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GENERAL STUDIES (33 credits)

Written Communication (6) (see catalog for additional selections)

- ___ **ENG 1010 (3) Composing Arguments
- ___ ++ENG 1020 (3) Research and Argument Writing

Oral Communication (3) (see catalog for additional selections)

- ___ (3) _____

Quantitative Literacy (3) (see catalog for additional selections)

- ___ ** (3) _____

** Must be completed within the first 30 college level credits.
++ Must be completed within the first 45 college level credits.

Arts and Humanities (6)

(THE-prefix or MUS-prefix not allowed)

- ___ (3) _____
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Historical (3)

- ___ (3) _____

Natural and Physical Sciences (6)

- ___ (3) _____
- ___ (3) _____

Social and Behavioral Sciences (6)

- ___ (3) _____
- ___ (3) _____

Global Diversity (0-3)

(THE-prefix or MUS-prefix not allowed)

- ___ (0 or 3 *hrs) _____

Ethnic Studies and Social Justice Requirement (0-3)

(THE-prefix allowed)

- ___ (0 or 3 *hrs) _____

*Students may fulfill the global diversity or ethnic studies and social justice requirement by taking an approved course within one of the following categories: arts and humanities, historical, natural and physical sciences, or social and behavioral sciences. See university catalog for General Studies Requirements.

GENERAL ELECTIVES

- ___ (2) _____
- ___ (2) _____
- ___ (3) _____
- ___ (3) _____

General Studies	33 minimum
BA in Theatre	51
Minor	18-36
General Electives	0-18
Total to Graduate	120 minimum

A minimum of 40 credit hours must be Upper Division (3000-4000 level courses).

This advising guide applies to the 2023-2024 catalog only. It does not replace the university catalog as the official statement of requirements.

BA IN THEATRE (43 credits)

THEATRE CORE (43 credit hours)

- ___ THE 2201 (3) The Speaking Voice in Performance
- ___ THE 2210 (3) Introduction to Theatre
- ___ THE 2215 (3) Self-Care in Theatre
- ___ THE 2220 (3) Acting I
- ___ THE 2240 (3) Stagecraft
- ___ THE 2248 (3) Wardrobe Skills for Everyone
- ___ THE 2270 (3) Production Analysis: Process and Technology
- ___ THE 2280 (3) Theatre Career Development
- ___ THE 3211 (3) Theatre History, Theory and Criticism I
- ___ THE 3212 (3) Theatre History, Theory and Criticism II
- ___ THE 3220 (3) Stage Movement
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- ___ THE 4230 (3) Stage Directing (Senior Experience)
- ___ THE 3234 (3) Audition Techniques

OR

- ___ THE 4202 (3) Career Skills for Theatre Tech and Design
- ___ THE 4260 (1) Theatre: Practicum I

THEATRE ELECTIVES (8 credit hours)

- ___ THE 2218 ÇHD Prison Arts
- ___ THE 2230 (3) Acting II
- ___ THE 2242 (3) Introduction to Stage Makeup
- ___ THE 2255 (3) Dramaturgy
- ___ THE 2260 (3) Music Theatre History and Performance
- ___ THE 2290 (3) Stage Combat
- ___ THE 2295 (3) Comedy: In-Print and On Stage
- ___ THE 3202 (3) Voice Over Techniques
- ___ THE 3210 (3) Scene Painting
- ___ THE 3213 (3) Staging Cultures: Theatre, Drama, and Multiculturalism
- ___ THE 3230 (3) Acting III: Styles of Acting
- ___ THE 3231 (3) Acting IV—Styles of Acting
- ___ THE 3232 (3) Acting for the Camera
- ___ THE 3240 (3) Theatre Improvisation Techniques
- ___ THE 3271 (3) Stage Lighting
- ___ THE 3273 (3) Introduction to Costume Design
- ___ THE 3980 (FÉFÍ) Professional Internship: Theatre
- ___ THE 4270 (2) Theatre: Practicum II
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(Any course with a THE prefix will count for elective credit)

