in English and Creative Writing provides Thomas More University graduates with job market versatility, knowledge of verbal and written expression, and an edge in a culture defined by fast-paced exchanges of information. The skills cultivated by English majors remain in top demand by employers across the U.S.

In addition to offering the major, the English and Creative Writing Department



literary strategies and to articulate critical issues raised by texts. An integral component of the course will be a research essay incorporating MLA format.

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 - Prerequisite: ENG 150
 - Description: This course provides a more singular experience for students who have just completed ENG 150 by 1) providing a study of “Great Books” of our times to explore literature as a meaningful and complex expressions of the human experience and 2) build upon critical thinking, research and writing skills.

Next Steps to Earn Your Minor:

After completion of ENG 150 and ENG 250 in our partner high schools, students are eligible for the English/Creative Writing 4+ Minor when enrolling at TMU.

Complete four additional English and Creative Writing Courses. Students may choose four from:

- ENG 240, 295, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 395, 401CW, and/or 495.

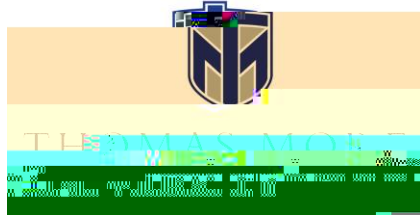
Choose one of the following “plus” programs to round out your minor and to gain real world experience utilizing your skills as a minor.

- Attend any 3 departmental programs sponsored at TMU (i.e. Thomas More Tuesdays, Pizza with a Poet, Words Celebration, the Caden Blincoe Outloud Festival)
- Sign up for a mentorship position by serving on the annual Words publication or by serving as an active member of the English Club
- Become a departmental “work study” —a position that could be filled by either working in the TMU Writing Center or working in partnership with English and Creative Writing faculty to support their work as teachers and leaders. (This is a paid position/role.)

Courses Completed:

Students should list the courses completed below:

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Certifications Earned:

- Minor in English at TMU

Additional Notes:

- Students who have taken the AP English Language and Composition exam will earn credit for ENG 150 and an elective English with a score of 3 or higher.

Links:

- Program website: <https://www.thomasmore.edu/program/english-creativewriting/>