

Theatre, Fine Arts

Music Theatre

The Bachelor of Fine Arts in Musical Theatre provides students with a hands-on, personalized education. Students work closely in classes and on stage with faculty who provide training and experience to accelerate students to a professional level. This program affords the opportunity for you to hone your craft with industry professionals.

Acting

The Bachelor of Fine Arts in Acting degree provides students with a core curriculum that is challenging, dynamic, and relevant to today's professional theatre world.

Design/Technology

The Bachelor of Fine Arts in Design and Technology provides students with an interactive program that prepares them for careers in scenic, lighting, and costume design and the technology skills that support each field.

Program Requirements

In addition to general University requirements, students seeking the BFA in Theatre must meet the requirements below:

- Maintain a GPA of 2.50 or higher
- A grade of 'C' or better is required in all Theatre Courses
- Audition for all UWF Theatre Productions (BFA Music Theatre/BFA Acting)

Required Prior to Admission to BFA Music Theatre/BFA Acting:

- A 'B' or better in THE 2000 Theatre Appreciation or equivalent course
- A 'B' or better in TPP 2110 Acting I or equivalent course

Required Prior to Admission to BFA Design and Technology:

- A 'B' or better in THE 2000 Theatre Appreciation or equivalent course
- A 'B' or better in TPA 2200 Technical Theatre or equivalent course

BA Theatre majors may not earn this major.

BFA Musical Theatre Specialization

General Education

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General Education Curriculum:

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ENC 1101	English Composition I	3
ENC 1102	English Composition II	3

Mathematics

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MAC 1105	College Algebra
MAC 1105C	College Algebra with Lab
MAC 2311	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I
MGF 1106	Mathematics for Liberal Arts I
MGF 1107	Mathematics for Liberal Arts II
STA 2023	Elements of Statistics

Group B

MAC 1114	Trigonometry
MAC 1140	Precalculus Algebra
MAC 1147	Precalculus with Trigonometry
MAC 2233	Calculus with Business Applications
MAC 2312	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II
STA 2360	Introduction to Data Science

Social Sciences

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Group A

AMH 2020	United States since 1877
ANT 2000	Introduction to Anthropology
ECO 2013	Principles of Economics Macro
POS 2041	American Politics
PSY 2012	General Psychology
SYG 2000	Introduction to Sociology

Group B

AMH 2010	United States to 1877
ANT 2100	Introduction to Archaeology
ANT 2400	Current Cultural Issues
CCJ 2002	Survey of Crime and Justice
COM 2023	Death and Communication
CPO 2002	Comparative Politics
DEP 2004	Human Development Across the Lifespan
EUH 1000	Western Perspectives I
EUH 1001	Western Perspectives II
FIN 2104	Personal Financial Planning
GEA 2000	Nations and Regions of the World
GEB 1011	Introduction to Business
HIS 2050	Explore! History
IDH 1041	Honors Core 2
INR 2002	International Politics
MMC 2000	Principles of Mass Communication
PLA 2013	Survey of American Law
SOW 2192	Understanding Relationships in the 21st Century
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Humanities

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Group A	
ARH 1000	Art Appreciation
LIT 2000	Introduction to Literature
MUL 2010	Music Appreciation
PHI 2010	Introduction to Philosophy
THE 2000	Theatre Appreciation
Group B	
AML 2010	American Literature I
AML 2020	American Literature II
AML 2072	Sex, Money, and Power in American Literature
ARH 2050	Western Survey I: Prehistory to the Medieval Period
ARH 2051	Western Survey II: Renaissance to Contemporary
ART 1015C	Exploring Artistic Vision
ART 2821	The Self, Creativity, Your Career and Visual Culture
CRW 2001	Introduction to Creative Writing
ENL 2010	History of English Literature I
ENL 2020	History of English Literature II
IDH 1040	Honors Core 1
LIT 2030	Introduction to Poetry
MUH 2930	The Music Experience: Special Topics
PHI 2103	Critical Thinking
PHI 2603	Ethics in Contemporary Society
REL 1300	World Religions
SPC 2608	Basic Communication Skills
THE 2300	Survey of Dramatic Literature

