

# K-12 Subject Matter Education (SME): English (B.A. + B.A. Dual Degree Program)

## Program Guide for **New First-Year Students** (Effective Fall 2018) Department of Language, Literacy, and Sociocultural Education (LLSC)

*Students who entered Rowan University prior to Fall 2018 should follow the guide for their program and start year. All students must consult with their College of Education advisor, Nadia Rahin (rahin@rowan.edu) in the College of Education Advising Center located on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of James Hall on a regular basis to insure timely graduation.*

### Rowan University Graduation Requirements

- Students must complete at least 120 s.h. (semester hours) of coursework that applies to their Rowan University degree
- Students must have an overall/cum. G.P.A. of at least 2.0. (Only Rowan University courses count toward the G.P.A.)
- A minimum of 30 s.h. of coursework must be completed at/through Rowan University
- Only grades of “D-“ or above may apply to graduation requirements (some programs may set higher minimums)
- Students must apply for graduation and should do so for the term in which they will complete all program requirements

### Program-Specific Graduation & Certification Requirements

- Students must receive a grade of C- or better in all courses required for B.A. in SME
- Students **MUST** have an **overall** G.P.A. of at least 3.0 (Only Rowan University courses count toward the G.P.A.)
- All students must meet Guidelines for Determining Eligibility for Admission to subject-specific SME program: Admission to Clinical Practice and Completion of Program (i.e., Benchmark Requirements) – see Guidelines for list of requirements
- Students must apply for graduation and teaching certification within the term in which all program requirements are complete
- All students must take and pass the Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators: Basic Skills Tests. See Required Graduation/Certification Tests on p. 3
- All students must take and pass the Praxis II in their teaching discipline: English (test code: 5038. See Required Graduation/Certification Tests on p.3
- All students must take and pass edTPA. See Required Graduation/Certification Tests on p. 3

### Rowan Core Courses (General Education)

*Students must satisfy the requirements for all six Rowan Core Literacies*

| Rowan Core Literacy      | Course #   | Course Name                                 | Year      | Grade | Credits |
|--------------------------|------------|---|-----------|-------|---------|
| Communicative<br>(COML)  | COMP 01111 | College Composition I (or equivalent)       | Yr 1 or 2 |       | 3 s.h.  |
|                          | COMP 01112 | College Composition II (or equivalent)      | Yr 1 or 2 |       | 3 s.h.  |
|                          | CMS 04205  | Public Speaking (or equivalent)             |           |       | 3 s.h.  |
| Artistic (ARTL)          |            | Select a course from the approved ARTL list |           |       | 3 s.h.  |
| Global (GLBL)            |            | Select a course from the approved GLBL list |           |       | 3 s.h.  |
| Humanistic (HUML)        | SPED 35130 | Human Exceptionality                        | Yr 2 or 3 |       | 3 s.h.  |
| Quantitative (QNTL)      |            | Select a course from the approved QNTL list | Yr 1 or 2 |       | 3 s.h.  |
| Scientific (SCIL)        |            | Select a course from the approved SCIL list |           |       | 3 s.h.  |
| <b>Subtotal: 24 s.h.</b> |            |   |           |       |         |

### Rowan Experience (RE)

*Students must take courses satisfying these three Rowan Experiences*

- (LIT) Broad-Based Literature course\*     
  (RS) Rowan Seminar course     
  (WI) Writing Intensive course  
*A course taken for a Rowan Experience can also fulfill other programmatic needs, and one course can satisfy more than one Rowan Experience*

\*LIT requirement is waived for English majors.

## Non-Program Courses

| Course #         | Course Name                              | Course Attributes / Notes             | Year      | Grade | Credits        |
|------------------|--|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------|----------------|
| HLTH 00103       | Health & Wellness                        | Required for NJ teacher certification |           |       | 3 s.h.         |
| FNDS 21230       | Characteristics of Knowledge Acquisition |                                       | Yr 1 or 2 |       | 3 s.h.         |
| PSY 09210        | Adolescent Psychology/Development        |                                       | Yr 2 or 3 |       | 3 s.h.         |
| HIST 05100       | Western Civilization to 1660             |                                       | Yr 1-3    |       | 3 s.h.         |
| HIST 05101       | Western Civilization since 1660          |                                       | Yr 1-3    |       | 3 s.h.         |
|                  |  | Any Rowan Core (or old Gen-Ed) course | Yr 1-3    |       | 3 s.h.         |
| <b>Subtotal:</b> |  |                                       |           |       | <b>18 s.h.</b> |

