

Roadmap: Theatre Studies - Musical Theatre - Bachelor of Fine Arts

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Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Min. Grade	Important Notes		
Semester One: [16 Credit Hours]						
THEA 21306 Musical Theatre Performance I	3			Course repeated for 6 credit hours total		
ENG 11011 College Writing I or LER Humanities or Fine Arts	3			Enrollment based on placement tests; fulfills LER Composition		
MUS 36311 Applied Music-Voice	2			Course repeated for 8 credit hours total		
THEA 11000 The Art of the Theatre	3			Fulfills global diversity course requirement		
THEA 11522 Introductory Lighting or THEA 11524 Introductory Costuming or THEA 11622 Introductory Scenery	3			Two of three courses must be taken in year 1		
US 10097 Destination Kent State: FYE	1			Not required for transfer students with 25 credits		
Dance Elective (lower or upper division)	1			Chosen with advisor based on placement		
Semester Two: [17-19 Credit Hours]						
MUS 11121 Theory	3			Enrollment based on placement tests		
THEA 11522 Introductory Lighting or THEA 11524 Introductory Costuming or THEA 11622 Introductory Scenery	3			Select course not taken earlier		
THEA 21303 Acting Process	3					
Vocal Ensemble Course	1			See 1 on page 3		
LER Humanities or Fine Arts or ENG 11011 College Writing II	3			Should fulfill domestic diversity requirement; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" and "diversity" for course lists		
LER Mathematics and Critical Reasoning	3-5			Enrollment based on placement test		
Dance Elective (lower or upper division)	1			Chosen with advisor based on placement		
Semester Three: [17 Credit Hours]						
MUS 11122 Theory	3			Enrollment based on placement tests		
THEA 21111 Script Analysis	3					
THEA 21306 Musical Theatre Performance I	3			Course repeated for 6 credit hours total		
ENG 21011 College Writing II or LER Social Sciences	3			Fulfills LER Composition		
MUS 36311 Applied Music-Voice	2			Course repeated for 8 credit hours total		
LER Social Sciences	3			Should fulfill domestic diversity requirement if not satisfied earlier; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" and "diversity" for course lists		
Semester Four: [15-16 Credit Hours]						
Required: minimum 2.50 GPA						
MUS 17111 Piano Class	1			Enrollment based on placement tests		
THEA 31303 Character and Scene Study I	3					
Vocal Ensemble Course	1			See 1 on page 3		
LER Basic Sciences	2-3			Chould fulfill domestic diversity requirement if		
LER Basic Sciences Laboratory	1			Should fulfill domestic diversity requirement if not satisfied earlier; visit www.kent.edu/catalog		
LER Social Sciences or ENG 21011 College Writing II	3			and search "LER" and "diversity" for course li		
Dance Elective (lower or upper division)	1			Chosen with advisor based on placement		
Guided Elective (lower or upper division)	3			See note 2 on page 3		



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Semester Five: [16 Credit Hours]				
MUS 17112 Piano Class	1			Enrollment based on placement tests
THEA 31112 History of Theatre and Drama I	3			Offered in fall only
THEA 31304 Character and Scene Study II	3	-		
THEA 41307 Musical Theatre Performance II	3			Course repeated for 6 credit hours total
LER Fine Arts	3			Visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" for course list
Dance Elective (lower or upper division)	3			Chosen with advisor based on placement
Semester Six: [17 Credit Hours]				
Required: minimum 2.50 GPA				
THEA 22092 Practicum I: Design and Technology	3			
THEA 31113 History of Theatre and Drama II	3	-		Offered in spring only
MUS 36311 Applied Music-Voice	2	-		Course repeated for 8 credit hours total
LER Additional	3			Should fulfill domestic diversity requirement if
LER Basic Sciences	3			not satisfied earlier; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" and "diversity" for course lists
Guided Elective (lower or upper division)	3			See note 2 on page 3
Semester Seven: [16 Credit Hours]			,	
THEA 31114 History of Theatre and Drama III	3			Offered in fall only
THEA 41307 Musical Theatre Performance II	3			Course repeated for 6 credit hours total
THEA 42192 Practicum II: Performance	3	-		
LER Additional	3			Should fulfill domestic diversity requirement if not satisfied earlier; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" and "diversity" for course lists
Dance Elective (lower or upper division)	1			Chosen with advisor based on placement
Guided Elective (upper division)	3			See note 2 on page 3
Semester Eight: [15 Credit Hours]	_			
DAN 47163 Dance History II or THEA 41026 Playwriting or THEA 41110 Theatre Criticism	3	•	С	Fulfills writing-intensive course requirement
MUS 36311 Applied Music-Voice	2	•		Course repeated for 8 credit hours total
LER Humanities	3			Should fulfill domestic diversity requirement if not satisfied earlier; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" and "diversity" for course lists
Dance Elective (lower or upper division)	1			Chosen with advisor based on placement
Guided Electives (lower or upper division)	6			See note 2 on page 3

Graduation Requirements Summary

Total Hours	Upper-	Liberal Education	Diversity Course	Writing-Intensive	Minimum			
	Division Hours	Requirements Hours	Global / Domestic	writing-intensive	Major GPA	Overall GPA		
129	39	36	THEA 11000 / LER	DAN 47163 or THEA 41026 or THEA 41110	2.00	2.25		



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Note 1: Vocal ensemble course (2 credit hours), choose from the following:

MUS 45121 Kent Chorus	1	MUS 45143 Women's Chorus	1
MUS 45141 Kent State University Chorale	1	MUS 45151 Kent State University Gospel Choir	1
MUS 45142 Men's Chorus	1		

Note 2: Guided electives (15 credit hours), choose from the following: (chosen in consultation with program coordinator)

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2	MUS 47311 Voice Class	1
2	THEA 21016 Makeup for Stage and Screen	3
2	THEA 21700 Movement I	3
2	THEA 21800 Voice I	3
2	THEA 31701 Movement II	3
3	THEA 31801 Voice II	3
3	THEA 41095 Special Topics	1-3
1	THEA 41701 Advanced Movement I	3
1	THEA 41801 Advanced Voice and Speech I	3
2	THEA 42192 Practicum II: Performance	3-6
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Additional Note for the BA Theatre Studies-Musical Theatre program:

- Students are required to audition for all theatre division mainstage productions and accept roles if cast.
- Students must pass annual evaluations reviews to remain in the program.
- Students on academic probation may not participate in School of Theatre and Dance productions. Students may be dropped from the program for failure to maintain a 2.50 GPA.

Liberal Education Requirements (LER)

Students must complete a minimum 36 credit hours of Liberal Education Requirements. Colleges or degree programs may specify certain courses to fulfill the requirements. Courses in the students' major field will not count toward the completion of any LER. Honors equivalents shall satisfy the LER. None of the courses on the LER list may be taken with a pass/fail grade.

Diversity Course Requirement

Students must complete a two-course diversity requirement, consisting of one with a domestic focus and one with a global focus. One course must be come from the LER and cannot be in the student's major. The second course may be taken as a second LER; or within a major or minor; or as a general elective; or, with dean's approval, by completing one semester of study in another country.

Writing-Intensive Course Requirement

Students must complete a one-course writing-intensive requirement in their major and earn minimum C (2.00) grade.

Upper-Division Requirement

In general, baccalaureate programs require the successful completion of at least 39 upper-division (numbered 30000 to 49999) credit hours of coursework. Programs in the College of Arts and Sciences require a minimum of 42 hours of upper-division coursework.