

BA in Theatre/Speech Education (152 credits – Comprehensive Major)

HUMANITIES DEPARTMENT

University Writing Proficiency and Placement Information

Writing Proficiency earned by . . . circle one: ACT/ Accuplacer/ SAT (Score:) AP CLEP IB

ACT English \geq 26 or SAT W/L \geq 33, CLT Writing/Grammar (W/G) \geq 32: Student is proficient. Enroll in Effective Communication option.

If transfer student has taken only ENGL 111 composition only, enroll in 200-level Effective Communications Course.

If transfer student has a 200-level (or above) composition course, check for Speech course. If no Speech listed, enroll in COMM 111.

If transfer student has a 200-level composition course AND a speech course, he or she is proficient.

ACT English = 24-25, SAT W/L \geq 31-32, take Accuplacer Exam in first semester.

If pass, place in Effective Communication option*; **if no pass,** place in ENGL 111 the next semester.

If student has no test scores, enroll in ENGL 102

ACT English = 24-25, SAT W/L 31-32, CLT W/G 30-31: take Writing Step-Up Exam in first semester.

ACT English 20-23, SAT W/L 28-30, CLT W/G 24-29: ENGL 111	3	WELLNESS PROFICIENCY	
ACT English 16-19, SAT W/L 23-27, CLT W/G 19-23: ENGL 102	2		
ACT English \leq 15, SAT W/L \leq 22, CLT W/G \leq 18: ENGL 100	1		
		EXER 101 Lifetime Health Awareness ONLINE ONLY	1

CORE REQUIREMENTS	Cr	Comp
HUMN 100 University Seminar	1	
FIN 138 Personal Finance	3	
BIBL 111 Essential Christianity	3	
BIBL 115 Old Testament Literature	3	
BIBL 116 New Testament Literature	3	
BIBL 360 – 370 Book Study (WPR) *	3	
THEO 320 Pentecost	3	
ICST 454 Global Cultures and Compassion	3	
PSYC 233 Child and Adolescent Lit	3	
Natural Science with Lab Option* (Biology encouraged)	4	
Natural Science without Lab Option* (Earth science encouraged)	3	
ENGL 205 Effective Communication	3	
ENGL 123 Intro to Lit	3	
MATH (fulfilled through EDUC 434)	3	
Historical Inquiry Option * (strongly recommend HIST 111 or GOVT 170)	3	
ART 106 Drawing I (Artistic Expression)	3	
<i>Behavioral and Social Sciences Option:</i> PSYC 138 Healthy Relationships (preferred) PSYC 112 Introduction to Psychology	3	
Humanities Option (fulfilled through THTR 331)	3	
Foreign Language I * (University credit or CLEP equivalent)	3-4	
Foreign Language II * (University credit or CLEP equivalent)	3-4	
Total:	60-62	
THEATRE PROFESSIONAL REQUIREMENTS	Cr	

THTR 130 Stagecraft Lab 1	2	
THTR 140 Makeup for the Stage	2	
THTR 230 Stagecraft Lab 2	1	
THTR 239 Rehearsal & Performance I (may take up to 4 cr)	1	
THTR 243 Acting I	3	
THTR 271 Technical Theatre I: Scenic Design	2	
THTR 321 Technical Theatre II: Lighting Design	2	
THTR 327 History of Theatre I	2	
THTR 328 History of Theatre II	2	
THTR 330 Stagecraft Lab 3	1	
THTR 331 Shakespeare	3	
THTR/COMM 335 Oral Interpretation of Literature **	3	
THTR 339 Rehearsal & Performance II (may take up to 4 cr)	1	
THTR 340 Acting II	3	
THTR 341 Technical Theatre III: Costume Design	2	
THTR 344 Fundamentals of Directing with Lab	3	
THTR 445 Senior Capstone: Directing (ideally semester/year PRIOR to student teaching	1	
OPTIONAL ELECTIVES in THEATRE available in Acting, Dramaturgy, Dance (5 credits)		
Total:	34-39	
COMMUNICATIONS PROFESSIONAL REQUIREMENTS	Cr	Comp
COMM 113 Introduction to Mass Communication	3	
COMS 233 Argumentation and Debate	3	
COMM 246 Interpersonal Communication Theory	3	
COMS 316 Forensics (1 credit x 3 semesters)	3	
Total:	12	
PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS	Cr	Comp
EDUC 220 Level 1 Field Experience [1]	1	
EDUC 225 Intro to Curriculum & Instructional Planning [1]	3	
EDUC 228 Instructional Strategies & Techniques in Content Area Specialty [2]	3	
EDUC 271 Education of the Exceptional & English Language Learner	2	
THTR 336 Instructional Methods in Speech/Theatre [3]	1	
EDUC 351-2 Analysis & Correction of Reading Difficulties – Secondary	3	
EDUC 352 Content Area Literacy	3	
EDUC 397 Level 2 Field Experience [2]	1	
EDUC 421 Effective Engagement of the Learner[3]	3	
EDUC 427 Seminar in Student Teaching – Secondary [4]	2	
EDUC 434 Assessment and Data-Based Decision Making	3	
EDUC 437 Student Teaching – Secondary [4]	12	
EDUC 476 Tech & Strat Class Mgmt [4]	2	
EDUC 497 Level III Field Experience Subject Area Specialty [3]	1	
Total:	40	
Comprehensive Total:	146-148	

*Students with no high school theatre credits will be given a proficiency placement exam and may need to take

THTR 110

[1] EDUC 220 and EDUC 225 are taken concurrently.

[2] EDUC 228 and EDUC 397 are taken concurrently.

[3] EDUC 421 and EDUC 497 and THTR 336 ideally taken semester PRIOR to student teaching

[4] EDUC 427, EDUC 437, and EDUC 476 are taken during student-teaching semester.