

College of Arts & Sciences

B.A. Theatre, with All Level Teacher Certification

2011-2012 Texas Common Course Numbering System Transfer Guide



- Entering students interested in majoring in Theatre will be classified as pre-majors .
- Admission to the university does not guarantee admission to the Theatre major. Students who transfer credit from another institution, but have not met the admissions criteria stated on page two, are classified as pre-majors. To be admitted to major status, a pre-major must meet the requirements listed in "Admission to the Major" on page two.
- The College of Arts and Sciences expects students to have completed the Texas State recommended high school program and be ready to enroll in Language 2040 (TCCNS: Language 2311) or a college level mathematics course. If you are not prepared for this level, the necessary prerequisites will either replace electives or increase the hours required for this degree.

Courses Recommended for Transfer

UNT Core: English Composition & Rhetoric

ENGL 1301; and ENGL 1302 or 2311

A grade of 'C' or better is required on courses applied toward this requirement.

UNT Core: Mathematics

This requirement will be met by fulfilling College of Arts & Sciences mathematics requirement (see next column).

UNT Core: Natural Science

This requirement will be met by fulfilling College of Arts & Sciences laboratory science requirement (see next column).

UNT Core: U.S. History

Two courses chosen from: HIST 1301, 1302, 2301

UNT Core: Political Science

Two courses chosen from one of the following combinations:

- GOVT 2301 and 2302
- GOVT 2301 and 2305
- GOVT 2305 and 2306
- GOVT 2301 and 2306
- GOVT 2302 and 2306

UNT Core: Visual & Performing Arts

This requirement will be met by fulfilling B.A. Theatre major requirements (see page two).

UNT Core: Humanities

One course chosen from: ENGL 2322, 2323, 2327, 2328, 2332, or 2333; PHIL 1304 or 2316

UNT Core: Social & Behavioral Sciences

One course chosen from: ANTH 2346 or 2351; COMM 1307; CRIJ 1301; ECON 2301 or 2302; HUMA 2323; PSYC 2301; SOCI 1301; SPCH 1318; TECA 1354

UNT Core: Discovery

One course chosen from: ARTS 1301; BIOL/HECO 1322; GEOG 1302 or 1303; HIST 2321 or 2322; PHIL 1301, 2303, or 2306; SPCH 1311 or 1315; TECA 1303

UNT Core: Capstone

This requirement will be met by fulfilling teacher certification requirements.

College of Arts & Sciences Core: Mathematics

Choose **one** course below (also satisfies the university core):

- MATH 1316
- MATH 1324
- MATH 1325 or 1425
- MATH 1332
- MATH 1342 or 1442 or 2342
- MATH 2312 or 2412
- MATH 2313 or 2413 or 2513

MATH 1332, 1342 or 1442 or 2342 is recommended.

Math 1350 and 1351 are not to be used to satisfy this requirement.

College of Arts & Sciences Core: Laboratory Sciences

The College of Arts and Sciences requires students to complete at least 9 hours (3 courses) in laboratory science (6 hours/2 courses also satisfy the university core Natural Science requirement.) At least one course must be taken from the list of Natural and Life Sciences, at least one course must be taken from the list of Physical Sciences, and the third course can be taken from either the list of Natural and Life or Physical Science courses below:

Natural and Life Sciences

- ANTH 2401 or 2101/2301*
- BIOL 1406 or 1106/1306
- BIOL 1407 or 1107/1307
- BIOL 1411 or 1111/1311*
- BIOL 1413 or 1113/1313*
- BIOL 2401 or 2101/2301
- BIOL 2402 or 2102/2302
- BIOL 2406 or 2106/2306*
- BIOL 2420 or 2120/2320*
- GEOL 1401 or 1101/1301*
- GEOL 1403 or 1103/1303*

Physical Sciences

- ASTR 1403 or 1103/1303*
- ASTR 1404 or 1104/1304*
- CHEM 1411 or 1111/1311
- CHEM 1412 or 1112/1312
- PHYS 1401 or 1101/1301
- PHYS 1402 or 1102/1302
- PHYS 1403 or 1103/1303*
- PHYS 1404 or 1104/1304*
- PHYS 1410 or 1110/1310
- PHYS 1415 or 1115/1315*
- PHYS 2425 or 2125/2325
- PHYS 2426 or 2126/2326

*Recommended course options for non-science majors.

