

2021 - 2022 Old Dominion University Catalog

Bachelor of Arts in Theatre and Dance

Design Technology Major

Sample four year curriculum with a suggested ordering of courses. Students may re-order as needed.

** indicates not automatically waived with transferrable associates degree, C or better required for transfer.*

Courses in green are waived by the completion of an Associate degree (Not eligible for Applied Associate degrees).

YEAR 1 - FRESHMAN (30 CREDITS)

| FALL SEMESTER (15 credits) | VCCS Equivalency: | SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits) | VCCS Equivalency: |
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| ENGL 110C (Grade of C or better required) | ENG 111* | Information Literacy and Research | Transfer Guide |
| Mathematical Skills | Transfer Guide | Language & Culture II | Transfer Guide* |
| Language & Culture I | Transfer Guide* | Literature | Transfer Guide |
| Interpreting the Past | Transfer Guide | THEA 225 | CST 145* |
| DANC/THEA 152R (Satisfies Oral Communication) | CST 131, 132 or 267* | Human Creativity (May not use THEA 241A) | Transfer Guide |

YEAR 2 - SOPHOMORE (32 CREDITS)

| FALL SEMESTER (16 credits) | VCCS Equivalency: | SPRING SEMESTER (16 credits) | VCCS Equivalency: |
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| ENGL 211C (Grade of C or better required) | ENG 112 or 210* | Human Behavior (COMM 200S preferred) | Transfer Guide |
| Language & Culture III | Transfer Guide* | Language & Culture IV | Transfer Guide* |
| Philosophy and Ethics | Transfer Guide | Impact of Technology | Transfer Guide |
| The Nature of Science I | Transfer Guide | The Nature of Science II | Transfer Guide |
| THEA 230 | | THEA 244 | CST 240, 245 or 251* |

YEAR 3 -JUNIOR (32 CREDITS)

| FALL SEMESTER (16 credits) | VCCS Equivalency: | SPRING SEMESTER (16 credits) | VCCS Equivalency: |
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| <u>Major Coursework:</u> | | <u>Major Coursework:</u> | |
| THEA/DANC 373 | | THEA/DANC 374 | |
| THEA/DANC/COMM 271 | | THEA/DANC 390 | |
| THEA 243H | | THEA Elective** | |
| THEA Elective** | | THEA/DANC Elective*** | |
| THEA Elective** | | THEA/DANC Elective*** | |
| <u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:</u> **** | | <u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:</u> **** | |
| 300-/400-level course in minor subject | | 300-/400-level course in minor subject | |

YEAR 4 - SENIOR (26 CREDITS)

| FALL SEMESTER (13 credits) | VCCS Equivalency: | SPRING SEMESTER (13 credits) | VCCS Equivalency: |
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| <u>Major Coursework:</u> | | <u>Major Coursework:</u> | |
| THEA 449W (Grade of C or better required) | | THEA 442 (Satisfies Senior Experience requirement) | |
| THEA/DANC Elective*** | | THEA/DANC Elective*** | |
| THEA/DANC 473 | | THEA/DANC 474 | |
| <u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:</u> **** | | <u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:</u> **** | |
| 300-/400-level course in minor subject | | 300-/400-level course in minor subject | |
| <u>Elective Coursework:</u> *** | | <u>Elective Coursework:</u> *** | |
| 3-credit elective course | | 3-credit elective course | |

NOTE: Majors must have a grade of C or better in all courses counted toward the major.

Admission: Students will be admitted to the design technology emphasis through a portfolio review and interview process administered by the faculty each spring. No student is guaranteed admittance or continuance in the design technology major. Students may decide at any time to return to the general theatre major.

Continuance: Students must pass a screening portfolio review and interview administered by the faculty every spring. Additionally students must maintain a C average and abide by the theatre student handbook regulations for the design technology major.

***9 hours must be selected from the following: THEA 246, 248, 321, 325, 341, 345, 349, 351, 353, 354, 368, 369, 395, 495, 497, 498. Consult with catalog and advisor for best options. Consult with catalog and advisor for best options.*

****Consult with your advisor for correct elective choices.*

*****Upper Division General Education may be satisfied by several options. Consult your catalog and advisor for your best option.*

Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 overall and in the major, a grade of C or better in all courses required for the major, including prerequisite courses, 120 credit hours, which must include both a minimum of 30 credit hours overall and 12 credit hours in upper-level courses in the major program from Old Dominion University, completion of ENGL 110C, ENGL 211C or 221C or 231C, and a writing intensive (W) course in the major with a grade of C or better, and completion of Senior Assessment.

This four-year plan is a suggested curriculum to complete this degree program in four years. It is just one of several plans that will work and is presented only as broad guidance to students. Each student is strongly encouraged to develop a customized plan in consultation with their academic advisor. Additional information can also be found in Degree Works.