

BA in English with Teacher Certification Portfolio Requirement
Department of English and Modern Languages
Angelo State University

During their final semester, graduating English majors must submit a portfolio of recent work as a requirement of graduation. For students graduating in December, the portfolio is due by November 15. For students graduating in May or August, the portfolio is due by April 15.

The Department examines graduating students' portfolios as part of its ongoing review of its program and courses.

For graduating students seeking a BA in English with Teacher Certification, the ingredients of this portfolio will include the following:

1. Four to five essays totaling at least 30 pages in all and composed in upper division English courses taken in the Department. In addition,
 - a. At least one of the essays will include the use of outside sources.
 - b. At least one of the essays will have been written in a British Literature course.
 - c. At least one of the essays will have been written in an American Literature course.
 - d. The student, instructor, and course identity will be removed from each essay.
2. The thematic unit plan you submitted as a final project in ENG 4320.
3. A Table of Contents document with
 - a. A heading with student name, graduation month and year
 - b. A list of titles with name of course and instructor for each

Prior to submission, each graduating student will schedule an appointment with the Department Head to review hard copies of the portfolio ingredients with an eye toward final editing. Appointments with the Department Head will occur no later than November 1 and April 1.

Final electronic versions of each of the portfolio ingredients will be emailed to the Department Head by the due dates above.

Contact the Department Head with any questions or concerns you have about the BA in English Portfolio Requirement.