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BSC 1085	Anatomy and Physiology I *
BSC 2010	Biology I
CHM 1020	Concepts in Chemistry *
CHM 2045	General Chemistry I *
ESC 2000	Introduction to Earth Science *
EVR 2001	Introduction to Environmental Science
PHY 1020	Conceptual Physics
PHY 2048	Calculus-Based Physics I **, ***
PHY 2048C	Calculus-Based Physics I Studio ***
PHY 2053	Algebra-Based Physics I **, **
Group B	
ANT 2511	Biological Anthropology *
AST 2037	Life in the Universe
BOT 2010	General Botany

BSC 1050	Fundamentals of Ecology
BSC 1086	Anatomy and Physiology II *
BSC 2011	Biology II
BSC 2311	Introduction to Oceanography and Marine Biology *
CGS 2020	Introduction to Machine Learning
CHM 2046	General Chemistry II *
CIS 2530	Introduction to Cybersecurity
GLY 2010	Physical Geology *
MCB 1000	Fundamentals of Microbiology *
PHC 2082	Informatics and Your Health
PHY 2049	Calculus-Based Physics II **, **
PHY 2054	Algebra-Based Physics II **, **

* May be taken with or without lab.

** Algebra-Based Physics is usually recommended for non-science majors, while Calculus-Based Physics is recommended for science majors

*** Although students receive 5 semester hours credit for PHY 2048C, an additional 3 semester science course will be needed to meet General Education requirements.

General Education Electives

Choose an additional course from two of the three areas of Humanities, Social Sciences, and Natural Sciences

Multicultural Requirement

Multicultural Courses

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The requirement is satisfied by the successful completion of a multicultural course designated on the following list. Several of the selections are General Education courses, and students may enroll in these to meet both the General Education and the multicultural requirements.

**Passed by UWF Faculty Senate on 11/08/2002

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AML 2010	American Literature I	3
AML 2020	American Literature II	3
AML 3604	African American Literature	3
AML 3624	Black Women Writers	3
AML 4015	Topics in Nineteenth-Century American Literature	3
AML 4640	Topics in Native American Literature	3
ANT 1001	Anthropology as a Profession	1
ANT 2000	Introduction to Anthropology	3
ANT 2301	Human Sexuality and Culture	3

