

**2+2 Degree Plan**  
**Associate of Fine Arts-NWACC**  
**Bachelor of Fine Arts in Creative Writing-ATU**

**Northwest Arkansas Community College Courses (61 credit hours)**

<b>English/Communications (6 hours)</b>			<b>ATU equivalent<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Hours</b>
ENGL	1013	English Composition I	ENGL 1013 Composition I	3
ENGL	1023	English Composition II	ENGL 1023 Composition II	3

<b>Mathematics (3 hours)</b>			<b>ATU equivalent<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Hours</b>
MATH	1313	Quantitative Literacy <b>OR</b>	MATH 1003 College Mathematics	3
MATH	1203	College Algebra	MATH 1113 College Algebra	

\*May substitute with any higher-level MATH course

<b>Social Science (6 hours) *Choose two</b>			<b>ATU equivalent<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Hours</b>
ANTH	1023	Intro to Cultural Anthropology <b>OR</b>	ANTH 2003 Cultural Anthropology	3
ECON	2013	Macroeconomics <b>OR</b>	ECON 2003 Principles of Economics I	
ECON	2023	Microeconomics <b>OR</b>	ECON 2013 Principles of Economics II	
PYSC	2003	General Psychology <b>OR</b>	PSY 2003 General Psychology	
SOCI	2013	General Sociology	SOC 1003 Introductory Sociology	

\*See degree plan for additional social science options

<b>Science (8 hours) *Choose two</b>			<b>ATU equivalent<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Hours</b>
ASTR	2004	Survey of the Universe <b>OR</b>	PHSC 1053 Astronomy <i>and</i> PHSC 1051 Observational Astronomy Lab.	4
BIOL	1544	Principles of Biology I <b>OR</b>	BIOL 1114 Principles of Biology	
BOTY	1614	Plant Biology <b>OR</b>	BIOL 2134 Principles of Botany	
BOTY	2534	Environmental Biology <b>OR</b>	BIOL 1004 Principles of Environmental Science	
CHEM	1024	Basic Chemistry <b>OR</b>	CHEM 1113 A Survey of Chemistry <i>and</i> CHEM 1111 Survey of Chemistry Lab.	
CHEM	1104	College Chemistry I	CHEM 2124 General Chemistry I	

\*See degree plan for additional natural science options *excluding* BIOL 2214, BIOL 2224, and MBIO 2014

<b>American History (3 hours)</b>			<b>ATU equivalent<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Hours</b>
HIST	2003	Hist. of American People-1877 <b>OR</b>	HIST 2003 United States History to 1877	3
HIST	2013	Hist. of American People 1877 to Present <b>OR</b>	HIST 2013 United States History since 1877	
PLSC	2003	American National Government	POLS 2003 American Government	

<b>Creative Writing (6 hours)</b>			<b>ATU equivalent</b>	<b>Hours</b>
ENGL	2023	Introduction to Creative Writing I	ENGL 2043 Introduction to Creative Writing	3
ENGL	2033	Introduction to Creative Writing II	GENL General Elective Credit	3

Literature (6 hours)			ATU equivalent <sup>1</sup>	Hours
ENGL	2213	Survey or World Literature I	ENGL 2003 Introduction to World Literature	3
ENGL	2223	Survey of World Literature II	GEHM General Education – Humanities Credit	3

Literature Electives (9 hours) *Choose three			ATU equivalent	Hours
ENGL	2313	Survey of Amer. Lit. to Civil War	ENGL 2013 Introduction to American Literature	3
ENGL	2323	Survey of Amer. Lit. since Civil War	GEHM General Elective – Humanities Credit	3
ENGL	2113	Survey of British Literature I	ENGL 3413 British Literature to 1800 (LD)	3
ENGL	2123	Survey of British Literature II	ENGL 3423 British Literature since 1800 (LD)	3
ENGL	2413	Special Topics in English	ENGL 2XXX English Elective	3

