

# B1356 Bachelor of Arts—English and Creative Writing

Academic Chair: [Anne Surma](#)

Start Date: Semester 2 2026

Year 1 – 2026	Semester 1 Units	CP	Semester 2 Units	CP
			<a href="#">EGL100 Literature Matters: Transformative Theories in Reading and Writing (ECW core)</a>	3
			ART100 Communication & Persuasion ( <a href="#">B1356</a> first-year core unit)	3
			Options unit or second Major	3
			Options unit or second Major	3
	Winter Units	CP	Summer Units	CP
	<b>Total</b>		<b>Total</b>	12
Year 2 - 2027	Semester 1 Units	CP	Semester 2 Units	CP
	<a href="#">EGL102 Writing Creatively: An Introduction (ECW core)</a>	3	<a href="#">ECW specified elective</a>	3
	<a href="#">Discovery Study unit</a>	3	<a href="#">ECW specified elective</a>	3
	Specified core elective ( <a href="#">B1356</a> )	3	Options unit or second Major	3
	Options unit or second Major	3	Options unit or second Major	3
	Winter Units	CP	Summer Units	CP
	<a href="#">ECW specified elective*</a>			
	<b>Total</b>	12	<b>Total</b>	12
Year 3 - 2028	Semester 1 Units	CP	Semester 2 Units	CP
	<a href="#">EGL248 Novel Encounters (ECW core)</a>	3	<a href="#">EGL300 Projects in Literary Genres (ECW core)</a>	3
	<a href="#">ECW specified elective</a>	3	Final-year core unit ( <a href="#">B1356</a> )	3
	Options unit or second Major	3	Options unit or second Major	3
	Options unit or second Major	3	Options unit or second Major	3
	Winter Units	CP	Summer Units	CP
	<b>Total</b>	12	<b>Total</b>	12
Year 4 - 2029	Semester 1 Units	CP	Semester 2 Units	CP
	<a href="#">ECW specified elective</a>	3		
	Options unit or second Major	3		
	Options unit or second Major	3		
	Options unit or second Major	3		
	Winter Units	CP	Summer Units	CP
	<b>Total</b>	12	<b>Total</b>	

**TOTAL CREDIT POINTS 72**

**\*Specified elective option:** EGL243 Storytelling in Australia is a specified elective option offered in Winter. Includes tour of NW of WA.

This structure applies to students commencing their studies in s2 2026.

Core Units: ART100 should be taken in the first semester of enrolment.

200-level units require the prior completion of 12 credit points at 100-level. A 300-level core unit should be completed in the final year of enrolment.

The scheduling of listed units in this course plan may be subject to change. Please see the Handbook for scheduling and all requirements of the English and Creative Writing Major and Co-Major, Literature Minor and Creative Writing Minor.

For further information, please discuss with your Academic Chair, Anne Surma (a.surma@murdoch.edu.au).

**Please note:** This course plan is a sample only and must be read in conjunction with the full course structure, unit prerequisites and enrolment options as outlined in the [Handbook](#). Students should note that due to unit prerequisites, commencing study in Semester 2 may extend the duration of the course. This information is correct as at 23/06/2026