ANT 3212	Peoples and Cultures of the World	3	LAH 4131	'Atlantic Indians': How Indigenous and African Peoples Shaped Europe & the Americas	3
ANT 3312	North American Indians	3	LAH 4451	Greater Mexico: Central America from Conquest to the 20th Century	3
ANT 3363	Japanese Culture	3	LAH 4728	Gender and Sexuality in Latin America from Colonization to Today	3
ANT 3403	Cultural Ecology	3	LIT 2000	Introduction to Literature	3
ANT 4006	Anthropology of Human Rights	3	LIT 2030	Introduction to Poetry	3
ANT 4025	Ritual Use of Human Remains	3	LIT 3233	Postcolonial Literature	3
ANT 4516	Modern Human Physical Variation	3	LIT 4036	Topics in Poetry and Poetics	3
ARH 1000	Art Appreciation	3	LIT 4385	Feminist Theory	3
ARH 2050	Western Survey I: Prehistory to the Medieval Period	3	MAN 4102	Management of Diversity	3
ARH 2051	Western Survey II: Renaissance to Contemporary	3	MAR 4156	Seminar in International Marketing	3
ARH 3590	Non-Western Art	3	MMC 3743	Communicating Fear: Horror Films and Popular Culture	3
ARH 3607	Native American Art	3	MMC 3745	Communicating Fear Abroad: International Horror Films & Popular Culture	3
ARH 4302	Late Renaissance Art in Italy	3	MUH 2930	The Music Experience: Special Topics	3
ARH 4412	The Age of Revolution to Romanticism in Europe: 1750-1850	3	MUL 2010	Music Appreciation	3
ARH 4450	Modern Art: 1850-1980	3	NUR 4615	Community and Public Health Nursing	3
ARH 4470	Contemporary Art	3	NUR 4636	Population-based Public Health Nursing	3
ARH 4563	Art of Japan	3	PHI 3790	African Philosophy	3
CCJ 3678	Race, Gender, Ethnicity, and Crime	3	PUR 3404	International Public Relations	3
COM 3014	Gender Communication	3	PSY 3860	Positive Psychology	3
COM 3461	Intercultural Communication	3	SOP 3730	Psychology, Culture, and Society	3
COM 4242	Communication and Christianity	3	SOW 4233	Human Diversity and Social Justice	3
CPO 2002	Comparative Politics	3	SPN 3400	Advanced Stylistics	3
CPO 4792	Geopolitics	3	SPN 4520	Latin American Culture and Civilization	3
CRW 2001	Introduction to Creative Writing	3	SYO 4421	Sociology of Health, Illness and Health Care	3
EDF 2085	Teaching Diverse Populations	3	SYO 4530	Inequality in America	3
ENG 4013	Introduction to Literary Theory	3			
ENL 2020	History of English Literature II	3			
EUH 1000	Western Perspectives I	3			
EUH 1001	Western Perspectives II	3			
EUH 3203	Modern Europe	3			
EUH 3334	Emperors, Sultans, Dictators, and Democrats: The Balkans	3			
EUH 3411	Rome and the Mediterranean World	3			
EUH 3576	Soviet Union since 1917	3			
EUH 4563	The Other Germany: The Lands of the Austrian Monarchy, 1526-1918	3			
FRE 4955	Supervised Foreign Language Field Experience Abroad	1-3			
GEA 2000	Nations and Regions of the World	3			
GEB 4361	International Business	3			
GEO 3421	Cultural Geography	3			
GEO 3471	Geography of World Affairs	3			
HIS 2050	Explore! History	3			
HIS 4262	Rise and Fall of the Portuguese Empire	3			
IDH 1040	Honors Core 1	3			
IDH 1041	Honors Core 2	3			
INR 2002	International Politics	3			
LAH 4135	Spanish Conquest of the Americas	3			

Civic Literacy Requirement

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Students Included in Cohort	Civic Literacy Competency Requirement
Cohort 1: Students first entering the SUS or FCS prior to fall 2018	None
Cohort 2: Students first entering the SUS or FCS in fall 2018 – summer A 2021	Complete a course or exam
Cohort 3: Students first entering the SUS or FCS in summer B 2021 (on or after July 1, 2021) and thereafter	Complete both a course and exam

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There are multiple ways to satisfy this requirement. Students should work with their academic advisor to determine which option is best for their degree requirements/degree plan.

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*BOG 8.006; s.1007.25(4,a-b)

Common Prerequisites

State-mandated common prerequisites must be completed prior to graduation, but are not required for admission to the program. See the [Common Prerequisite Manual](#) for course substitutions from Florida colleges and universities.

THE 2000	Theatre Appreciation *	3
THE, TPA, TPP prefix lower division electives		9
THE 2300	Survey of Dramatic Literature *	3
THE 2925	Play Production	1
TPA 2200+L	Technical Theatre (+Lab)	4
Choose one of the following:		1-3
TPP 2100	Acting for Non-majors	
TPP 2190	Rehearsal and Performance	

Total Hours **21-23**

* Indicates common prerequisites which can be used to satisfy General Education requirements.

Lower Division Electives

Students must complete sufficient 1000/2000 level electives to satisfy at least 60 sh in the lower division. Current UWF students may use elective courses at any level (1000-4000) to meet this elective requirement.

Major

Theatre Core:		15
TPA 2248	Introduction to Stage Makeup	
THE 3112	History of Theatre I *	
THE 3113	History of Theatre II *	
TPP 3310	Play Directing *	
TPP 3650	Script Analysis *	
Choose 1 of the following:		3
TPA 3064	Scene Design I	
TPA 3022	Lighting Design I	
TPA 4045	Costume Design I	
Acting Core:		19
TPP 2513C	Movement for the Actor	
TPP 2744C	Voice for the Actor	
TPP 3221	Audition Techniques	
TPP 3155	Acting II *	
TPP 4113	Acting III *	
THE 3092	Theatrical Production & Performance (1 sh for 6 semesters) *	

