

Southwest Minnesota State University BA in Entertainment and Theatre Arts

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Example 4-year plan for students entering in an odd-even academic year (2027-2028, 2029-2030, etc.):

1st year (2027-2028, 2029-2030, etc.)

<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>
• THTR 242 Stage Makeup I • THTR 250 Lighting and Sound Design I • THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • ENG 151 Academic Writing • LEP 101 First Year Seminar Total: 14 credits	• THTR 265 Stage Management I or THTR 244 Costume History and Design I • THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • THTR 320 The KCACTF Experience or THTR 325 Master Class*** • COMM 110 Essentials of Public Presentations • 2 MnTC Goal courses Total: 14-15 credits

2nd year (2028-2029, 2030-2031, etc.)

<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>
• THTR 140 Stagecraft I • THTR 230 Script Analysis I • THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • ENG 251 Writing in Professions • 1-2 MnTC Goal courses Total: 13-16 credits	• THTR 101 Acting I • THTR 243 Costume Construction I • THTR 245 Scenic Design I • 2 MnTC Goal courses Total: 15 credits

3rd year (2029-2030, 2031-2032, etc.)

<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>
• THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • THTR 342 Acting Styles & Techniques • 2 MnTC Goal courses • 300-400 level electives (at least 6 credits) Total: 15-16 credits	• THTR 265 Stage Management I or THTR 244 Costume History and Design I • THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • THTR 320 The KCACTF Experience or THTR 325 Master Class or THTR 495 Field Experience *** • THTR 350 Directing I • 2 MnTC Goal courses Total: 15 credits

4th year (2030-2031, 2032-2033, etc.)

<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>
• THTR 430 Senior Project • THTR 435 Theatre History I • THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • MnTC Goal course • 300-400 level elective (at least 6 credits) Total: 15-16 credits	• THTR 440 Theatre History II • 2 MnTC Goal courses • Electives as needed (to complete 40 upper division credits at the 300-400 level required for graduation and 120 total credits total) Total: 14-16 credits

** 6 credits of Theatre Activity to complete degree, no more than 3 credits from any one course

*** 4 credits of THTR 320, THTR 325, and/or THTR 495 to complete degree

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Example 4-year plan for students entering in an even-odd academic year (2028-2029, 2030-2031, etc.):

1st year (2026-2027, 2028-2029, etc.)

<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>
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2nd year (2027-2028, 2029-2030, etc.)

<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>
• THTR 242 Stage Makeup I • THTR 250 Lighting and Sound Design I • THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • ENG 151 Academic Writing • LEP 101 First Year Seminar Total: 14 credits	• THTR 265 Stage Management I or THTR 244 Costume History and Design I • THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • THTR 320 The KCACTF Experience or THTR 325 Master Class*** • COMM 110 Essentials of Public Presentations • 2 MnTC Goal courses Total: 14-15 credits

3rd year (2028-2029, 2030-2031, etc.)

<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>
• THTR 435 Theatre History I • THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • 2 MnTC Goal courses • 300-400 level elective (at least 6 credits) Total: 16 credits	• THTR 440 Theatre History II • 2 MnTC Goal courses • Electives as needed (to complete 40 upper division credits at the 300-400 level required for graduation and 120 total credits total) Total: 14-16 credits

4th year (2029-2030, 2031-2032, etc.)

<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>
• THTR 430 Senior Project • THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • THTR 342 Acting Styles & Techniques • MnTC Goal course • 300-400 level electives (at least 6 credits) Total: 16 credits	• THTR 265 Stage Management I or THTR 244 Costume History and Design I • THTR 301 or 302 Theatre Activity** • THTR 320 The KCACTF Experience or THTR 325 Master Class or THTR 495 Field Experience *** • THTR 350 Directing I • 2 MnTC Goal courses Total: 15 credits

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