

**Office of Alternative Licensure**

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**Middle Grades Language Arts - Self-Advising 24 hour Checklist**

		ECU	Description	Community College Option
3 hrs	DE	LING 2710*	English Grammar	
3 hrs	DE	ENGL 2000*	Interpreting Literature	ENG 131 Intro to Literature
3 hrs	DE	ENGL 2200* OR ENGL 3020*	Major American Writers OR History of American Literature to 1900	ENG 231, ENG 232, ENG 233,
3 hrs	DE	ENGL 3810*	Advanced Composition	
3 hrs		ENGL 3950* OR LIBS 4950*	Literature for Children OR Literature for Children (spring only)	EDU 282
3 hrs	DE	ENGL or LING >2999*	Literature or Linguistics elective higher than 2999	
3 hrs	DE	ENGL 1101	Foundations of College Writing	
3 hrs	DE	ENGL 2000	Interpreting Literature	
3 hrs	DE	ENGL 2201	Writing about Disciplines	
3 hrs	DE		British Literature	ENG 241, ENG 242, ENG 243

**\*Preferred Course Titles**

F=Fall, S=Spring, SS=Summer Session, DE=Distance Education. Letters indicate course offerings pending budget & enrollment. Please visit the following site for further course equivalencies:

[https://ssbprd-banner.ecu.edu/DAD\\_PROD/szpaceq.P\\_Display\\_States](https://ssbprd-banner.ecu.edu/DAD_PROD/szpaceq.P_Display_States)

This document has been created to support Permit to Teach and Emergency Permit teachers who are searching for 24 hours of content coursework prior to becoming eligible for a Residency license.

You may take and pass the appropriate PRAXIS test in lieu of taking coursework: Mid. Grades Lang. Arts (78180) 5047, Middle School English Language Arts – Required Score 164 [http://www.etc.org/praxis/register/centers\\_dates](http://www.etc.org/praxis/register/centers_dates) Please route your electronic scores to ECU 5180 if you plan to affiliate with us for residency.

You may search for Distance Education coursework at our institution:

[https://ssbprd-banner.ecu.edu/DAD\\_PROD/bwckschd.p\\_disp\\_dyn\\_sched](https://ssbprd-banner.ecu.edu/DAD_PROD/bwckschd.p_disp_dyn_sched)

You may search for Distance Education coursework on the UNC online system: <https://online.northcarolina.edu/unconline/courses.php>

You may search for Distance Education coursework with the Community College System: <http://vlc.nccommunitycolleges.edu/students/find-a-course/>

ECU will work to review your transcript(s) at the time that you reach 24 hours of content to enroll you into our Residency Program. ECU will accept grades of C or higher on coursework to determine meeting the 24 hour content requirement.

Please use the titles of the above courses as Key Words in your search for appropriate content courses. If you find any at our institution, the Office of Alternative Licensure can assist you with registration upon your admission to the university as a Visiting Student. Visiting students are not eligible for financial aid as you are not seeking a license and affiliated with our Residency Program. You would be classified as a Visiting Student until you are eligible to be a part of the Residency program and working towards licensure through our institution.

Thank you for choosing to be a teacher and we look forward to working with you as a Residency candidate when you meet the 24 hour content requirements!

The ECU Residency Model (ERM) is distance education friendly and a model based on decades of serving candidates through an alternative licensure pathway. For more information about the ECU Residency Model, please visit [http://www.ecu.edu/cs-educ/alternative\\_licensure/Index.cfm](http://www.ecu.edu/cs-educ/alternative_licensure/Index.cfm)

We look forward to the opportunity to assist you.

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