



World University of Bangladesh (WUB)

Founded in 2003, WUB is a leading institution for equality and utilitarian education, recognized by the Ministry of Education and the University Grants Commission of Bangladesh. Governed by a Board of Trustees, WUB began its journey in early 2000, founded by eminent educationist Professor Dr. Abdul Mannan Choudhury.

WUB is a member of several prestigious international organizations, including the Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU) and the International Association of Universities (IAU). The university offers academic collaborations and credit transfer options with UK, USA, Australian, and Caribbean universities. Over 21,000 WUB graduates contribute to various fields globally, facilitated by English as the medium of instruction.

Vision:

The vision of the university is to create a leader who will make his/her brain as the tiniest factory capable of making enormous contributions to economic emancipation and social well-being.

Mission:

Our Mission is to become a University of quality and distinction enabling students to flourish academically, personally, and socially through utilitarian education at affordable cost, and with an exciting range of programs that are continually updated to reflect the latest developments.

Philosophy:

The university firmly believes that education is not only the backbone of a nation but practical education is the last resort of a nation to attain the quickest emancipation. We believe that knowledge is power in all changing contexts.

Key Attractions of the Department of English:

- ◆ World English Club
- ◆ English Language Lab
- ◆ Alumni Association of the Department of English
- ◆ Zero tolerance against bullying and ragging inside the department
- ◆ Cordial relationships among the senior and junior students
- ◆ Culturally sound environment
- ◆ Safe environment for female students

Program Educational Objectives (PEO):

PEO1: To develop students' knowledge of the English language, literature, history, and applied linguistics;

PEO2: To maximize students' professional communication skills and leadership qualities;

PEO3: To provide students with opportunities so that they can critically analyze issues of the English language, literature, and linguistics innovatively, creatively, and ethically through sustainable approaches;

PEO4: To equip students with the required analytical skills and raise their thirst for knowledge so that they value lifelong learning for future career advancement.

Faculty Members:

Md. Nasim Fardose Sajib	Asst. Professor & Head of the Dept.
Md. Nurullah Patwary	Asst. Professor
Md. Saiful Alam	Asst. Professor
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Mahbuba Sarker Shama	Sr. Lecturer
Abdus Salam	Sr. Lecturer
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Faculty Members of English Department



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DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH



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Semester wise distribution:

The program BA (Hons) in English has a total of 48 courses. Students need to complete 142 credits within a total of 12 semesters. Semester-wise distribution of courses is given below:

Semester 1

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
CI50288-101	Computer Fundamentals	3
BUS 0299-220	Introduction to Bangladesh Studies	2
ENG0232-407	Introduction to Literary Genres and Terms	3
ENG0232-422	Introduction to Poetry Prose	3

Semester 2

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
ENG0232-202	Grammar, Reading, & Comprehension Speaking	3
ENG0232-203	Advanced Reading & Writing Strategies	3
MKT 0288-317	Principles of Marketing	3
BAN 0299-320	Introduction to Bangla language and Literature	2

Semester 3

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
HI 0232-102	History of Western Thoughts	3
CI50288-314	Introduction to Internet	3
ENG0232-201	Public Speaking	3
ENG 0232-405	History of English Literature-1	3

Semester 4

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
ENG0232-421	Introduction to Linguistics	3
ENG0232-207	Basic Writing	3
ENG 0232-408	Romantic Literature -1	3
ENG 0232-406	History of English Literature -2	3

Semester 5

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
ENG 0232-409	Romantic Literature -2	3
ENG0232-403	19th Century Literature	3
HIS 0232-106	General History and Western History Highlights	3
ENG 0232-420	Classics in Translation -1	3

Semester 6

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
ENG 0232-402	Romantic Literature -3	3
ENG 0232-415	19th Century Literature -1	3
ENG 0232-204	English for Professional Purposes / Business English	3
ENG 0232-410	Elizabethan Drama	3

Semester 7

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours
LIN 0232-515	Introduction to Sociolinguistics and Psycholinguistics Aspects of Language	3
ENG 0232-416	19th Century Literature-2	3
ENG0232-206	Advanced Conversation	3
E NG 0232-401	Elizabethan and Restoration Drama	3

Credit Transfer :

Students can transfer their credits to the World University of Bangladesh provided they can submit evidence of previous credits completed from a recognized university or university college of any Commonwealth country. Moreover, students with HNC, HND and Diploma from the BTEB or any recognized examination bodies will be given necessary credit exemptions to enable them to finish their courses in a shorter period.

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Name of the Program: BA (Hons) in English

Overview

Established in 2007, the Department of English offers BA and MA programs for regular students and professionals. The department is located at Lake Drive Road, Uttara boasts twenty-two in-house faculty members. A new MA in ELT program is set to be launched soon, pending UGC approval.

