

# MAJOR MAP FOR BACHELOR OF ARTS IN THEATRE CONCENTRATION IN THEATRE STUDIES (THTRBA-THST) 2021-22 THROUGH 2023-24 CATALOG YEARS

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## THTRBA-THST Degree Snapshot

### University Perspectives (0-1 hr)

\_\_\_\_\_ **UNIV 1001**, University Perspectives (waived for transfer students with 24 or more transferred hours)

### State Core English Composition (0-6 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **ENGL 1013**, Composition 1 or exemption  
\_\_\_\_\_ **ENGL 1023**, Composition 2 or exemption (see [catalog](#) for ACT/SAT test score exemption)

### State Core US History or Government (3 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **US HIST/PLSC** \_\_\_\_\_

### State Core Mathematics (3 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **MATH** \_\_\_\_\_

### State Core Natural Sciences w/ labs (8 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Science w/ lab** \_\_\_\_\_  
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### State Core Social Sciences (9 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Social Science** \_\_\_\_\_  
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### State Core Fine Arts (0hrs)

Met in major requirements with THTR 1883

### State Core Humanities (3 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Humanities** \_\_\_\_\_

### Theatre Core (30 hrs, C or higher in all THTR courses)

\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 1223**, Introduction to Theatre  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 1313**, Stage Technology: Costumes and Makeup  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 1323**, Stage Technology: Scenery and Lighting  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 1423**, Script Analysis  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 1883**, Acting I for Theatre Majors  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 2313**, Fundamentals of Theatre Design  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 3001**, Production Practicum, OR **THTR 3011**, Performance Practicum  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 3001**, Production Practicum, OR **THTR 3011**, Performance Practicum (taken second time)  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 3653**, Directing  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 4233**, History of Theatre I  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 4333**, History of Theatre II  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 4991**, Theatre Capstone

### Theatre Studies Concentration (18 hrs, C or higher in all THTR courses)

\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 2473**, Voice and Speech for the Actor  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 2683**, Acting II  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 3683**, Stage Management  
\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR 4153**, Musical Theatre Performance

Choose 6 hrs from Theatre Studies Electives list below:

\_\_\_\_\_ **THTR** \_\_\_\_\_  
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### General Electives (39-46 hrs)

How you use these hours will depend on your educational and career goals. Early in your degree you might use this section to jot down ideas for how to plan. As you get closer to graduation, you might use this section to track which classes you've taken outside the above requirements.

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## Graduation Plan

Use the following additional resources, in addition to this major map, to complete your graduation plan ([Catalog](#), and your [Degree Audit](#) in UAconnect). Many students have more than one major, minor, or pre-professional goal that has additional required classes. This tool allows you to combine all your educational goals in to one plan.

High School credit	List all Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, Dual or Concurrent credit			
Year	Fall	Spring	Summer	Total
Year 1				Total 1 <sup>st</sup> year credit hours (aim for 30):
Year 2				Total 2 <sup>nd</sup> year credit hours (aim for 60):
Year 3				Total 3 <sup>rd</sup> year credit hours (aim for 90):
Year 4				Total 4 <sup>th</sup> year credit hours (Must be at least 120):

**Graduation Checklist (does your plan include the following):**

- Do you have at least a 2.0 GPA (this will be something you track each semester)
- All state minimum core requirements
- All Major(s)/Minor(s) requirements
- [Writing requirement](#) complete
- Have At least 50% of each major/minor taken from UofA
- 24 hours of 3000+ classes exclusively from Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences classes
- 30 hours of 3000+ classes exclusively from the University of Arkansas. This can include courses taken for the 24-hour rule.
- 40 hours of upper-level classes. (3000+ or 2000+ with a pre-requisite. Can include transfer credit.) This can include courses taken for the 24-hour and 30-hour rules.
- 120 total eligible credit hours (see below for a list of ineligible classes)

**COURSES THAT DO NOT COUNT TOWARDS THE 120 HOURS REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION**

- ENGL 0002
- MATH 0001L, MATH 0002L, MATH 0003, and MATH 0131L
- Duplicated/Repeated courses (i.e.: if the same course is taken more than once, the hours will only count once for graduation)

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## Department Information:

Faculty who have exception/substitution authority: Weston Wilkerson and Morgan Hicks

Transfer Coursework Restriction: At least 50% of a student's Arts and Sciences (ARSC) major or minor must be taken at the University of Arkansas.

