

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

GRADUATE COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION READING LIST SELECTED BY THE GRADUATE FACULTY

MA CANDIDATES WHO SIT FOR THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE EXAMINATION SHOULD BE ABLE TO DEMONSTRATE A COMPREHENSIVE KNOWLEDGE OF THE HISTORY OF THE LANGUAGE, LINGUISTICS, AND GRAMMAR. AREA EXPERTS FROM AMONG THE GRADUATE FACULTY OFFER THE FOLLOWING WORKS FOR STUDENTS TO SELECT FROM IN PREPARING FOR THE EXAM:

HISTORY OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE:

John Algeo.

Thomas W. Steward, Jr., and Nathan Vaillette, eds.
. (9th edition or later)

GRAMMAR

Thomas Klammer, Muriel Schulz, and Angela Della Volpe. (4th
edition or later)

Martha Kolln and Robert Funk. (6th edition or later)

Randolph Quirk and Sidney Greenbaum.