Graduate Skills

- Communication and interpersonal skills
- Problem-solving and critical thinking
- Ethics and lifelong learning
- IT and information literacy

Facilities

- Well-equipped classrooms
- Day, evening, and Friday classes
- Student-friendly fee and payment system
- Scholarships and waivers
- Clubs: Language Club, WUB LitClub, Cultural Club, Debating Club, and more.

Note from the Head of the Department:

Our department is a hub of collaborative work and is a center of academic excellence. We foster a dynamic, practical, and humanitarian environment with esteemed faculty members dedicated to research and teaching.

We lead with innovative ideas in the evolving world of literature and language studies, blending traditional literary scholarship with emerging fields. Our students, fluent and engaging, are nurtured to become global thinkers, writers, and communicators.

This brochure showcases our diverse programs, research initiatives, and extracurricular activities. Explore the opportunities within our walls and join us in shaping the future of literary and linguistic scholarship.

Warm regards,

Md. Nasim Fardose Sajib

(MA in ELT (English Language Teaching), University of Dhaka)

(MA in English Literature, National University)

(BA (Hons.) in English Literature, National University)

Head of the department,

Department of English,
World University of Bangladesh.



Name of the Program: BA (Hons) in English

Description of the program:

The BA (Hons) in English at present offers 48 courses with a total of 142 credits covering 12 semesters for the degree. A minimum CGPA for graduation is 2.50 on a scale of 4.00. A student failing in any of the courses is not allowed to obtain the degree unless completing it within a period of additional 2 years.

Admission Requirements for Undergraduate program :

An applicant seeking admission into an undergraduate program must comply with admission requirements set forth by the admission committee. Students must have completed 12 years of schooling or equivalent. He or she must have earned SSC and HSC certificates with a minimum GPA 2.5 or second division in each, or have completed 5 subjects at O-level and 2 subjects at A-level with GPA 2.0.

Total minimum credit requirement to complete the program: 142 credits

Total class weeks in a semester: 15

Minimum CGPA: 2.5

Maximum academic years of completion: 6 years

Scholarship, Stipend & Other Facilities:

A. Merit Award Scholarship. (Based on previous academic attainment, Merit Awards Scholarship provides a waiver of 10%-100% scholarship of the total tuition fees.)

B. Wards of Freedom Fighters' Scholarship. (As a mark of respect to the valiant freedom fighters of the Bangladesh War of Liberation of 1971, the University reserves 3% admission quota for only wards of freedom fighters of all categories, subject to their fulfillments of the minimum admission requirements at the WUB).

C. WUB Special scholarship (scholarships for females, physically handicapped, students from backward areas(Tribal), siblings, spouse, sports persons, artists, and on the basis of admission tests.)

D. Vice Chancellor's Stipend. (The Honorable Vice Chancellor will give five stipends in a semester to the deserving students in consultation with the Treasurer, BOT adviser, Director (Accounts) and representative of BOT.)

Transport Facilities

The university now has a sufficient number of buses for transporting students even from Savar, Ashulia, Shanir Akhra, Gazipur, Tongi, Kaliganj and Narsingdi free of cost. Accommodations for male and female students are maintained in the proximity of the campus.

Our students have started receiving Metrorail services since it has two of its stations, Uttara South and Uttara Center, close to the World University of Bangladesh campus.

Assessment Strategy: Students' performance in a course is evaluated as stated below:

	Assessment strategy	Marks	Online	Offline
1	Quiz 1 & 2 (7.5+7.5)	15	✓	
2	Midterm	15		✓
3	Assignment and Presentation (5+5)	10	✓	✓
4	Forum Discussion	10	✓	
5	Attendance and Class Participation	10		✓
6	Final Examination	40		✓
	Total			100

Class Timing: Morning, Day & Evening. However, evening classes are meant for service holders.

Promotion and Graduation Policy:

◆ The minimum passing grade from 1st to 2nd semester is GPA 2.00 (D), from 2nd to 3rd semester is GPA 2.25 (C) and from 3rd semester it is GPA 2.50 (C+) and thereafter.

◆ The overall performance of a student is expressed in terms of GRADE POINT Average (GPA) or CGPA.

◆ A student having a CGPA 2.50 without any 'F' in any course shall normally be awarded the degree.

◆ A student shall forfeit their eligibility for a scholarship or any special treatment if they fail to meet the requirements for promotion.

Overview

Outcome Based Education (OBE) defines specific learning outcomes and designs educational experiences to achieve them. This student-centric approach ensures lessons and assessments meet these objectives, enhancing employability locally and internationally.

Implementation at WUB

Since January 2023, the World University of Bangladesh (WUB) has adopted the OBE system in line with the Bangladesh National Qualification Framework (BNQF). The OBE curriculum includes assessable Program Educational Objectives (PEOs) and Program Learning Outcomes (POs), reflecting the knowledge, skills, and attitudes students acquire.

Attributes

Student-Centric Approach: Focuses on achieving specific learning outcomes.

Enhanced Employability: Aligns learning with job market standards.

PEOs and POs: Established by academic committees and reviewed regularly.