BA IN THEATRE NOTES:

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**MSU Denver Theatre Department
BA in Theatre - Sample Four-Year Curriculum Plan**

SEMESTER	#	COURSE/TYPE	COURSE TITLE
YEAR 1 FALL	3	GS	General Studies: Written Communication (ENG 1010 Freshman Composition for 3 hrs. or ENG 1008 + 1009 for 6 hrs.)+
	3	GS	General Studies: Oral Communication
	3	GS	General Studies: Natural & Physical Sciences
	3	THE 2210	Introduction to Theatre
	3	MINOR	Minor Requirement
	15		
YEAR 1 SPRING	3	GS	General Studies: Quantitative Literacy (MTH 1080 Mathematical Modes of Thought or other math)+
	3	GS	General Studies: Written Communication (ENG 1020 Freshman English: Analysis, Research, & Documentation)++
	3	GS	Minor Requirement
	3	THE 2215	Self-Care of Theatre
	3	THE 2220	Acting I
	15		
YEAR 2 FALL	3	GS	General Studies: Arts and Humanities (ENG 1120 Intro to Drama - recommended)
	3	GS	General Studies: Social & Behavioral Sciences I
	3	MINOR	Minor Requirement
	3	THE 2240	Stagecraft
	3	THE 3211	Theatre History, Theory, Criticism I
	15		
YEAR 2 SPRING	3	GS	General Studies: Social & Behavioral Sciences II (Global Diversity)
	3	MINOR	Minor Requirement (Upper Division)
	3	THE 2201	The Speaking Voice in Performance
	3	THE 3212	Theatre History, Theory, Criticism II
	1	THE 4260	Theatre Practicum I
	2	Theatre Elective	Theatre Elective
	15		
YEAR 3 FALL	3	THE 2248	Wardrobe Skills for Everyone
	3	MINOR	Minor Requirement (Upper Division)
	3	THE 2270	Production Analysis: Process and Technology
	3	THE 3200	Devised Theatre
	3	Theatre Elective	Theatre Elective (Upper Division)
	15		
YEAR 3 SPRING	3	General Elective	General Studies: Natural & Physical Sciences
	3	GS	General Studies: Arts and Humanities (Multicultural)
	3	MINOR	Minor Requirement (Upper Division)
	3	THE 2280	Theatre Career Development
	3	Theatre Elective	Theatre Elective (Upper Division)
	15		
YEAR 4 FALL	3	General Elective	General Studies: Historical
	3	General Elective	General Elective (Upper Division)
	3	General Elective	General Elective (Upper Division)
	3	General Elective	General Elective
	3	THE 3220	THE 3220 Stage Movement
15			
YEAR 4 SPRING	3	General Elective	General Elective (Upper Division)
	3	General Elective	General Elective (Upper Division)
	3	THE 3234 or THE 4202	Audition Techniques or Career Skills Theatre Tech/Design
	3	General Elective	General Elective
	3	THE 4230	Stage Directing (SENIOR EXPERIENCE)
	15		

Communication (3 credits)
A Minor is required.
PLEASE CONTACT YOUR ADVISOR TO INSURE PROPER COURSE ROTATION. THIS IS A SUGGESTED PLAN NOT A GUARANTEE CLASSES WILL BE OFFERED IN ANY GIVEN SEMESTER.

NOTES:
+ All general studies must be completed within the first 90 semester hours. Oral Communication, Quantitative Literacy, and 3 credits of Written Communication must be completed within first 30-credit hours.
++To be completed within first 45-credit hours: Written

TOTAL	120	33	GENERAL STUDIES (MINIMUM)
		43	THEATRE MAJOR CORE CLASSES
At least 40 credit hours must be Upper Division (3000-4000 level courses).		8	THEATRE ELECTIVES
		18	MINOR (18 HOURS AVERAGE)
		18	ELECTIVE
		120	TOTAL TO GRADUATE