Music Theatre Specialization:		30
MUT 1111	Freshman Theory	
MVK 1111	Class Piano I	
MUT 1271	Freshman Theory Lab	
TPP 2167C	Acting for Musical Theatre	
TPP 2715L	Music Theatre Voice I (1 sh for 4 semesters) *	
TPP 3257	Music Theatre Voice II (1 sh for 4 semesters) *	
DAA 2204C	Music Theatre Dance Skills (2 sh for 2 semesters)	
DAA 3006C	Music Theatre Dance Styles (2 sh for 2 semesters)	
THE 3243	Musical Theatre History *	
TPP 3252C	Music Theatre Scene Study *	

Total Hours **67**

BFA Acting Specialization

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MGF 1106	Mathematics for Liberal Arts I	
MGF 1107	Mathematics for Liberal Arts II	
STA 2023	Elements of Statistics	

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MAC 1140	Precalculus Algebra	
MAC 1147	Precalculus with Trigonometry	
MAC 2233	Calculus with Business Applications	
MAC 2312	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	
STA 2360	Introduction to Data Science	

Social Sciences

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ANT 2000	Introduction to Anthropology
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SYG 2000	Introduction to Sociology
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ANT 2400	Current Cultural Issues
CCJ 2002	Survey of Crime and Justice
COM 2023	Death and Communication
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EUH 1001	Western Perspectives II
FIN 2104	Personal Financial Planning
GEA 2000	Nations and Regions of the World
GEB 1011	Introduction to Business
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ARH 2050	Western Survey I: Prehistory to the Medieval Period
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ENL 2010	History of English Literature I
ENL 2020	History of English Literature II
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LIT 2030	Introduction to Poetry
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PHI 2603	Ethics in Contemporary Society
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SPC 2608	Basic Communication Skills
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BSC 1005	General Biology for Non-Majors *
BSC 1085	Anatomy and Physiology I *
BSC 2010	Biology I
CHM 1020	Concepts in Chemistry *
CHM 2045	General Chemistry I *
ESC 2000	Introduction to Earth Science *
EVR 2001	Introduction to Environmental Science
PHY 1020	Conceptual Physics
PHY 2048	Calculus-Based Physics I *,**
PHY 2048C	Calculus-Based Physics I Studio ***
PHY 2053	Algebra-Based Physics I *,**
Group B	
ANT 2511	Biological Anthropology *
AST 2037	Life in the Universe
BOT 2010	General Botany
BSC 1050	Fundamentals of Ecology
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PHC 2082	Informatics and Your Health
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General Education Electives

