

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Acting
2008-2009 Old Dominion University Catalog

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Students earning the AS, AA, or AA&S (or university parallel) degree from a Virginia Community College automatically satisfy the lower division general education requirements. **General Education courses marked with * require a grade of C or better to transfer. The remaining lower division courses are automatically satisfied by the AS (including foreign language), regardless of the grade earned.**

Additionally, courses in which a grade of C- or below was earned will not transfer. Therefore Community College degree holders who meet the General Education requirements may require additional credits to meet the 120 credit hour graduation minimum. **(AS=Associate degree)**

Entrance Writing Sample Placement Test: _____

LOWER DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION

A. Skills *VCCS Equivalent*
Written Communication _____ 3 ENG 111
 (Grade of C required in _____ 3 ENG 112
 ENGL 110 and ENGL 111 before declaring major)
Oral Communication _____ 3 CTS 131,132
 (Satisfied by THEA 242)
Mathematics _____ 3 Select 1 course
 MATH 101M, 102M, 162M, or STAT 130M [from transfer guide](#)

Foreign Language _____ 0-6 [transfer guide](#)
 (Satisfied by 3 years one language of 2 languages in High school)
Computer Skills _____ 3 Select 1 course
 CS 101D, CS 149D, or OTS 251D [from transfer guide](#)

B. Perspectives

Fine and Performing Arts _____ 3 _____
 satisfied by DANC 185A in the major

History _____ 3 Select 2 courses
 HIST 101H, 102H, 103H, 104H _____ 3 [from transfer guide](#)
 or 105H

Literature _____ 3 Select 1 course
 ENGL 112L, 144L, or FLET 100L [from transfer guide](#)

Philosophy _____ 3 Select 1 course
 PHIL 110P, 120P, or 150P [from transfer guide](#)

Natural Science and Technology
 Eight credit hours of Natural Science with labs in sequence.
 Additionally, 3-4 credit hours of Natural Science or Technology
 are required. [Select sequence from transfer guide](#)

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Social Sciences _____ 3 Select 2 courses
 _____ 3 [from transfer guide](#)

ANTR 110S; COMM 200S; CRJS 215S; ECON 200S, 201S, 202S
 GEOG 100S, 101S; POLS 100S, 101S; PSYC 201S, 203S; SOC201S

Admission

Students will be eligible to enter the BFA Acting program after
 Completion of ENGL 110 and 111 with a grade of C or
 better in each. Students will be admitted to the BFA program
 through an audition process administered by the faculty.

Departmental Requirements

Majors must have a C or better in all courses counted toward the
 major. At least one half of the hours completed in the major
 must be completed at Old Dominion University.

Students must audition annually for continuation in the BFA

program in Acting.

DANC 185A Dance & its Audience _____ 3 _____
 THEA 189 Found of Performance _____ 3 CTS 267, SPD 267*
 DANC 211 Modern Dance Tech I _____ 2 DAN 160, PED 160*
 THEA 230 Drama for Production _____ 3 _____
 THEA 242 Acting I _____ 3 CST 131, 132*
 (meets oral communication requirement)
 THEA 244 Intro Production Design* _____ 3 SPD 145,251, 252/
CST 145,240,245 *
 THEA 246 Stage Combat _____ 3 _____
 THEA 248 Intro to Stage Makeup _____ 3 _____
 THEA 320 Auditioning Tech _____ 3 _____
 THEA 342 Acting II _____ 3 _____
 THEA 343 Theatre History I _____ 3 _____
 THEA 344 Theatre History II _____ 3 _____
 THEA 347 Movement for the Actor _____ 3 _____
 THEA 350 The Spoken Text _____ 3 _____
 THEA 360 Voice for the Stage _____ 3 _____
 THEA 368 Internship _____ 1 _____
 THEA 442 Principles of Directing _____ 3 _____
 THEA 443 Acting III _____ 3 _____
 THEA 449W Script&Perf Analysis _____ 3 _____
 THEA 460 Voice for the Stage II _____ 3 _____
 THEA Activities 6 hours required; _____ 6 _____
 4 hours must be earned through performance and 2 must be
 through off stage production participation
 THEA electives _____ 14 _____

Students in the BFA in acting program are expected to attend a
 weekly BFA seminar at the Virginia Stage Company as well as
 other professional opportunities as they arise.
 All acting majors and intended acting majors, as part of their
 degree programs, are required to attend depart sponsored events
 each semester as follows: students taking 12 or more credits in
 one semester—five Performances/Encounters/Strikes per
 semester; less than 12 credits in one semester—three
 Performances/Encounters/Strikes per semester.
 To become a well rounded theatre artist, each acting major
MUST obtain 40 theatre events tickets to graduate. Deficiencies
 must be made up before graduation. These should be logged in
 the students Production Record held with the departmental
 advisor.

UPPER DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION

Option A. Approved Minor, 12-24 hours; also second degree or second major. (Dance education and theatre education majors satisfy this requirement through the Professional Education core requirements.)

Option B. Cluster, 9 hours (3 hours may be in the major area of study.)

Continuance: Student must maintain a grade of 3.0 or better in *THEA 242 Acting I ____3 SPD 131, 132/ CST 131, 132

*THEA 244 ____ 3 SPD 251, 252 145, 240, 245/ CTS 252, 240, 245, 145

all acting core classes and a grade of 2.0 in all University courses. Students must audition annually for continuation in the BFA Acting program.

Graduation: Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 overall and in the major, 121 credit hours, passage of the Exit Examination of Writing Proficiency, and completion of Senior Assessment. At least half of the hours completed in the major must be taken at Old Dominion University.