



## MEMORANDUM

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Date: September 8, 2017

To: Dr. David Boggs, Chair, Council on Graduate Studies

Re: Request for Executive Action from the Department of English

**Requested Changes:**

Changes in prerequisite to ENG 4801 as per “Catalog Language Changes” below.

**Rationale for Change:**

The College of Education has altered the Professional Education Sequence and the Department’s prerequisites must align with those. The major change to the sequence is that students are required to take at least one methods course prior to practicum (SED 3330/SED 4330) and Special Education (SPE 3500). For a department like English that has multiple Methods courses, this has never been a problem. Another change is that students are no longer required to be formally accepted into the College of Education prior to taking Methods courses, so it is up to departments to set the requirements for entering into Methods courses. The changes reflected below also in place to allow students (especially transfer students) to more quickly begin the Methods course sequence.

**Catalog Language Changes:**

ENG 4801 - Integrating the English Language Arts.

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(3-0-3) F, S. Strategies for integrating the English language arts, including literature, composition, speech, drama, and works in other media such as film. Attention to pedagogical theory and its practical applications. Includes 5 hours of on-site pre-clinical experience. WI

Prerequisites & Notes:

~~ENG 2901, SED 3330 and EDP 2330; for Middle Level Education majors, MLE 3110.~~ ENG 1002G and SED 2000.

Credits: 3

**Approved by College of Arts and Humanities Curriculum Committee:**  
September 6, 2017.

**Effective Year/Term:**  
Spring 2018