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Master of Arts in Teaching English as a Second Language

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a. the Degree of Bachelor of The University of Fiji with a GPA of at least 3.0 in the 200 and 300 level English Language and Literature courses; **OR**

b. a qualification obtained from another tertiary institution deemed by the Senate/Academic Committee to be equivalent to the requirements set out in (a) above; **OR**

c. a Postgraduate Diploma in English Literature from the University of Fiji with a GPA of at least 3.0 in the PGD Courses; **OR**

d. a professional qualification from another tertiary institute deemed by the Senate/Academic Committee to be equivalent to the requirements set out in (c) above; **OR**

e. a professional qualification from another tertiary institute deemed by the Senate/Academic Committee to be equivalent to the requirements set out in (a) above.

Master of Arts in English Literature

To qualify for entry into the Degree of Master of Arts in English Literature, candidates should possess either:

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d. a professional qualification from another tertiary institute deemed by the Senate/Academic Committee to be equivalent to the requirements set out in (c) above; **OR**

e. a professional qualification from another tertiary institute deemed by the Senate/Academic Committee to be equivalent to the requirements set out in (a) above.

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in English Literature

To qualify for entry into the Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in English Literature Programme, candidates must possess:

a. a Masters degree from The University of Fiji with a GPA of 3.0 average pass; **OR**

b. a qualification obtained from another tertiary institution deemed by the Senate/Academic Committee to be equivalent to the requirements set out in (a) above.



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The Department of Language Literature & Communication (LLC) offers the following programmes:

English Language, Literature & Communication

- Basic Conversational English
- Diploma in Language, Literature & Communication
- Bachelor of Arts in Language, Literature & Communication
- Postgraduate Diploma in Language & Literature
- Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching English as a Second Language
- Master of Arts in Language & Literature
- Masters in Teaching English as a Second Language
- PhD in English Literature

Courses Offered for Language, Literature & Communication

Bachelor of Arts in Language, Literature and Communication

The BA degree may be taken as a single major (in which case courses from another discipline must be taken to make up the minor OR a double major) in which case the second major must be made up of courses from another discipline.

Year 1

- LLC101 English for Academic Purposes
LLC111 Introduction to Linguistics
LLC121 Introduction to Literary Genres
LLC122 Writing Fiji in the South Pacific

Year 2

- LLC211 Structure of Language
LLC212 Systematic Functional Grammar
LLC221 Short Fiction and Literary Appreciation
LLC222 Introduction to Women's writing

Year 3

- LLC301 Research Project in Literature/Language
LLC311 Second Language Learning: Theory & Practice
LLC321 Poetry and Creative Writing
LLC322 An Introduction to Post-Colonial Writing: Theory and Text
LLC323 Drama and Literary Appreciation

Postgraduate Diploma and Masters in Arts and English Literature

- LLC401 Modern Fiction: Film and Text
LLC402 Poetry and Criticism
LLC421 Post-colonial Fiction: Theory & Discourse
LLC422 Research Project: Study of a Single Author
LLC423 Women's Writing: Theory and Text
LLC424 Creative Writing: Short Fiction & Life Writing
LLC425 Independent Study I (Poetry)
LLC426 Independent Study II (Literary Contexts) OR
LLC600 Minor Thesis

Doctor in Philosophy in English Literature

Postgraduate Diploma and Masters in Teaching English as a Second Language

- LLC411 Language Awareness and Language Issues

- LLC412 The Second Language Learning process
LLC413 Methodology of Second Language Teaching
LLC414 Applications of TESL Methodology: Materials Design & Evaluation
LLC415 Language, Society and Education
LLC416 Teaching the Four Skills in ESL
LLC417 Research Topic in TESL
EDU418 Research Methods in Education

Career Options for English, Literature & Communication

Students who have a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in English are not only developed as individuals, they are also well prepared for many careers. They have a well-rounded liberal arts background and the critical and analytical skills that employers value. They are flexible, adaptable and can communicate well, both orally and in writing. Adding courses in another discipline enhances the career opportunities of students with English major. Courses in foreign languages, business, computing, and graphic design make these students even more attractive to potential employers. The following are just some of the wide range of career possibilities available to students with a Bachelor of Arts degree with English major. Some are entry level jobs: others are careers that require additional training, education, or experience.

1. Writing & Publishing

Author /Freelance Writer, Editor, Translator and Interpreter, Journalist /Reporters /News Analyst/Critic, Publisher, Feature Writer for Magazines or Newspapers, Script Writer for Film and Television, Science Writer, Technical Writer, Web Writer etc.

2. Teaching & Education

Secondary School Teacher, Academic, School Administrator, Librarian, Guidance Counselor, Curriculum Development etc.

3. Entertainment

Actor/Director/Producer for Film and TV, Arts Management, Broadcasting etc.

4. Business

Administrative Assistant, Management, Marketing, Sales and Advertising, Public Relations, Diplomacy, Tourism, International Business etc.

5. Government and Non-profit Organizations

Lobbyist, Government Spokesperson, Non-Profit Organizations, Political Careers etc.

Admission Requirements

Diploma in English Language and Literature

Persons shall be eligible to be admitted to study for a Diploma in English Language and Literature if they have:

- obtain the appropriate University Foundation Certificate;
- passed Fiji Year 13 Examination with an aggregate of at least 200 marks in 4 subjects with a minimum of 50% in English;
- passed any examination deemed by the University to be equivalent to the University Foundation Education certificate.

Diploma in English Language and Literature

Persons shall be eligible to be admitted to study for a Bachelor of Arts in English Language and Literature if they have:

- passed the University Foundation Programme; **OR**
- passed Fiji Year 13 Examination with an aggregate of at least 200 marks in 4 subjects with a minimum of 50% in English; **OR**
- Passed the Fiji Year 13 Examination with an aggregate of 230 marks in 4 subjects with at least 40% in English; **OR**
- passed any examination deemed by the University to be equivalent to the University Foundation Education certificate.

Postgraduate Diploma in English Literature

To qualify for entry into Postgraduate Diploma in English Literature Programme, candidates should possess either:

- the Degree of Bachelor of The University of Fiji with a GPA of at least 3.0 in the 200 and 300 level English Language and Literature courses; **OR**
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- a professional qualification deemed by the Senate/Academic Committee to be equivalent to the requirements set out in (a) above; **OR**
- students may also be considered who do not satisfy requirements stated above, but who can demonstrate that they have the experience or achievement relevant to the proposed programme of study, which the Senate deems to be sufficient for the candidate to pursue the Postgraduate Diploma in English Literature at a satisfactory level; **OR**
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