GPA (Grade Point Average): Every student must have at least a 2.00 cumulative grade point average to be eligible to graduate from the University of Arkansas.

Please visit <https://catalog.uark.edu/undergraduatecatalog> for an extensive list of core, major, graduation, and pre-requisite requirements. To read more about individual classes, visit the [courses of instruction](#) page for course descriptions.

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## Degree Requirement Breakdown by Category

The following information is designed to help you navigate your experience in your degree and answer common questions that may come up for each requirement.

Category	Degree Requirements	Curriculum Notes
<a href="#"><u>UNIVERSITY PERSPECTIVES</u></a>  0-1 hr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>UNIV 1001</b>, University Perspectives</li> </ul>	Or equivalent from another University of Arkansas college. (AFLS 1023H, ARSC 1201, GNEG 1111, HIST 1003(H), HIST 1003(H), PLSC 1003, BUSI/WCOB 1111)  <b>Note:</b> students who transfer to the University of Arkansas with at least 24 credit hours will have this requirement waived.
<a href="#"><u>STATE CORE COMPOSITION</u></a>  0-6 hrs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>ENGL 1013</b>, Composition 1 or SAT/ACT exemption</li> <li>• <b>ENGL 1023</b>, Composition 2 or SAT/ACT exemption</li> </ul>	See <a href="#">Catalog</a> for information about placement and/or exemption.
<a href="#"><u>STATE CORE US HISTORY or GOVERNMENT</u></a>  3 hrs	<b>Choose 1: *</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877</li> <li>• HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present</li> <li>• PLSC 2003, American National Government</li> </ul>	*Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the State Core. You can only count each course 1 time in the State Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas below.
<a href="#"><u>STATE CORE MATHEMATICS</u></a>  3 hrs	<b>Choose 1:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MATH 1203, College Algebra</li> <li>• MATH 1313, Quantitative Reasoning</li> <li>• MATH 1514, Calculus with Algebra and Trigonometry</li> <li>• STAT 2303, Principles of Statistics</li> <li>• Any higher-level mathematics course with MATH 1203 as a pre-requisite</li> </ul>	Based on ACT/SAT or other math placement scores, students may need to enroll in additional remediation related courses. See <a href="#">catalog</a> or <a href="#">math placement</a> website for additional information.
<a href="#"><u>STATE CORE NATURAL SCIENCES CORE</u></a>  8 hrs	<b>Choose 2:</b> (each class will have a required lecture and lab component): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ANTH 1013 and ANTH 1011L, Intro to Biological Anthropology</li> <li>• ASTR 2003/2001L, Survey of the Universe</li> <li>• BIOL 1524, Biological Principles</li> <li>• BIOL 1543/1541L, Principles of Biology</li> <li>• BIOL 1584, Biology for Majors</li> <li>• BIOL 1603/1601L, Principles of Zoology</li> <li>• BIOL 1613/1611L, Plant Biology</li> <li>• BIOL 2213/2211L, Human Physiology</li> <li>• BIOL 2443/2441L, Human Anatomy</li> <li>• CHEM 1053/1051L, Chemistry in the Modern World</li> <li>• CHEM 1073/1071L, Fundamentals of Chemistry</li> <li>• CHEM 1103/1101L; University Chemistry I</li> <li>• CHEM 1123/1121L, University Chemistry II</li> <li>• CHEM 1203/1201L, Chemistry for Majors I</li> <li>• CHEM 1223/1221L, Chemistry for Majors II</li> <li>• ENSC 1003/1001L, Environmental Science</li> <li>• ENTO 1023/1021L, Insects, Science, and Society</li> <li>• GEOS 1113/1111L, Physical Geology</li> <li>• GEOS 1133/1131L, Earth Science</li> <li>• GEOS 1145, Introduction to Geology for Science Majors</li> <li>• PHYS 1023/1021L, Physics and Human Affairs</li> <li>• PHYS 1034, Physics for Elementary Education Majors</li> <li>• PHYS 1044, Physics for Architects I</li> <li>• PHYS 1054, Physics for Architects II</li> <li>• PHYS 2013/2011L, College Physics I</li> </ul>	Some classes will have pre-requisites