College of Arts & Sciences Core: Foreign Language

Any foreign language 2311 and 2312.

Courses must be taken in the same language.

NOTE: Prerequisites for foreign language 2311 and 2312 courses are 1311 and 1312 or 1411 and 1412 or 1511 and 1512. Placement exams may be available; see your community college academic advisor for details.

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Theatre: Admission to the Major

To be officially admitted to major status, a pre-major must meet the following entry requirements:

- have at least a 2.5 GPA
- complete the following courses with at least a grade of B:
 - DRAM 1351
 - THEA 1020 (at UNT only)
 - THEA 1440 (at UNT only)
 - DRAM 1330 or THEA 1030 (at UNT only) or THEA 1043 (at UNT only) or THEA 1280 (at UNT only)

Students who do not achieve the minimum standard of a B will remain designated as pre-majors and will be allowed to repeat the course(s) only once. Students who fail to achieve the minimum requirements a second time will lose their pre-major status and will be dismissed from the department.

Students must apply to be formally admitted in the term in which they obtain 45 semester hours. An official transcript showing satisfactory grades for the entry courses must be submitted along with the application. Students who have completed 45 hours but have not met the other admissions criteria have one semester in which to meet the criteria or will be required to seek another major.

Theatre: Major Requirements

- DRAM 1120
- DRAM 1322
- DRAM 1330
- DRAM 1341
- DRAM 1351
- DRAM 2336

THEA 3030 and 3040, offered only at UNT, will fulfill the Visual and Performing Arts core requirement and the Major requirement.

THEA 4350, offered only at UNT, will fulfill the Capstone core requirement and the Major requirement.

Courses shown are TCCNS options and do not include all courses required for the UNT Theatre Major.

Teacher Certification Information

Students must complete the required 21 hours in upper-level education courses and meet all GPA requirements to apply for state Certification. In order to enroll for the first required education course, the student must make application to the certification program in the College of Education. No TCCNS options available.

To be certified to teach in the State of Texas, the student must successfully pass the following exams:

Exam #1 TExES: Pedagogy & Professional Responsibilities (EC-12)

Exam #2 TExES: Theatre (EC-12)

Additional requirements for Teacher Certification in Theatre include a 2.75 overall GPA (including all transferred courses), a 2.75 UNT GPA, a 2.75 major GPA, and a 2.75 GPA in Teacher Education courses.

Theatre: Other Requirements

- A minimum grade of B is required for all theatre courses comprising the pre-major and a minimum grade of C is required for all theatre courses comprising the major.
- The Department does not allow students to obtain a D or below more than twice in a theatre course comprising the major. Once a student receives a grade of D or below in the same class, the student will be dismissed from the Department.
- Students majoring in theatre must enroll in a production course (*THEA 4500 or equivalent at UNT*) each term/semester the student performs in public productions sponsored or approved by the department.
- Transfer work to be substituted for required theatre courses must be approved by the departmental advisor.
- Students majoring in theatre must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.5.
- Students who miss the first day of class without consent of the instructor are subject to be administratively dropped from the course so that other students may be added. Students who miss the first day of class because of illness or some other acceptable excuse must notify the instructor on record the day of the absence.
- Students must observe prerequisites for each theatre course. If a student has not completed prerequisites for a particular course, the student is subject to administrative drop without notice. Prerequisites are listed in the Undergraduate Catalog.

