

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT ASHEVILLE
FACULTY SENATE

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Statement of Faculty Senate Action:

APC Document 40: Delete LIT 352 and LANG 323. Replace with LANG 352

Effective Date: Fall 2012

1a. Delete: On page 192, the entry for **LANG 323, The Teaching of Writing and Standard Grammar:**

323 The Teaching of Writing and Standard Grammar (3)

Approaches to teaching writing, improving writing skills, learning self-evaluation and methods of evaluating others; demonstration of a working knowledge of standard grammar and usage. See department chair.

1b. Delete: On page 194, the entry for **LIT 352, History of the English Language:**

352 History of the English Language (3)

Studies in the development of the English language from its Indo-European backgrounds to the present; introduction to several aspects of linguistics; elementary readings in Old and Middle English. See department chair.

2. Add: On page 192, new course, **LANG 352, The English Language and the Teaching of Writing:**

352 The English Language and the Teaching of Writing (4)

Studies in the development of the English language. Introduction to several aspects of linguistics; approaches to teaching writing, including the writing process, methods of evaluation, and grammar and usage. Prerequisite: LANG 120. Fall and Spring.

Impact:

The proposed change involves no additional funding or staffing. This change allows the Department of Literature & Language to combine two 3-hour courses into one 4-hour course, and continue to satisfy requirements for NC Teaching Licensure.

Rationale:

The Department of Literature & Language recognizes the burden on its teaching licensure students to complete both a full major, and the Education courses given new hours imposed by the new major. This hybrid course offsets that change. Further, this change is designed to help us to deliver the curriculum more efficiently, while making best use of existing and projected faculty resources.