Study literature, language, and culture, and add to your education in any field with a minor in English.

Literature helps us to understand a diverse range of human experiences and perspectives, enriching our lives. At the same time, with a minor in English from UND, you will develop the communication and analytical skills you need to thrive in any career.

Program Snapshot

Program type: Minor
Format: On-campus
Est. time to complete: 1-2 years
Credit hours: 20

Why Study English at UND?

In the age of information, knowing how to write persuasively and to read perceptively is more important than ever. The ability to interpret artistic expression is vital in a world that is becoming smaller and more interdependent.

The English program at UND offers small, active-learning classes in which you discuss real-world issues. You receive individualized attention, as you develop the writing, critical thinking, and research skills that employers are looking for.

You can tailor your coursework to your specific goals and set yourself up for success in any career.

Whether you’re interested in creative writing, publishing, business, arts administration, writing for digital platforms, law, medicine, teaching, or any other field, an English minor helps you develop the skills you need:

- Strong reading, writing, and communication skills
- Critical thinking and interpretation, with an emphasis on solving problems
- An understanding of culture and the ability to engage with diverse perspectives
- An awareness of how creative, artistic expression makes a difference in the world