

Theatre Arts Major, Acting Emphasis Plan

Minimum GPA for Admission: 2.75, USU; 2.75, Career
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Minimum Grade Accepted: B- in all courses required for major and B in all courses required for emphasis area

This is a sample plan for the Acting Emphasis within the Theatre Arts major. It outlines University and major requirements in very general terms. While there are requirements that are sequential, many are flexible and do not need to be completed exactly in the order listed. Students should always check with their faculty and professional advisors to be sure they are meeting the requirements appropriately. To make an appointment with a professional advisor, call (435) 797-3883.

Freshman Year (31 credits)

Fall Semester (15 credits)

ENGL 1010 (CL1) Introduction to Writing: Academic Prose	3
THEA 1033 Beginning Acting	3
THEA 1513 Stage and Costume Crafts	3
Required Beginning Performance course.....	3
University Studies Breadth course(s)	3

Spring Semester (16 credits)

THEA 1713 Introduction to Playscript Analysis	3
THEA 2410 Directing.....	3
THEA 2555 Production Practicum (1 cr) or	
THEA 2556 Production Run Crew (1 cr)	1
Required Beginning Performance course.....	3
University Studies Quantitative Literacy (QL) course.....	3
University Studies Breadth course	3

Complete the CIL exams by the end of the Freshman Year.

Sophomore Year (32 credits)

Fall Semester (16 credits)

THEA 2555 Production Practicum (1 cr) or	
THEA 2556 Production Run Crew (1 cr)	1
THEA 3230 (CI) Survey of Western Theatre	3
Required Performance courses.....	6
University Studies Breadth courses.....	6

Spring Semester (16 credits)

ENGL 2010 (CL2) Intermediate Writing: Research Writing in a Persuasive Mode	3
THEA 2555 Production Practicum (1 cr) or	
THEA 2556 Production Run Crew (1 cr)	1
Required Performance courses.....	6
University Studies Breadth courses.....	6

Junior Year (32 credits)

Fall Semester (16 credits)

THEA 4750 Advanced Production Practicum (1 cr) or	
THEA 4850 Advanced Production Projects (1 cr)	1
Required Performance courses.....	9
Quantitative Intensive (QI) course.....	3
Depth Social Sciences (DSS) course.....	3

Spring Semester (16 credits)

THEA 4750 Advanced Production Practicum (1 cr) or	
THEA 4850 Advanced Production Projects (1 cr)	1
THEA 5240 (CI) Contemporary Theatre.....	3
Required upper-division Performance courses	9
Depth Life and Physical Sciences (DSC) course	3

Senior Year (24 credits)

Fall Semester (13 credits)

THEA 4750 Advanced Production Practicum (1 cr) or	
THEA 4850 Advanced Production Projects (1 cr)	1
Required upper-division Performance courses	12

Spring Semester (11 credits)

THEA 5910 Senior Project	2
Required upper-division Performance courses	9