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Multicultural Requirement

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AML 2020	American Literature II	3	CPO 4792	Geopolitics	3
AML 3604	African American Literature	3	CRW 2001	Introduction to Creative Writing	3
AML 3624	Black Women Writers	3	EDF 2085	Teaching Diverse Populations	3
AML 4015	Topics in Nineteenth-Century American Literature	3	ENG 4013	Introduction to Literary Theory	3
AML 4640	Topics in Native American Literature	3	ENL 2020	History of English Literature II	3
ANT 1001	Anthropology as a Profession	1	EUH 1000	Western Perspectives I	3
ANT 2000	Introduction to Anthropology	3	EUH 1001	Western Perspectives II	3
ANT 2301	Human Sexuality and Culture	3	EUH 3203	Modern Europe	3
ANT 3212	Peoples and Cultures of the World	3	EUH 3334	Emperors, Sultans, Dictators, and Democrats: The Balkans	3
ANT 3312	North American Indians	3	EUH 3411	Rome and the Mediterranean World	3
ANT 3363	Japanese Culture	3	EUH 3576	Soviet Union since 1917	3
ANT 3403	Cultural Ecology	3	EUH 4563	The Other Germany: The Lands of the Austrian Monarchy, 1526-1918	3
ANT 4006	Anthropology of Human Rights	3	FRE 4955	Supervised Foreign Language Field Experience Abroad	1-3
ANT 4025	Ritual Use of Human Remains	3	GEA 2000	Nations and Regions of the World	3
ANT 4516	Modern Human Physical Variation	3	GEB 4361	International Business	3
ARH 1000	Art Appreciation	3	GEO 3421	Cultural Geography	3
ARH 2050	Western Survey I: Prehistory to the Medieval Period	3	GEO 3471	Geography of World Affairs	3
ARH 2051	Western Survey II: Renaissance to Contemporary	3	HIS 2050	Explore! History	3
ARH 3590	Non-Western Art	3	HIS 4262	Rise and Fall of the Portuguese Empire	3
ARH 3607	Native American Art	3	IDH 1040	Honors Core 1	3
ARH 4302	Late Renaissance Art in Italy	3	IDH 1041	Honors Core 2	3
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CCJ 3678	Race, Gender, Ethnicity, and Crime	3	LAH 4728	Gender and Sexuality in Latin America from Colonization to Today	3
COM 3014	Gender Communication	3	LIT 2000	Introduction to Literature	3
COM 3461	Intercultural Communication	3	LIT 2030	Introduction to Poetry	3
COM 4242	Communication and Christianity	3	LIT 3233	Postcolonial Literature	3
			LIT 4036	Topics in Poetry and Poetics	3
			LIT 4385	Feminist Theory	3
			MAN 4102	Management of Diversity	3
			MAR 4156	Seminar in International Marketing	3
			MMC 3743	Communicating Fear: Horror Films and Popular Culture	3
			MMC 3745	Communicating Fear Abroad: International Horror Films & Popular Culture	3
			MUH 2930	The Music Experience: Special Topics	3
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			PHI 3790	African Philosophy	3
			PUR 3404	International Public Relations	3
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			SOW 4233	Human Diversity and Social Justice	3

SPN 3400	Advanced Stylistics	3
SPN 4520	Latin American Culture and Civilization	3
SYO 4421	Sociology of Health, Illness and Health Care	3
SYO 4530	Inequality in America	3

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THE 2000	Theatre Appreciation *	3
THE 2300	Survey of Dramatic Literature *	3
THE 2925	Play Production	1
TPA 2200+L	Technical Theatre (+Lab)	4
THE, TPA, TPP prefix lower division electives		9
Choose one of the following:		1-3
TPP 2110	Acting I	
TPP 2190	Rehearsal and Performance	

Total Hours 21-23

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Lower Division Electives

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Total Hours 7-9

Theater Core

TPA 2248	Introduction to Stage Makeup	3
TPP 3650	Script Analysis +	3
TPP 3310	Play Directing +	3
THE 3112	History of Theatre I +	3
THE 3113	History of Theatre II +	3
THE 3306	Dramatic Literature II +	3
THE 3092	Theatrical Production & Performance (Must be taken 4 times) +	4
THE 4970	Senior Project +	3

Total Hours 25

Acting Specialization Option

TPP 2744C	Voice for the Actor ((repeatable))	2
TPP 2513C	Movement for the Actor ((repeatable))	2
TPP 3102L	Acting Studio (One (1) credit each taken for six (6) semesters)	6
TPP 3155	Acting II +	3
TPP 4113	Acting III +	3
TPP 3221	Audition Techniques +	3
TPP 3121	Acting Improvisation +	3
Choose one of the following:		3
TPA 3064	Scene Design I +	
TPA 4045	Costume Design I +	
TPA 3022	Lighting Design I +	

Total Hours 25

Major Related Electives

3000/4000 Level Advisor Approved Major Related Electives 10

Total Hours 10

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MAC 1140	Precalculus Algebra
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ANT 2100	Introduction to Archaeology
ANT 2400	Current Cultural Issues
CCJ 2002	Survey of Crime and Justice
COM 2023	Death and Communication
CPO 2002	Comparative Politics
DEP 2004	Human Development Across the Lifespan
EUH 1000	Western Perspectives I
EUH 1001	Western Perspectives II
FIN 2104	Personal Financial Planning
GEA 2000	Nations and Regions of the World
GEB 1011	Introduction to Business
HIS 2050	Explore! History
IDH 1041	Honors Core 2
INR 2002	International Politics
MMC 2000	Principles of Mass Communication
PLA 2013	Survey of American Law
SOW 2192	Understanding Relationships in the 21st Century