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PHYS 2033/2031L, College Physics II</li> <li>• PHYS 2054, University Physics I</li> <li>• PHYS 2074, University Physics II</li> </ul>	
<p><u>STATE CORE SOCIAL SCIENCES</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>9 hrs</b></p>	<p><b>Choose 3: *</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AGEC 1103, Principles of Agriculture Microeconomics</li> <li>• AGEC 2103, Principles of Agriculture Macroeconomics</li> <li>• ANTH 1023, Intro to Cultural Anthropology</li> <li>• COMM 1023, Communication in a Diverse World</li> <li>• ECON 2013, Principles of Macroeconomics</li> <li>• ECON 2023, Principles of Microeconomics</li> <li>• ECON 2143, Basic Economics: Theory and Practice</li> <li>• EDST 2003, Introduction to Educational Studies</li> <li>• GEOS 1123, Human Geography</li> <li>• GEOS 2003, World Regional Geography</li> <li>• HDFS 1403, Life Span Development</li> <li>• HDFS 2413, Family Relations</li> <li>• HDFS 2603, Rural Families &amp; Communities</li> <li>• HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations I</li> <li>• HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations II</li> <li>• HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877</li> <li>• HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present</li> <li>• HIST 2093, Animals in World History</li> <li>• HUMN 1114H, Honors Roots of Culture to 500 C.E. (Honors only)</li> <li>• HUMN 2114H, Honors Birth of Modern Culture, 1600-1900 (honors only)</li> <li>• INST/PLSC 2813, Intro to International Relations &amp; Global Studies</li> <li>• PLSC 2003, American National Government</li> <li>• PLSC 2013, Intro to Comparative Politics</li> <li>• PLSC 2203, State and Local Government</li> <li>• PSYC 2003, General Psychology</li> <li>• RESM 2853, Leisure and Society</li> <li>• SOCI 2013, General Sociology</li> <li>• SOCI 2033, Social Problems</li> <li>• STEM 2003, The Art of STEM Communication</li> </ul>	<p>Students must take classes from at least two departments in the Social Sciences category.</p> <p>*Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the State Core. You can only count each course 1 time in the State Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas below.</p>
<p><u>STATE CORE FINE ARTS</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>0 hrs</b></p>	<p>Met in Major requirements</p>	
<p><u>STATE CORE HUMANITIES</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>3 hrs</b></p>	<p><b>Choose 1: *</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AAST 2023, The African American Experience</li> <li>• ANTH 1033, Introduction to Archeology</li> <li>• ARCH 1013, Diversity and Design</li> <li>• CLST 1003, Introduction to Classical Studies: Greece</li> <li>• CLST 1013, Introduction to Classical Studies: Rome</li> <li>• COMM 1233, Media, Community and Citizenship</li> <li>• DANC 1003, Dance Appreciation</li> <li>• DASC 2133, Data Privacy &amp; Ethics</li> <li>• ENGL 1213, Introduction to Literature</li> <li>• ENGL 2023, Creative Writing I</li> <li>• GNST 2003, Introduction to Gender Studies</li> <li>• HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations I</li> </ul>	<p>*Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the State Core. You can only count each course 1 time in the State Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas below.</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations II</li> <li>• HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877</li> <li>• HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present</li> <li>• HUMN 1124H*, Honors Equilibrium of Cultures 500-1600 (Honors only)</li> <li>• HUMN 2213, Introduction to World Religions</li> <li>• LALS 2013, Introduction to Latin American and Latino Studies</li> <li>• MRST 2013, Introduction to Medieval and Renaissance Studies</li> <li>• MUSY 2003, Music in World Cultures</li> <li>• PHIL 2003, Introduction to Philosophy</li> <li>• PHIL 2103, Introduction to Ethics</li> <li>• PHIL 2203, Logic</li> <li>• PHIL 2303, Human Nature and the Meaning of Life</li> <li>• PHIL 3103, Ethics and the Professions</li> <li>• THTR 1003, Theatre Appreciation</li> <li>• THTR 1013, Musical Theatre Appreciation</li> <li>• WLIT 1113, World Literature: Beginnings to 1650 CE</li> <li>• WLIT 1123, World Literature: 1650 CE to Present</li> <li>• Any Intermediate level foreign language numbered at the 2000 level</li> </ul>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u><a href="#">THEATRE CORE</a></u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>30 