

Professional and Technical Writing - PTW (BAENGL)

This is a recommended program of study for students planning to transfer to the College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences to earn a Bachelor of Arts in English with a Major in Professional and Technical Writing (PTW).

Recommended VCCS Courses	VT Credits 1st. Sem	VT Credits 2nd. Sem	Virginia Tech Course Application
First Year			
ENG 111, 112	3	3	ENGL 1105, 1106
ENG 243 or 244 or 245	3		ENGL 2544
Reasoning in the Social Sciences ¹	3	3	Reasoning in the Social Sciences Courses
Reasoning in the Natural Sciences ¹	4	4	Reasoning in the Natural Sciences Courses
Quantitative and Computational Thinking ¹	3	3	Quantitative and Computational Thinking< Courses
Transferable Elective ²		3	Free Elective
TOTAL	16	16	
Second Year			
ENG 241 or 242 or 246	3		ENGL 2534
Critical Thinking in the Humanities ¹	3	3	Critical Thinking in the Humanities Courses
Critique and Practice in Design and the Arts ¹	3	3	Critique and Practice in Design and the Arts Courses
Critical Analysis of Identity and Equity in the United States ¹		3	Critical Analysis of Identity and Equity in the United States Courses
Transferable electives ²	6	6	Free Electives
TOTAL	15	15	

Footnotes

¹ See VCCS General Education Requirements: Curriculum for Liberal Education

² See VCCS Transferable courses at VCCS and Richard Bland Transferable Courses

Please be in contact with the CLAHS contact listed in the Transfer Guide if you have questions about the Pathways Core Concepts and VCCS courses that can be used to fulfill them. Also check this listing often, as curriculum for the Pathways for each major is being finalized.

Foreign Language: The minimum requirement may be met in high school by completing 3 units of a single foreign or classical language credit or American Sign Language credit. The requirement may also be met by one of the following before or after transfer admission:

- Those who have taken 2 years of a single foreign language in high school can complete the 1106 equivalent course at their current college in the same language as taken in high school or by taking the 1106 course at Virginia Tech.
- Students who have not completed two units of a single foreign language in high school **MUST** earn six semester hours of college-level foreign or classical language credit (ex: 1105-1106). These six hours are in addition to the 120 hours required for graduation.