

## B.F.A. in Theatre Arts

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### Description

The B.F.A. major in theatre arts is intended for individuals who seek a professional career in theatre or who wish preparation for graduate work in the discipline. The B.F.A. must be completed with an emphasis in either acting, design/technology, or musical theatre. Students must have a successful audition or portfolio review by theatre arts faculty for admission to the BFA degree program.

### Minimum Total Credit Hours: 129

### General Education Requirements

The general education requirements for the B.F.A. in liberal arts include the following courses (33-35 hours):

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| Writ 100 or 101; Writ 102 or Liba 102                                                                   | 6 hours   |
| English literature survey (221-226, 22x)                                                                | 6 hours   |
| Behavioral/social sciences                                                                              | 6 hours   |
| History (His 101, 102 preferred)                                                                        | 6 hours   |
| Natural science (with laboratories)                                                                     | 6-8 hours |
| Mathematics (from among college algebra, quantitative reasoning, or a more advanced mathematics course) | 3 hours   |

### Course Requirements

A major in theatre arts for the B.F.A. degree requires 129 semester hours. Students are required to choose one of three emphases: acting, design/theatre technology, or musical theatre.

### Other Academic Requirements

A grade of C or higher is required on all theatre courses applied toward the B.F.A. degree.

### Specializations

- [Emphasis - Acting for Stage and Screen](#)
- [Emphasis - Design and Theatre Production](#)
- [Emphasis - Film Production](#)
- [Emphasis - Musical Theatre](#)
- [Emphasis - Theatre Acting](#)

