



What can I do with a major in **ENGLISH**

English majors develop a broad range of skills that prepare them for career paths in a variety of industries!

JOB TITLES

Common job titles for English majors:

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| Marketing Communications Specialist | Writer |
| Public Relations Manager | Editor |
| Digital Content Specialist | Professor |
| Nonprofit Program Manager | Research Project Manager |

INDUSTRIES

Common industries English majors work in:

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| Publishing | Writing and Editing | Nonprofits |
| Education | Public Relations | Government |
| Business | Advertising | Law |

Transferable Skills



Written Communication



Critical Thinking and Problem-Solving Skills



Analytical Reading Skills



Research and Organization



Creativity

Employers

Employers who hire English majors include:

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| ✓ Amazon | ✓ Education Testing Service (ETS) |
| ✓ ACTFL | ✓ U.S. Department of State |
| ✓ Pearson | ✓ Penguin Random House |
| ✓ Microsoft AI | ✓ NYC Department of Education |
| ✓ L'Oreal | |

GET STARTED

- Join a student organization and seek leadership roles.
- Obtain an internship to gain skills and confirm interest in specific career fields.
- Develop additional areas of expertise (e.g. journalism, broadcasting, technical writing, politics).
- Volunteer to write or edit publications with local nonprofits.
- Join relevant professional associations, attend their conferences, and read journals.
- **Meet with a Liberal Arts Career Coach!**

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