SPM 2010	Sport in Global Society
SYG 2010	Current Social Problems

Humanities

Choose one course from Group A and one additional course from either Group A or Group B 6

Group A

ARH 1000	Art Appreciation
LIT 2000	Introduction to Literature
MUL 2010	Music Appreciation
PHI 2010	Introduction to Philosophy
THE 2000	Theatre Appreciation

Group B

AML 2010	American Literature I
AML 2020	American Literature II
AML 2072	Sex, Money, and Power in American Literature
ARH 2050	Western Survey I: Prehistory to the Medieval Period
ARH 2051	Western Survey II: Renaissance to Contemporary
ART 1015C	Exploring Artistic Vision
ART 2821	The Self, Creativity, Your Career and Visual Culture
CRW 2001	Introduction to Creative Writing
ENL 2010	History of English Literature I
ENL 2020	History of English Literature II
IDH 1040	Honors Core 1
LIT 2030	Introduction to Poetry
MUH 2930	The Music Experience: Special Topics
PHI 2103	Critical Thinking
PHI 2603	Ethics in Contemporary Society
REL 1300	World Religions
SPC 2608	Basic Communication Skills
THE 2300	Survey of Dramatic Literature

Natural Sciences

Choose one course from Group A and one additional course from either Group A or Group B 6

Group A

AST 1002	Descriptive Astronomy
BSC 1005	General Biology for Non-Majors *
BSC 1085	Anatomy and Physiology I *
BSC 2010	Biology I
CHM 1020	Concepts in Chemistry *
CHM 2045	General Chemistry I *
ESC 2000	Introduction to Earth Science *
EVR 2001	Introduction to Environmental Science
PHY 1020	Conceptual Physics
PHY 2048	Calculus-Based Physics I *,**
PHY 2048C	Calculus-Based Physics I Studio ***
PHY 2053	Algebra-Based Physics I *,**

Group B

ANT 2511	Biological Anthropology *
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AST 2037	Life in the Universe	
BOT 2010	General Botany	
BSC 1050	Fundamentals of Ecology	
BSC 1086	Anatomy and Physiology II *	
BSC 2011	Biology II	
BSC 2311	Introduction to Oceanography and Marine Biology	
CGS 2020	Introduction to Machine Learning	
CHM 2046	General Chemistry II *	
CIS 2530	Introduction to Cybersecurity	
GLY 2010	Physical Geology *	
MCB 1000	Fundamentals of Microbiology *	
PHC 2082	Informatics and Your Health	
PHY 2049	Calculus-Based Physics II *, **	
PHY 2054	Algebra-Based Physics II *, **	

* May be taken with or without lab.

** Algebra-Based Physics is usually recommended for non-science majors, while Calculus-Based Physics is recommended for science majors

*** Although students receive 5 semester hours credit for PHY 2048C, an additional 3 semester science course will be needed to meet General Education requirements.

General Education Electives

Choose an additional course from two of the three areas of Humanities, Social Sciences, and Natural Sciences

Multicultural Requirement

Multicultural Courses

An important component of a liberal education is the study of cultures other than one's own. As such, multiculturalism encompasses the appreciation of the values, expressions, and modes of organization of diverse cultural communities. To further such study, the University of West Florida requires all students pursuing a bachelor's degree to complete at least one course that explores one or more of the dimensions of another culture (language, religion, socio-economic structures, etc.). Students are exempt from this requirement if they have completed an A.A. degree, the general education program at a Florida public institution, or a baccalaureate degree.

The requirement is satisfied by the successful completion of a multicultural course designated on the following list. Several of the selections are General Education courses, and students may enroll in these to meet both the General Education and the multicultural requirements.

***Passed by UWF Faculty Senate on 11/08/2002*

This list is continually updated and students are encouraged to check with their advisors for alternative options.

