



Degree Transfer Options for Students in the Virginia Community College System

Degree Transfer Option for the FERRUM COLLEGE B.F.A. DEGREE IN THEATRE ARTS – Musical Theatre Emphasis

When a student who has graduated under the Guaranteed Admissions Agreement from an accredited Virginia Community College with an Associate of Arts degree, an Associate of Science degree, or an Associate of Arts and Sciences degree, transfers into Ferrum College, Ferrum College agrees that the student has satisfied the Liberal Arts course requirements portion of its graduation prerequisites. This agreement requires the student to have earned a grade of “C” or higher in courses applicable to the transfer-oriented degree program, have earned a minimum of 60 transferable credits, and hold an overall cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher prior to enrollment at Ferrum College. If the student has not had a 3-credit Bible-based course as part of the Associate degree curriculum, then Ferrum College will require that the student successfully complete REL 111, 112, 113, or PHI 131. The student must satisfy all other graduation requirements including writing intensive, speaking intensive, E-Term, and experiential learning requirements.

Additional Community College courses to take and the transfer equivalencies in the FERRUM COLLEGE B.F.A. DEGREE IN THEATRE ARTS – Musical Theatre

In conjunction with the completion of the Associate degree (excluding Applied Science degree), courses below should be completed with a grade of C or higher in order to meet requirements for the B.F.A. in Theatre Arts. The Four Semester Plan included on page 2 provides the remaining requirements to complete the Ferrum College B.F.A. in Theatre Arts. If the courses below are not taken, this may increase the number of credit hours needed during each of the semesters while enrolled at Ferrum College to meet degree requirements.

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Course Number	Course Title	Credits
Bible-based Religion: REL 200 or 210	Old or New Testament	3
CST 130 or CST 141	Introduction to Theatre	3
CST 131	Acting I	3
CST 132	Acting II	3
CST 105 or CST 111	Oral Communication	3
ENG 112	Composition & Research	3
ENG 211	Creative Writing	3

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Course Number	Credits
REL 112 or REL 113 Old or New Testament Literature	3
THA 100 Theatre Appreciation	3
THA 111 Fundamentals of Acting I	3
THA 112 Fundamentals of Acting II	3
THA 222 Voice and Diction	3
ENG 102 Composition and Research	3
ENG 218 Introduction to Creative Writing	3

**Note: Credits earned in the completion of the AA, AS, or AA&S degree that are not used to satisfy a specific degree requirement at Ferrum College will be counted towards the 121 credits required for graduation where unspecified hours remain.*



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Four Semester Plan for Completion of the **FERRUM COLLEGE B.F.A. DEGREE IN THEATRE ARTS –Musical Theatre Emphasis**

The chart below includes writing intensive (WI), E-Term, and experiential learning requirements. Speaking intensive (SI) is listed when not included in list of classes to be taken in conjunction with community college degree. 50% of the required major and minor hours must be taken at Ferrum College. Please note a student must earn a total of **30 hours** at the 300-400 level. A total of **121 credits** are required to earn a degree from Ferrum College.

JUNIOR (FALL)

Course Number	Credits
THA 301 World Theatre I: Thru 18 th Cent (WI) (even) (grade of "C" or higher required) Elective to Reach 121 Required Hours at 300-400 level	3
MUS 102 Music Fundamentals or MUS 203 Harmony & Musicianship I (odd)	3
THA 233 Introduction to Musical Theatre (odd) or THA 300 Auditions and Makeup Workshop (even)	3
DAN 105 Beginning Dance Styles	1
DAN 110 Begin Dance for Performance	1
MUS 111 Concert Choir or MUS 117 Collegiates	1
MUS 153 Voice Class I	1
MUS 143 Piano I	1
THA 498 Senior Seminar (even) or Elective to Reach 121 Required Hours	3
TOTAL	17

JUNIOR (SPRING)

Course Number	Credits
THA 302 World Theatre II: From 1800-Present (WI) (odd) (grade of "C" or higher required) THA 333 Introduction to Musical Theatre (even)	3
MUS 204 Harmony & Musicianship II (even) or Elective to Reach 121 Hours at the 300-400 Level	3
THA 281 Academic Theatre Practicum	1
DAN 106 Intermediate Dance Styles	1
DAN 121 Rhythm with the Feet	1
MUS 112 Concert Choir or MUS 118 Collegiates	1
MUS 154 Voice Class II	1
MUS 152 Private Music Lessons	1
E-Term (THA 205 Applied Summer Theatre I)	3
TOTAL	15

SENIOR (FALL)

Course Number	Credits
THA 301 World Theatre I: Thru 18 th Cent (WI) (even) (grade of "C" or higher required) or Elective to Reach 121 Required Hours at 300-400 level	3
THA 233 Introduction to Musical Theatre (odd) or THA 300 Auditions and Makeup Workshop (even)	3
THA 498 Senior Seminar (even) Elective to Reach 121 Required Hours	3
MUS 144 Piano II	1
MUS 102 Music Fundamentals or MUS 203 Harmony & Musicianship I (odd)	3
MUS 211 Concert Choir or MUS 217 Collegiates	1
MUS 251 Private Music Lessons	1
TOTAL	16

SENIOR (SPRING)

Course Number	Credits
THA 302 World Theatre II: From 1800-Present (WI) (odd) or THA 333 Musical Theatre II (SI) (even) (grade of "C" or higher required)	3
MUS 204 Harmony & Musicianship II (even) or Elective to Reach 121 Hours at the 300-400 Level	3
DAN 111 Intermediate Dance for Performance	1
MUS 252 Private Music Lessons	1
THA 320 Advanced Acting & Performance Theory	4
THA 282 Academic Theatre Practicum	1
Elective to Reach 121 Required Hours	3
TOTAL	16