hrs</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>THTR 1223</b>, Introduction to Theatre (fall only)*</li> <li>• <b>THTR 1313</b>, Stage Technology: Costumes and Makeup</li> <li>• <b>THTR 1323</b>, Stage Technology: Scenery and Lighting</li> <li>• <b>THTR 1423</b>, Script Analysis</li> <li>• <b>THTR 1883</b>, Acting I for Theatre Majors**</li> <li>• <b>THTR 2313</b>, Fundamentals of Theatre Design (Fall only. Pre-req: THTR 1313, 1323, and 1423)</li> <li>• <b>THTR 3001</b>, Production Practicum, OR THTR 3011, Performance Practicum (taken twice)</li> <li>• <b>THTR 3001</b>, Production Practicum, OR THTR 3011, Performance Practicum (taken twice)</li> <li>• <b>THTR 3653</b>, Directing 1 (Pre-req: [THTR 1223 or 1003], THTR 1313, THTR 1323, THTR 1423 and [THTR 1684 or 1883])</li> <li>• <b>THTR 4233</b>, History of Theatre I (Fall only. Pre-req: THTR 1223 or 1003)</li> <li>• <b>THTR 4333</b>, History of Theatre II (Spring only. Pre-req: THTR 1223 or 1003)</li> <li>• <b>THTR 4991</b>, Theatre Capstone (Fall only. Should be taken late in degree)</li> </ul>	<p><b>A grade of 'C' or better is required in all THTR and DANC courses.</b></p> <p>*Theatre majors who have already completed THTR 1003 or THTR 1003H may substitute this course for THTR 1223. Theatre majors may not receive degree credit for both THTR 1003/THTR 1003H and THTR 1223.</p> <p>**THTR 1883 meets state core fine arts requirements</p> <p>All theatre majors are required, in the semester before graduation, to successfully complete the Senior Capstone, a faculty assessment of each student's accomplishments in performance and production.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u><a href="#">THEATRE STUDIES CONCENTRATION</a></u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>18 hrs</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>THTR 2473</b>, Voice and Speech for the Actor (Pre-req: THTR 1223, THTR 1423, and THTR 1883)</li> <li>• <b>THTR 2683</b>, Acting II (Pre-req: THTR 1883 or 1683)</li> <li>• <b>THTR 3683</b>, Stage Management (Spring only. Pre-req: THTR 1313 and 1323)</li> <li>• <b>THTR 4153</b>, Musical Theatre Performance (Fall, even years)</li> </ul> <p><b>Choose an additional 6 hours from the following options:</b></p>	<p><b>A grade of 'C' or better is required in all THTR and DANC courses.</b></p> <p>This concentration is well suited for students who are also interested in pursuing a <a href="#">teaching licensure</a>.</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ THTR 3213, Costume Design (Fall, odd years. Pre-req: THTR 2313)</li> <li>○ THTR 3733, Lighting Design (Fall, even years. Pre-req: THTR 2313)</li> <li>○ THTR 3903, Makeup Design (Irregular. Pre-req: THTR 2313)</li>   <li>○ THTR 4653, Scene Design (Spring, even years. Pre-req: THTR 2313)</li> <li>○ THTR 4663, Sounds Design and Engineering (Irregular. Pre-req: THTR 2313)</li> <li>○ THTR 4833, Scene Painting (Fall, even years. Pre-req: THTR 2313)</li> </ul>	
<p><b><u>GENERAL ELECTIVES</u></b></p> <p><b>39-46 hrs</b></p>	<p>Hours will vary depending on whether a student is exempt from ENGL 1013 and 1023.</p>	<p>Some general electives will need to be upper level to meet college and university residency requirements. See <a href="#">Graduation Checklist</a> on page 2 for more information.</p>
<p><b><u>WRITING REQUIREMENT</u></b></p>	<p>The college writing requirement may be satisfied in one of two ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Automatically fulfilled in THTR 4233 or THTR 4333</li> <li>• Successful honors thesis defense</li> </ul>	
<p><b><u>HONORS</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Minimum Requirements for Honors:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maintain cumulative grade point average of 3.5 in all coursework.</li> <li>• Complete a minimum of 12 hours of honors courses from the UofA (<b>including 3-6 hrs of THTR 399VH</b>).</li> <li>• Complete and defend Honors Thesis</li> </ul> <p>See <a href="#">Catalog</a> for full description of requirements.</p>	<p><b>Honors Thesis Timeline:</b> Honors students should consistently check the <a href="#">honors thesis timeline</a> to stay on track to complete your honors thesis.</p> <p><b>College Honors:</b> Students who also are following the College Honors Core for Bachelor of <b>Arts</b> programs need to also complete those additional requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">2023-24 catalog requirements</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">2022-23 and older catalog requirements</a></li> </ul>