



Division of Humanities and Social Sciences

Associate in Arts in Liberal Arts: English

Graduates of the Liberal Arts: English concentration will have demonstrated the ability to:

1. Read and understand complex fiction and non-fiction texts from a variety of sources, including print, electronic, audio-visual, and other media;
2. Generate ideas for original texts and advance them through the drafting, revision, and editing process in order to produce polished final drafts;
3. Write focused, well-argued analyses and arguments that integrate personal experience and credible, external sources of information;
4. Collaborate effectively with others in the reading, writing, and editing process;
5. Apply rhetorical strategies to digital communication and multi-media texts, using a variety of open-access platforms;
6. Think in a creative, open-minded, information-based, culturally diverse, and critically analytical way, with increased awareness of the formative role language plays in the construction of identity and culture;
7. Understand the constantly evolving personal, professional, and civic landscape in which excellence in writing/language arts remains essential.