

ENGLISH

Many occupations today require a college educated individual who can write and speak well, solve problems, learn new information quickly and work well with others on a team. This means that college graduates use their education in a wide variety of fields, and your future career may relate more to your personal career interests, work values and transferable skills than any specific academic major. However, the following list contains a representative sample of job titles of former graduates with an English major. Use this as an idea list, and remember that it represents some, but certainly not all, of the careers you might consider.

Students obtaining employment immediately upon graduation are usually those with the best college records and a willingness to relocate to find a job. Some of these jobs also require education beyond a bachelors' degree.

Related Career Titles for English Majors

Editor, Film/Video	Account Executive	Literary Agent
Editor, Magazine	Radio and TV Commentator	Loan Officer
Radio and TV Newscaster	Actor/Actress	Administrative Assistant
Lobbyist	Editor, News	Reading Consultant
Editor, Newspaper	Administrator	Magazine Writer
Advertising Copywriter	Reporter	Editor, Publications
Research Assistant	Management Trainee	Analyst
Manuscript Reader	Editor, Publications	Researcher/Pollster
Editor, Writer	Artist	Market Research
Analyst	Retail Sales	Editorial Assistant
Sales Representative	Marketing Specialist	Attorney
Marketing Writer	Education & Training	Sales/Service Manager
Educational Program Specialist	Author - Fiction, Non-Fiction	Mass Media
Assistant Scientific Writer	Script Reader	Entertainment Agent
Singer/Voice	Media Planner	Bank Officer
Medical Records	Fashion Merchandiser	Teacher
Foreign Correspondent	Biographer	Narrator
Book Critic	Social Welfare Examiner	Freelance Writer/Consultant
Social Worker	Novelist	Business Manager
Paralegal	Fundraiser	Special Events Coordinator
Greeting Card Writer	Circulation Assistant	Paralegal Assistant
City Manager	Speech Writer	Hearing Officer
Sports Writer	Personnel Manager	College Professor
Playwright	Hotel & Motel Manager	Stockbroker
Human Resource Specialist	Columnist/Commentator	Poet

Comedy Writer	Talent Agent	Human Service Practitioner
Teacher (all levels)	Politician	Communications Manager
Probation and Parole Officer	Humorist/Comedian	ESL Teacher
Information Abstractor	Congressional Aide	Product Manager
Copywriter	Technical Consultant	Insurance Agent
Technical Writer	Program Manager	Corrective Therapist
Proofreader	Interior Designer	Training Specialist
Interpreter & Translator	Creative Writer	Property Manager
Critic, Art/Book	Translator	Investment Counselor/Manager
Underwriter	Public Administrator	Crossword Puzzle
Public Relations Specialist	Journalist	Video Scriptwriter/Producer
Labor Relations Specialist	Curator	Public Speaker
Customer Service	Writer	Desktop Publisher
Documentation Specialist	Publicity Assistant	Legal Assistant
Librarian	Publisher	Publishing Assistant

Related Major Skills

Influencing and persuading	Presenting alternative view points
Clarifying ideas	Making oral presentations
Problem solving	Developing hypotheses
Comparing interpretations	Summarizing ideas
Thinking independently	Editing skills
Creative writing	Oral and written communication skills