

NorthWest Arkansas Community College
Division of Communication and Arts
English Department

Course Number and Title

ENGL 2563, Creative Writing Capstone

Catalog Description

The capstone course integrate all of the skills learned in the other courses in the AFA in Creative Writing by culminating in a portfolio that includes a thesis and oral performance.

Prerequisites

English 2023 and English 2033 with a grade “C” or better, or consent of instructor.

Credit hours/Contact hours/Load hours

Three

Target Audience/Transferability

This class is open to those interested in learning more about how to compose and present their works and who are pursuing an Associate of Fine Arts in Creative Writing.

Student Learning Outcomes

Students will

- Incorporate writing skills from all writing and creative writing courses.
- Create a portfolio or body of work.
- Develop writing practices that both incorporate peer feedback and self-editing.
- Have an understanding of the writers’ place in the job market and in the community

Topics

Reviews, workshops, revision

Forms of Assessment

Event/ performance reviews, workshop readings, professional writing reviews, submission opportunity deadline schedule, guest speaker reviews, final portfolio