Baccalaureate Degree Plan
Associate in Science (AS) to BFA Theatre Arts Education

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

NC Community College First Year			
Fall Semester			
NCCCS Course	**NCCC s.h..**	**ECU Course Equivalent**	**ECU s.h.**
ENG 111	3	ENGL 1100 (WI)[1]	3
PSY 150-UGETC Social Science	3	PSYC 1000	3
UGETC Mathematics Course	4	General Education Course	4
CAA GEN ED Course	3	General Education Course	3
HEA 110[2] -CAA Premajor/Elective	3	HLTH 1000/KINE 1000 [2]	3
ACA 122-CAA Premajor/Elective	1	COAD 1xxx (Elective Credit)	1
Total:	17		17
Spring Semester			
UGETC Humanities/Fine Arts Course	3	General Education Course	3
UGETC Natural Sciences Course	4	General Education Course	4
SOC 210-UGETC Social Science	3	SOCI 2110 (DD)[4]	3
CIS 110-CAA GEN ED	3	MIS 2223	3
DRA 120[3]-CAA Premajor/Elective	3	THEA 2015	3
Total:	16		16
NC Community College Second Year			
Fall Semester			
NCCCS Course	**NCCC s.h..**	**ECU Course Equivalent**	**ECU s.h.**
ENG 112	3	ENGL 2201 (WI)[1]	3
UGETC Humanities/Fine Arts Course	3	General Education Course	3
Recommended: ART 111		*ART 1910 (GD)[4]*	
UGETC Mathematics Course	4	General Education Course	4
DRA 130[3]-CAA Premajor/Elective	3	THEA 1010	3
DRA 140[3]-CAA Premajor/Elective	3	THEA 2001/2011	3
Total:	16		16
Spring Semester			
UGETC Natural Sciences Course	4	General Education Course	4
CAA GEN ED Courses	5	General Education Courses	5
DRA 131[3]-CAA Premajor/Elective	3	THEA 1020	3
DRA 141[3]-CAA Premajor/Elective	3	THEA 2002/2012	3
Total:	15		15

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 (ACA 122 is required)

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

[2]Students 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.

ECU Junior Year				
Fall Semester			**Spring Semester**	
3 s.h. of Ballet, Tap, Jazz, or Contemporary Dance Technique or THEA 2017	3		EDUC 3200 (WI)[1]	3
EDTC 4001	2		EDUC 4400 or PSYC 4305	3
THEA 2006	2		THEA 2075	3
THEA 2035 (WI)[1]	3		THEA 3003, 3004 or 3007	3
THEA 2123	1		THEA 3035	3
THEA 3015	3			
Total:	**14**		**Total:**	**15**
ECU Senior Year				
Fall Semester			**Spring Semester**	
THEA 3003, 3004 or 3007	3		SPED 4010	2
THEA 3030	3		THEA 3300	3
THEA 4040	3		THEA 4030	3
THEA 4065	3		THEA 4041	3
THEA 4323	3		THEA 4066	3
Total:	**15**		**Total:**	**14**
ECU Supplemental Term				
READ 3990	2		THEA 4324	10
THEA 4325	1			
Total: 13				

[3]If DRA 120, 130, 131, 140, and/or 141 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.

Minimum Credit Hours Required for Graduation: **120**

The Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre Arts Education requires a minimum of 120 semester hours. ECU requires a minimum 2.0 overall GPA and a minimum 2.0 major GPA for graduation. Students interested in this program should contacte the department chairperson prior to enrollment. Students are admitted to the program by jury audition or portfolio, writing sample, and interview.

For more information, visit the School of Theatre and Dance website: **Theatre Arts Education Program**

[4]NOTE: Completion of a 3 s.h. Global Diversity (GD) course and a 3 s.h. Domestic Diversity (DD) course are requirements of all ECU degrees. Though not required for transfer, recommended or required courses marked with GD or DD above should satisfy the requirement; students may choose other courses in these recommended areas. 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.

This plan reflects the degree program's requirements published in the 2022-2023 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. Following the Baccalaureate Degree Plan does not guarantee admission to ECU or guarantee an AS or BFA degree will be conferred. Students should seek academic advising to determine the best course of study to meet educational goals and degree requirements.

Please refer to the East Carolina University Admissions website for more information on admission and transfer of credits.

NOTE: Credit will only be awarded for transferable courses for which a grade of C (2.0) or better is earned.