THEATRE COMPREHENSIVE MAJOR: PERFORMANCE EMPHASIS

A minimum of 51 credits is required, including the Capstone course, Senior Thesis Show:

Code	Title	Credits
THTR 101	Introduction to Theatre (GT-AH1)	3
THTR 200	Dramatic Literature and Script Analysis	3
THTR 201	Stagecraft I	3
THTR 202	Western Theatre Company	3
THTR 205	Introduction to Acting	3
THTR 306	Scriptwriting	3
THTR 307	Studies in Theatre	3
THTR 308	The Business of Theatre	3
THTR 340	Stage Management	3
THTR 423	Directing	3
THTR 450	Senior Thesis Show	3
Complete at least six credits of the following:		6
THTR 301	Stagecraft II	
THTR 305	Acting II: Shakespeare	
THTR 307	Studies in Theatre (can be taken twice)	
THTR 406	Scriptwriting II	
Complete twelve credits of the following:		12
COM 150	Public Speaking	
FILM 119	Introduction to Film	
FILM 352	Advanced Cinema Studies	
THTR 325	Acting III: Scene Study	
THTR 355	Acting for the Camera	
MUS 100	Fundamentals of Music (GT-AH1)	
MUS 104	Concert Choir	
MUS 173	Piano class	
MUS 174	Piano Class	
SA 400	Immersive Experience in the Arts	
Total Credits		**51**

The following course in the Theatre Major fulfills the capstone requirement: THTR 450 Senior Thesis Show

Western Watershed General Education Requirements

Students must complete all Western Watershed General Education requirements to graduate.

Graduation Requirements

Undergraduate programs require a minimum of 120 semester credits for graduation. Of those 120 credits, 40 credits must be in upper-division courses (those marked 300 and above). Fifteen of these 40 upper-division credits must be earned in courses that are part of the standard or comprehensive major program being pursued.

Students are expected to review all graduation requirements, which can be found in the Western Undergraduate Catalog: Graduation Requirements (https://catalog.western.edu/undergraduate/graduation-requirements/).

Degree Plans are for planning purposes. They reflect a suggested plan to complete the degree in a projected timeframe per program of study.

“Western Watershed Course(s)” refers to a course from the Tributaries area of the Western Watershed program. These courses should be chosen in consultation with the student’s advisor.

Course	Title	Credits
Year One		
Fall		
ENG 102	Writing and Rhetoric I (GT-CO1) (Western Watershed Fundamental Skills - Writing I)	3
THTR 101	Introduction to Theatre (GT-AH1)	3
Western Watershed	Western Watershed GE course	3
Western Watershed	Western Watershed GE course	3
WWGE 101/102/103/104	Headwaters (select one)	2
MATH 105 or MATH 140	Mathematics for the Liberal Arts (GT-MA1) (Western Watershed Fundamental Skills - Mathematics) or College Algebra (GT-MA1)	3
	Credits	**17**
Spring		
ENG 103	Writing and Rhetoric II (GT-CO2) (Western Watershed Fundamental Skills - Writing II)	3
THTR 200	Dramatic Literature and Script Analysis	3
THTR 205	Introduction to Acting	3
Western Watershed	Western Watershed GE course	3
Western Watershed	Western Watershed GE course	3
	Credits	**15**
Year Two		
Fall		
THTR 201	Stagecraft I	3
THTR 202	Western Theatre Company	3
THTR 307	Studies in Theatre	3
Western Watershed	Western Watershed GE course	3
Western Watershed	Western Watershed GE course	3
	Credits	**15**
Spring		
THTR 301 or THTR 305	Stagecraft II or Acting II: Shakespeare	3
THTR 308	The Business of Theatre	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Western Watershed	Western Watershed GE course	3
	Credits	**15**
Year Three		
Fall		
THTR 306	Scriptwriting	3
THTR 340	Stage Management	3
THTR 325	Acting III: Scene Study	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Elective	Performance elective course	3
	Credits	**15**
Spring		
THTR 355	Acting for the Camera	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Elective	Performance elective course	3

WWGE 301/302/303/304	Delta course	1
	Credits	**16**
Year Four		
Fall		
THTR 423	Directing	3
THTR 406 or THTR 307	Scriptwriting II or Studies in Theatre	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Elective	Performance elective course	3
	Credits	**15**
Spring		
THTR 450	Senior Thesis Show	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Elective	Elective course	3
Elective	Performance elective course	3
	Credits	**15**
	Total Credits	**123**

Western is committed to doing our part to provide each student a clear path to graduation. This four#year degree plan is a sample map for fulfilling requirements in the major and General Education. The pathway that you take to your degree may differ somewhat from this illustration, depending on where you start and the detours and side trips you may take along the way. You are responsible for ensuring your overall, upper division, and major#specific credits as well as GPA requirements are fulfilled for graduation.