

Degree Offered

Associate in Arts
Liberal Arts/Literature

Curriculum Code: II6**Program Information**

The Liberal Arts/Literature option prepares students for transfer to a four-year institution majoring in English, writing, or literature. Students who complete this option develop excellent reading, writing, analysis and research skills.

Literature studies lead to careers in advertising, broadcasting, journalism, law, teaching, and writing.

When You Graduate

AA programs are primarily designed for students who plan to transfer as juniors at four-year colleges and universities. CCC graduates have obtained bachelor's degrees and beyond from every college in New Jersey and scores of colleges and universities throughout America. Cumberland has transfer agreements with a number of four-year colleges and universities.

As a graduate of a fully accredited community college, your coursework will be received with full credit transfer at most state colleges, public and private universities across the country. The NJ Lampitt bill passed in 2008 by the NJ State Legislature assures seamless transfer of credits toward junior standing at NJ state colleges and universities.

Earn a BA, MA at CCC

Once you graduate from Cumberland County College, you can earn a bachelor's and even a master's degree at the on-campus Shirlee and Bernard Brown University Center. CCC's University Center houses bachelor's and master's degree programs offered by Fairleigh Dickinson University, Georgian Court University, Montclair State University, Richard Stockton College of NJ, Rowan University, Rutgers/Camden and Wilmington University.

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Program Requirements (15 credits) Credits

<input type="checkbox"/>	EN 201	British Literature I or	
	EN 202	British Literature II	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	EN 205	Masterpieces of Western Literature I or	
	EN 206	Masterpieces of Western Literature II	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	EN 209	American Literature I or	
	EN 210	American Literature II	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		Literature Elective	3
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General Education Requirements (45–47 credits)

<input type="checkbox"/>	CS 101	Introduction to Microcomputers or	
	CS 102	Applications on the Microcomputer	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	EN 101	English Composition I	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	EN 102	English Composition II	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	SP 203	Effective Speech	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		Mathematics Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		History Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		History Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		Social Science Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		Social Science Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		Science Elective	3/4
<input type="checkbox"/>		Mathematic or Science Elective	3/4
<input type="checkbox"/>		Humanities Elective	3
		(foreign language recommended for 6 credits)	
<input type="checkbox"/>		Humanities Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		Foreign Language	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		Foreign Language	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		Humanities Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		Literature Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/>		Diversity Elective	3

Total Credits 60/62

History Electives

EN 201	British Literature I	EN 219	Modern American Literature
EN 202	British Literature II	EN 221	Short Story
EN 205	Masterpieces of Western Literature I	EN 222	Drama
EN 206	Masterpieces of Western Literature II	EN 223	Poetry
EN 208	Images of Women in Literature	EN 224	Introduction to Bible Literature
EN 209	American Literature I	EN 225	Introduction to Latino Literature
EN 210	American Literature II	EN 256	Film and Literature
EN 215	African–American Literature	EN 280	Shakespeare
EN 216	Creative Writing		

Upon completion of this program, students should be able to:

- Identify and understand the characteristics of literary forms and genres.
- Apply critical thinking skills in the analysis and evaluation of literature.
- Exercise effective writing and research skills.
- Analyze the social, political and historical contexts of literature.