

# DEGREE MAP | LIBERAL ARTS: TESOL LINGUISTICS OPTION, AA

Follow this map to graduate in two years, though other paths are possible. Contact an advisor on My LaGuardia for additional support or if you require developmental courses. See reverse for additional information.

## SEMESTER 1

Course	Category	Priority	Credits	Session
LIF101 First Year Seminar for Liberal Arts	PC	x	3 (4hrs)	I
ENG101 English Composition I	RC	x	3 (4hrs)	I
MAT115 College Algebra and Trigonometry	RC		3 (4hrs)	I
ELL101 Introduction to Language	PC	x	3	I
SSH101 American History I or other U.S. Experience Option	FC	x	3	II

## SEMESTER 2

Course	Category	Priority	Credits	Session
ENG102 English Composition II	RC	x	3	I
SCB101 or SSC101 Topics in Biology or Chemistry — Life and Physical Sciences	RC		3 (4hrs)	I
ELL 120 Structure of English <sup>1</sup>	PC	x	3	I
HUC106 Public Speaking or other Creative Expression Option	FC	x	3	I
ENG103 The Research Paper	PC	x	3	II

## SEMESTER 3

Course	Category	Priority	Credits	Session
ELN122 Foundations of American Education (25hrs of fieldwork) <sup>2</sup>	PC	x	3	I
SSY105 Learning & Education (25 hrs of observation)	PC	x	3	I
HUC115 Phonetics <sup>3</sup>	PC		3	I
CSE110 Literacy and Propaganda or other Individual and Society Option	FC		3	I
SSY101 General Psychology or other Scientific World Option	FC		3	II

## SEMESTER 4

Course	Category	Priority	Credits	Session
ELL220 Introduction to Sociolinguistics <sup>4</sup>	PC	x	3	I
ELN101 Introduction to Bilingualism	PC	x	3	I
Modern Language Course or other World Cultures & Global Issues Option	FC		3	I
SSH102 American History II or Other Additional Flexible Core Option	FC		3	I
LIB200 Humanism, Science & Technology <sup>5</sup> (Capstone)	PC		3	II

Register in CUNY First for "Intent to Graduate" (GRDOOO) in your final semester.



### DEGREE FULFILLMENT

- 12 credits Pathways Required Core (RC)
- 18 credits Pathways Flexible Core (FC)
- 30 credits Program Core (PC)
- 60 credits Total**

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## PRE-/CO-REQUISITES

Refer to the Pre- and Co- Requisite List below to best select courses for each semester.

**PRE-REQUISITE** A pre-requisite course must be completed prior to taking another course.

**CO-REQUISITE** Co-requisite courses must be taken during the same session as another course.

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1. ELL120 PRE: ELL 101
2. ELN122 PRE: SSH101
3. HUC115 PRE: HUC106
4. ELL220 PRE: ELL101
5. LIB200 PRE: ENG102 & 103

## PROGRAM NOTES

Students graduating from LaGuardia with an AA in TESOL/ Linguistics will be able to transfer and enroll in the Bachelor of Arts degree in Applied Linguistics: TESOL at our partner institution, Queens College. Students eligible for transfer to Queens College need an overall GPA of at least 2.75 on a 4.0 scale. Students must demonstrate written academic English proficiency by passing the program's English Language Proficiency Test (ELPT) or by providing proof of one of the following external test results: a New York State ELA Regents grade of 85 or greater, a Writing and Language SAT score of 550 or greater, or an English ACT score of 11 or greater.

## IMPORTANT NOTES

**DEVELOPMENTAL COURSES** Based on placement results, you may require additional preparation before entering college-level English or Math courses. Options can include a) developmental courses such as ENA099 or MAT095; b) English-as-a-Second-Language (ESL) courses; c) Co-requisite courses such as ENA/ENC101, CSE111, or MAT117/119/123; or d) CUNY Start.

Speak to an advisor to find out more.

**SESSIONS I AND II** Each semester has two parts, Session I (12-weeks) and Session II (6-weeks). It is recommended that you take 15 credits per semester for timely graduation. For questions regarding financial aid or tuition and fees, please visit Student Financial Services in C-107.

**CREDITS & HOURS** Courses often meet for the same number of hours per week as academic credits awarded, but in some cases your classes meet for more hours, listed in the CREDITS column when applicable.

**PRIORITY COURSES** Priority Courses are important for your progress in the degree and should be taken in the suggested order.

**PATHWAYS FLEXIBLE CORE** You may choose Flexible Core courses based on interests or transfer goals. Speak to an advisor or view Degree Audit to see a full list of options and/or requirements. Generally, you must take courses in different categories:

- Creative Expressions
- Individual and Society
- Scientific World
- U.S. Experience in its Diversity
- World Cultures and Global Issues

**URBAN STUDIES** All students must complete an Urban Studies course to graduate. Urban Studies courses have an "N" at the end of the course code (e.g. ELN101).

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