Special Notes

Hours Required and General/College Requirements:

A minimum of 120 semester hours, of which 42 must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree as specified in the "[General University Requirements](#)" section of the UNT catalog and the College of Arts and Sciences requirements.

UNT Core Curriculum/Transfer of Core Curriculum:

UNT complies with the mandates of the 1997 Texas Legislature regarding requirements for state-assisted institutions. Students who successfully complete the common core curriculum (in whole or in part) at a Texas state-assisted institution of higher education are eligible to transfer as "core complete" for those categories in the UNT University Core Curriculum.

Individual academic programs may require courses contained in parts of the University Core Curriculum. Students who wish to take courses that will fulfill both core and major/program requirements simultaneously should check with academic advisors for assistance in selecting core courses.

Choice of Catalog: Any student transferring directly from a Texas public community college to UNT shall have the same choice of catalog designating degree requirements as the student would have had if the dates of attendance at the university had been the same as the dates of attendance at the community college

The College of Arts and Sciences required curriculum and policies are located in the *Undergraduate Catalog 2011-2012*.

For additional program and contact information see the College of Arts and Sciences Student Advising website: <http://www.cas.unt.edu/advising>

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This four-year plan provides a model for on-time completion of this UNT program using as many TCCNS courses as possible. The four-year plan also shows the first point when no TCCNS options are available for this program. See the current [Undergraduate Catalog](#) for course prerequisites. Course availability at UNT is subject to change, and the plan shown below may change based on updates to UNT's course offerings.

| YEAR | FALL SEMESTER | | SPRING SEMESTER | |
|----------|--|------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option |
| FRESHMAN | ENGL 1310 or 1313 | ENGL 1301 | ENGL 1320 or 1323 | ENGL 1302 |
| | CAS Core: Mathematics | See list of approved courses | THEA 1043 or 1046 | None |
| | THEA 1020 | None | | |
| | THEA 1043 or 1046 | DRAM 1330 | THEA 1440 | |
| | THEA 1700 or 2051 or 2351 | DRAM 1322 | UNT Core: Discovery | See list of approved courses |
| | UNT Core: Social & Behavioral Sciences | See list of approved courses | THEA 1050 | DRAM 1351 |

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| | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option |
| SOPHOMORE | UNT Core: U.S. History | See list of approved courses | UNT Core: U.S. History | See list of approved courses |
| | Foreign Language 2040 | Foreign Language 2311 | THEA 1700 or 2051 or 2351# | DRAM 2336 |
| | THEA 2380 | DRAM 1341 | Foreign Language 2050 | Foreign Language 2312 |
| | Elective | Consult UNT advisor | THEA 2095 | DRAM 1120 |
| | CAS Core: Natural Sciences | See list of approved courses | UNT Core: Humanities | See list of approved courses |
| | Elective | Consult UNT advisor | CAS Core: Physical Science | See list of approved courses |

| YEAR | FALL SEMESTER | | SPRING SEMESTER | |
|---|------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|
| | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option |
| JUNIOR | UNT Core: Political Science | See list of approved courses | UNT Core: Political Science | See list of approved courses |
| | THEA 3030 | None | THEA 3040 | None |
| | THEA 3095 | | THEA 3070 | |
| | THEA 3400 | | THEA 3100 | |
| | EDSE 3800* | | THEA 4095 | |
| | CAS Core: Laboratory Science | See list of approved courses | EDSE 3830* | |
| *Students must be admitted to the Teacher Education Program prior to enrolling in certain Education courses. | | | | |

| YEAR | FALL SEMESTER | | SPRING SEMESTER | |
|--------|------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|
| | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option |
| SENIOR | THEA 4350 | None | EDSE 4108* (Student Teaching) | None |
| | THEA 4240 | | | |
| | EDSE 4840* | | EDSE 4118* (Student Teaching) | |
| | EDSE 4060* | | | |
| | EDSE 4070* | | | |
| | Elective (2 hrs) | Consult UNT advisor | | |