Creative Writing Electives (6 hours) *Choose two			ATU equivalent	Hours
ENGL	2513	The Craft of Fiction	ENGL 3083 Fiction Workshop (LD)	3
ENGL	2523	The Craft of Non-Fiction	ENGL 3073 Creative Nonfiction Workshop (LD)	3
ENGL	2533	The Craft of Poetry	ENGL 3093 Poetry Workshop (LD)	3
ENGL	2423	Special Topics in Creative Writing	ENGL 4093 Seminar in Creative Writing (LD)	3

Foreign Language (6 hours) Choose two*			ATU equivalent	Hours
FREN	1003	Elementary French I	FR 1013 Beginning French I	3
FREN	1013	Elementary French II	FR 1023 Beginning French II	3
FREN	2003	Intermediate French I	FR 2013 Intermediate French I	3
FREN	2013	Intermediate French II	FR 2023 Intermediate French II	3
GERM	1003	Elementary German I	GER 1013 Beginning German I	3
GERM	1013	Elementary German II	GER 1023 Beginning German II	3
GERM	2003	Intermediate German I	GER 2013 Intermediate German I	3
GERM	2013	Intermediate German II	GER 2023 Intermediate German II	3
SPAN	1003	Elementary Spanish I	SPAN 1013 Beginning Spanish I	3
SPAN	1013	Elementary Spanish II	SPAN 1023 Beginning Spanish II	3
SPAN	2003	Intermediate Spanish I	SPAN 2013 Intermediate Spanish I	3
SPAN	2013	Intermediate Spanish II	SPAN 2023 Intermediate Spanish II	3

\*Note: ATU requires all 6 hours be in the same language

Capstone Project (2 hours)			ATU equivalent	Hours
ENGL	2562	Creative Writing Capstone	General Elective Credit	2

### **Arkansas Tech University Courses (59 credit hours)**

TECH	1001	Orientation to the University - <i>wave for NWACC transfer students.</i>	Waive
ENGL	2063	Introduction to Literary Studies	3
ENGL	3043	Literary Editing and Publishing	3
ENGL	3313	American Literature to 1900	3
ENGL	3323	Modern American Literature	3
ENGL	3413	British Literature to 1800	3
ENGL	3423	British Literature since 1800	3
ENGL	4813	Senior Project in Creative Writing	3
		English Electives (3000-4000) <sup>1,2</sup>	3
		General Electives (3000-4000)	22
		General Electives	13

<sup>1</sup> See appropriate alternatives or substitutions in "[General Education Requirements](#)".

<sup>2</sup> All minimum college hours (at least two semesters) should be in one language. Students with previous study in a foreign language should refer to Foreign Language Advanced Placement and Credit under Credit by Examination. Students may waive three hours of language requirements for every one year of language study in high school with grades of "C" or better.

<sup>3</sup> At least 40 of the 120 hours required for graduation must be earned in 3000-4000 level courses.

<sup>4</sup> Any 2-4000 level English courses excluding [ENGL 2003](#) Introduction to World Literature, [ENGL 2013](#) Introduction to American Literature, [ENGL 2173](#) Introduction to Film/ [JOUR 2173](#) Introduction to Film, [ENGL 2881](#) Practicum-Literary Journal Publication, and [ENGL 4881](#) Practicum-Editing Literary Journal, [ENGL 4882](#) Practicum-Editing Literary Journal, [ENGL 4883](#) Practicum-Editing Literary Journal, [ENGL 4884](#) Practicum-Editing Literary Journal.

<sup>5</sup> Seniors admitted to the Accelerated BA in Creative Writing to MA in English Program can substitute twelve (12) hours of the following courses as electives: [ENGL 5023](#) Second Language Acquisition, [ENGL 5083](#) Seminar: English Language, [ENGL 5093](#) Seminar in Creative Writing, [ENGL 5103](#) Literary Theory, [ENGL 5173](#) Seminar in Film Studies, [ENGL 5213](#) American Folklore, [ENGL 5283](#) Seminar: World Literature, [ENGL 5383](#) Seminar: American Literature, [ENGL 5483](#) Seminar: British Literature, [ENGL 5683](#) Seminar in Gender Studies, [ENGL 5703](#) Teaching English as a Second Language, [ENGL 5713](#) ESL Assessment, [ENGL 5723](#) Teaching People of Other Cultures.