



Associate in Arts (AA) to BFA Theatre Arts, Theatre for Youth

The sequence below is contingent on the student completing the AA degree from a college in the North Carolina Community College System.

	ECU Course	ECU S.H.	NCCS S.H.	NCCCS Course Equivalent
Freshman Year				
Fall Semester	COAD 1xxx	1	1	ACA 122
	ENGL 1100 (WI) ¹	3	3	ENG 111
	Math	3 or 4	3 or 4	UGETC Course
	Social Science	3	3	UGETC Course
	CAA Premajor/Elective <i>HLTH 1000/KINE 1000 Rec.²</i>	3	3	CAA Premajor/Elective <i>HEA 110²</i>
	Total:	13 or 14	13 or 14	
Spring Semester	Humanities/Fine Arts	3	3	UGETC Course
	Social Science	3	3	UGETC Course
	Natural Sciences	4	4	UGETC Course
	CAA GEN ED	6	6	CAA GEN ED
	Total:	16	16	
Sophomore Year				
Fall Semester	ENGL 2201 (WI) ¹	3	3	ENG 112
	Social Science	3	3	UGETC Course
	Humanities/Fine Arts	3	3	UGETC Course
	CAA GEN ED	3	3	CAA GEN ED
	CAA Premajor/Elective <i>THEA 1010 Rec.³</i>	3	3	CAA Premajor/Elective <i>DRA 130³</i>
	Total:	15	15	
Spring Semester	Humanities/Fine Arts	3	3	UGETC Course
	CAA GEN ED	4 or 5	4 or 5	CAA GEN ED
	CAA Premajor/Elective <i>THEA 2015 Rec.³</i>	3	3	CAA Premajor/Elective <i>DRA 120³</i>
	CAA Premajor/Elective <i>THEA 1020 Rec.³</i>	3	3	CAA Premajor/Elective <i>DRA 131³</i>
	CAA Premajor/Elective	2	2	CAA Premajor/Elective
	Total:	15 or 16	15 or 16	
Junior Year				
Fall Semester	THEA or DNCE Elective	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 2001/2011	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 2006	2	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 2017	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 2018	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 2035 (WI) ¹	3	-	No Equivalent
	Total:	17	0	
Spring Semester	THEA Approved Electives ⁴	6	-	No Equivalent
	THEA or DNCE Electives	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 2002/2012	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 2075	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 3015	3	-	No Equivalent

	Total:	18	0	
Summer Terms				
Summer Terms	THEA or DNCE Electives	6	-	No Equivalent
	Total:	6	0	
Senior Year				
Fall Semester	THEA Approved Electives ⁴	6	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 3030	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 3300 (WI) ¹	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 4030	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 4140	3	-	No Equivalent
	Total:	18	0	
Spring Semester	THEA 2003	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 3031	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 3032	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 4066	3	-	No Equivalent
	THEA 4141	3	-	No Equivalent
	Total:	15	0	

Minimum S.H. Required for Degree 120

The Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre Arts requires a minimum of 120 semester hours. ECU requires a minimum 2.0 overall GPA and a minimum 2.0 major GPA for graduation. Theatre Arts majors must attain a minimum grade of C- in all required theatre courses. Admission to the Musical Theatre, Professional Actor Training, and Theatre for Youth concentrations are by adjudication. Visit the School of Theatre and Dance website for more details: <https://theatredance.ecu.edu/>.

¹Students enrolling at ECU must fulfill the writing across the curriculum requirement prior to graduation. To do so, each student must complete a minimum of 12 semester hours of writing intensive (WI) courses, including ENGL 1100 and ENGL 2201; at least 3 semester hours of WI courses in the major; and any other 3 semester hours WI course of the student's choice.

²Students who have successfully completed HEA 110 since the Fall 2016 term will earn ECU credit for both HLTH 1000 (2 hours) and KINE 1000 (1 hour). Students who completed HEA 110 prior to the Fall 2016 term and who have not also taken PED 110 will be responsible for meeting the Health-Related Physical Activity Competency component of the ECU General Education Program to meet degree requirements.

NOTE: Completion of a 3 s.h. Global Diversity course and a 3 s.h. Domestic Diversity course are requirements of all ECU degrees. These courses can coincide with other General Education or Major courses. A list of all courses approved to meet the Global and Domestic Diversity requirement can be found in the University catalog: <http://catalog.ecu.edu>, click on the "Courses" link.

³If DRA 120, 130, and/or 131 are not offered at the NC Community College, student should submit an admissions application to ECU for the summer term and these courses should be completed at ECU prior to the start of the Junior Year.

⁴Choose 12 s.h. from the following: THEA 2010, 2020, 3010, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3050, 4018, 4040, or 4065

This plan reflects the degree program's requirements published in the 2019-2020 university catalog. All guides are meant as an example of how a degree can be completed. Course availability, prior credit, course prerequisites, major requirements, and student needs must be considered in developing an individual academic pathway.

Key: The Transfer Course List can be found at: [NC Transfer Course List](#)

UGETC - Universal General Education Transfer Component courses

CAA GEN ED - Additional General Education Hours (AA requires 13-14 hours; AS requires 11 hours)

Pre-Major/Elective - Courses classified as pre-major, electives, or general education courses within the CAA, of which ACA 122 is required