AML 2010	American Literature I	3
AML 2020	American Literature II	3
AML 3604	African American Literature	3
AML 3624	Black Women Writers	3
AML 4015	Topics in Nineteenth-Century American Literature	3
AML 4640	Topics in Native American Literature	3
ANT 1001	Anthropology as a Profession	1

ANT 2000	Introduction to Anthropology	3
ANT 2301	Human Sexuality and Culture	3
ANT 3212	Peoples and Cultures of the World	3
ANT 3312	North American Indians	3
ANT 3363	Japanese Culture	3
ANT 3403	Cultural Ecology	3
ANT 4006	Anthropology of Human Rights	3
ANT 4025	Ritual Use of Human Remains	3
ANT 4516	Modern Human Physical Variation	3
ARH 1000	Art Appreciation	3
ARH 2050	Western Survey I: Prehistory to the Medieval Period	3
ARH 2051	Western Survey II: Renaissance to Contemporary	3
ARH 3590	Non-Western Art	3
ARH 3607	Native American Art	3
ARH 4302	Late Renaissance Art in Italy	3
ARH 4412	The Age of Revolution to Romanticism in Europe: 1750-1850	3
ARH 4450	Modern Art: 1850-1980	3
ARH 4470	Contemporary Art	3
ARH 4563	Art of Japan	3
CCJ 3678	Race, Gender, Ethnicity, and Crime	3
COM 3014	Gender Communication	3
COM 3461	Intercultural Communication	3
COM 4242	Communication and Christianity	3
CPO 2002	Comparative Politics	3
CPO 4792	Geopolitics	3
CRW 2001	Introduction to Creative Writing	3
EDF 2085	Teaching Diverse Populations	3
ENG 4013	Introduction to Literary Theory	3
ENL 2020	History of English Literature II	3
EUH 1000	Western Perspectives I	3
EUH 1001	Western Perspectives II	3
EUH 3203	Modern Europe	3
EUH 3334	Emperors, Sultans, Dictators, and Democrats: The Balkans	3
EUH 3411	Rome and the Mediterranean World	3
EUH 3576	Soviet Union since 1917	3
EUH 4563	The Other Germany: The Lands of the Austrian Monarchy, 1526-1918	3
FRE 4955	Supervised Foreign Language Field Experience Abroad	1-3
GEA 2000	Nations and Regions of the World	3
GEB 4361	International Business	3
GEO 3421	Cultural Geography	3
GEO 3471	Geography of World Affairs	3
HIS 2050	Explore! History	3
HIS 4262	Rise and Fall of the Portuguese Empire	3
IDH 1040	Honors Core 1	3
IDH 1041	Honors Core 2	3
INR 2002	International Politics	3
LAH 4135	Spanish Conquest of the Americas	3

LAH 4131	'Atlantic Indians': How Indigenous and African Peoples Shaped Europe & the Americas	3
LAH 4451	Greater Mexico: Central America from Conquest to the 20th Century	3
LAH 4728	Gender and Sexuality in Latin America from Colonization to Today	3
LIT 2000	Introduction to Literature	3
LIT 2030	Introduction to Poetry	3
LIT 3233	Postcolonial Literature	3
LIT 4036	Topics in Poetry and Poetics	3
LIT 4385	Feminist Theory	3
MAN 4102	Management of Diversity	3
MAR 4156	Seminar in International Marketing	3
MMC 3743	Communicating Fear: Horror Films and Popular Culture	3
MMC 3745	Communicating Fear Abroad: International Horror Films & Popular Culture	3
MUH 2930	The Music Experience: Special Topics	3
MUL 2010	Music Appreciation	3
NUR 4615	Community and Public Health Nursing	3
NUR 4636	Population-based Public Health Nursing	3
PHI 3790	African Philosophy	3
PUR 3404	International Public Relations	3
PSY 3860	Positive Psychology	3
SOP 3730	Psychology, Culture, and Society	3
SOW 4233	Human Diversity and Social Justice	3
SPN 3400	Advanced Stylistics	3
SPN 4520	Latin American Culture and Civilization	3
SYO 4421	Sociology of Health, Illness and Health Care	3
SYO 4530	Inequality in America	3

Civic Literacy Requirement

The 2017 Florida Legislature amended [Section 1007.25, Florida Statutes](#), to require students *initially entering a State University System (SUS) and/or Florida College System (FCS) institution in 2018-2019* and thereafter to demonstrate competency in civic literacy.

