

# ENG 251: American Literature I

This course is a survey of American literature from its beginnings to the mid-nineteenth century. Emphasis is placed on representative works and writers of this period and on the literary, cultural, historical, and philosophical forces that shaped these works and that are reflected in them.

**Credits:** 3

**Prerequisites:**

A grade of "C" or better in ENG 102 or equivalent

**Program:** English

**Theory Credit:** 3