## Free Electives\*

*\*English and History students may have fewer than 12 semester hours of electives*

| Course #         | Course Name | Course Attributes / Notes | Year | Grade | Credits       |
|------------------|-------------|---------------------------|------|-------|---------------|
|                  | Elective    |                           | 1-3  |       | 3 s.h.        |
|                  | Elective    |                           | 1-3  |       | 3 s.h.        |
|                  | Elective    |                           | 1-3  |       | 3 s.h.        |
| <b>Subtotal:</b> |             |                           |      |       | <b>9 s.h.</b> |

## Education Requirements

| Course #         | Course Name                                | Course Attributes / Notes           | Yr     | Grade | Credits        |
|------------------|--|-------------------------------------|--------|-------|----------------|
| EDUC 01270       | Teaching in Learning Communities 1 (TLC-1) | Includes Clinical Experience        | Yr. 2  |       | 3 s.h.         |
| EDUC 01272       | Teaching in Learning Communities 2 (TLC-2) | Includes Virtual Experience         | Yr. 3  |       | 3 s.h.         |
| SMED 40450       | Schools & Society                          | Includes Clinical Experience        | Yr. 3  |       | 3 s.h.         |
|                  |  |                                     | Sem/Yr |       |                |
| SMED 50330       | Teaching & Learning A: SME English         | Fall only                           | 1/4    |       | 3 s.h.         |
| SMED 40562       | Clinical Practice I                        | Fall only , Includes Clinical Exp.  | 1/4    |       | 3 s.h.         |
| READ 30319       | Teaching Reading/Writing in Content Area   | Fall only                           | 1/4    |       | 3 s.h.         |
| SELN 40477       | Effective Inclusive Instruction            | Fall only                           | 1/4    |       | 3 s.h.         |
|                  |  |                                     | Sem/Yr |       |                |
| SMED 50331       | Teaching & Learning B: SME English         | Spring only                         | 2/4    |       | 3 s.h.         |
| SMED 40563       | Clinical Practice II                       | Spring only, Includes Clinical Exp. | 2/4    |       | 9 s.h.         |
| <b>Subtotal:</b> |  |                                     |        |       | <b>33 s.h.</b> |

## Required Graduation and Certification Tests

|                            | Test Name   | Notes  | Year      | Score |
|----------------------------|---|--|-----------|-------|
| All students               | Praxis Core: Reading (test # 5712)                              | Pass all parts by Junior year                        | Yr 1 or 2 | 157*  |
| All students               | Praxis Core: Math (test #5732)                                  |  | Yr 1 or 2 | 150*  |
| All students               | Praxis Core: Writing (test #5722)                               |  | Yr 1 or 2 | 162*  |
| SME: English Students only | Praxis II English Language Arts: Content Knowledge (test #5038) | Pass by Junior year                                  | Yr 2-3    | 167*  |
| All SME Students           | edTPA Portfolio (submitted during Clinical Practice 2)          | Tasks 1, 2, and 3 submitted during Clinical Practice | 4         | 37**  |

\*Grades reflect minimum passing scores      \*\* Passing Score for World Languages = 32

## English Course Requirements (36 Semester/Credit Hours)

| Course #                 | Course Name                         | Course Attributes / Notes     | Year | Grade | Credits |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------|-------|---------|
| ENGL 02101               | Critical Methods for English Majors | Take this course first.       | 1    |       | 3       |
| ENGL 02309               | British Literature I                |                               | 1-2  |       | 3       |
| ENGL 02311               | British Literature II               |                               | 2-3  |       | 3       |
| ENGL 02313               | US Literature I                     |                               | 1-2  |       | 3       |
| ENGL 02315               | US Literature II                    |                               | 2-3  |       | 3       |
| ENGL 02345               | Shakespeare I                       |                               | 3    |       | 3       |
| ENGL 05301               | American English Grammar            |                               | 1-2  |       | 3       |
|                          | 200-level English elective          |                               | 1-2  |       | 3       |
|                          | 300-400 English elective            |                               | 3    |       | 3       |
|                          | 300-400 English elective            |                               | 3    |       | 3       |
| ENGL 02393               | Seminar I                           | Pre-requisite for Seminar II. | 3    |       | 3       |
| ENGL 02394               | Seminar II                          |                               | 3    |       | 3       |
| <b>Subtotal: 36 s.h.</b> |                                     |                               |      |       |         |

*Total Program Credits: 120 Semester Hours*