Nebraska Wesleyan University

Catalog 2025-2026

Major:

Language Arts Education (B.A., B.S.)

Departments/Programs:

Education (Undergraduate)

Language Arts Education Major (69-71 hours) **Required Courses in English** 20 hours 4 hours Topics in World Literature (choose one of the following): • ENG 2200 World Literature: Sexualities • ENG 2220 Topics in World Literature: Nation and Identity • ENG 2250 Topics in World Literature: Health and Illness 4 hours Literature Elective (choose one of the following): • ENG 2050 Introduction to British Literature • ENG 2070 Introduction to U.S. Literature Writing Elective (choose one of the following): ENG 2170 Introduction to Fiction Writing 4 hours • ENG 2190 Introduction to Poetry Writing • ENG 3020 Studies in Writing: Risk Fiction 4 hours Linguistics Elective (choose one of the following): ENG 2520 History of English

Rhetoric:

Required Courses in Communication Studies	8 hours	
COMM 1250 Introduction to Communication Studies or COMM 1510 Intercultural Communication	4 hours	
COMM 2300 Communication Theory	4 hours	
Required Courses in Journalism	4 hours	
Required Courses in Theatre Arts	13-15 hours	
THTRE 1030 Script Analysis	3 hours	
Directing Requirements		
THTRE 2500 Directing I and THTRE 3500 Directing II	6 hours	

Rea	uired	Courses	in T	heatre /	Arts

Acting Elective (choose one of the following):

- THTRE 1300 Acting I
- THTRE 1760 Practicum: Acting

Scenography Requirement

THTRE 1400 Introduction to Technical Theatre

Required Language Arts Methods Courses	9 hours
EDUC 2690 Young Adult Literature	3 hours
EDUC 3260 Methods for Teaching English in 7-12	3 hours
EDUC 3390 Methods for Teaching Reading and Writing in 7-12	3 hours
Capstone Courses	15 hours
EDUC 4870 Supervised Teaching in the Secondary School	14 hours
EDUC 4990 Student Teaching Seminar	1 hour

1-3 hours

3 hours