The 2021 Legislature further amended Florida Statutes, requiring students to complete both a civic literacy course and exam. As a result, there are three cohorts of students currently matriculating at Florida public institutions subject to varying requirements. As demonstrated in the table below, the exact civic literacy requirements are based on the academic term in which a student first enrolled in a Florida public institution.

Students Included in Cohort	Civic Literacy Competency Requirement
Cohort 1: Students first entering the SUS or FCS prior to fall 2018	None
Cohort 2: Students first entering the SUS or FCS in fall 2018 – summer A 2021	Complete a course or exam
Cohort 3: Students first entering the SUS or FCS in summer B 2021 (on or after July 1, 2021) and thereafter	Complete both a course and exam

Additionally, the 2021 Legislature made two additional exceptions: approving the use of accelerated mechanisms for meeting the course competency requirement and exempting high school students who pass the Florida Civic Literacy Exam in high school from the postsecondary exam requirement. These two changes are in effect for Cohort 3.

There are multiple ways to satisfy this requirement. Students should work with their academic advisor to determine which option is best for their degree requirements/degree plan.

Additional information can be found on our [Civic Literacy](#) website.

[*BOG 8.006; s.1007.25\(4,a-b\)](#)

Common Prerequisites

State-mandated common prerequisites must be completed prior to graduation, but are not required for admission to the program. See the [Common Prerequisite Manual](#) for course substitutions from Florida colleges and universities.

THE 2000	Theatre Appreciation *	3
THE 2300	Survey of Dramatic Literature *	3
THE 2925	Play Production	1
TPA 2200+L	Technical Theatre (+Lab)	4
THE, TPA, TPP prefix lower division electives		9
Chose one of the following:		1-3
TPP 2110	Acting I	
	or TPP 2190	Rehearsal and Performance

Total Hours **21-23**

* Indicates common prerequisites which can be used to satisfy General Education requirements.

Lower Division Electives

Students must complete sufficient 1000/2000 level electives to satisfy at least 60 sh in the lower division. Current UWF students may use elective courses at any level (1000-4000) to meet this elective requirement.

Total Hours **10-12**

Theatre Core

TPA 2248	Introduction to Stage Makeup	3
TPP 3650	Script Analysis ⁺	3
TPP 3310	Play Directing ⁺	3
THE 3112	History of Theatre I ⁺	3
THE 3113	History of Theatre II ⁺	3
THE 3306	Dramatic Literature II ⁺	3
THE 3092	Theatrical Production & Performance (Must be taken 4 times) ⁺	4
THE 4970	Senior Project ⁺	3

Total Hours **25**

Design Technology Specialization

TPA 3004L	Drawing for the Stage (Must be taken 4 times)	4
TPA 3905	Directed Study (Design II) ⁺	3
Choose one of the following:		3
THE 4260	Costume History ⁺	
THE 3283	Architecture and Decor ⁺	

Chose two of the following:	6
TPA 3064 Scene Design I ⁺	
TPA 4045 Costume Design I ⁺	
TPA 3022 Lighting Design I ⁺	
Choose two of the following:	6
TPA 3230 Costume Construction ⁺	
TPA 3601 Stage Management ⁺	
TPA 4077 Scene Painting ⁺	
TPA 4504 Performing Arts Administration ⁺	
Total Hours	22

Major Related Electives

3000/4000 Level Advisor Approved Major Related Electives	10
Total Hours	10

Theatre

The Minor in Theatre requires 21 sh of theatre courses, which must include:

- 2 sh of Theatrical Production and Performance Laboratory
- One acting course
- Technical Theatre + lab
- 12 sh of approved upper division theatre courses

TPP XXXX Acting Course	3
THE 3092 Theatrical Production & Performance	2
TPA 2200 Technical Theatre	3
TPA 2290L Technical Theatre Laboratory	1
3000/4000 Level Advisor Approved Electives	12
Total Hours	21

A grade of "C" or higher is required in all courses in the minor. The minor must be declared prior to the completion of two courses. Theatre majors may not earn this minor.