

## **UC Santa Cruz Three Year Pathway: THEATER ARTS B.A.** **2023-2024 Catalog Requirements**

Three year pathways are most appropriate for students who plan a single major, who have satisfied the Entry-Level Writing Requirement before their first quarter, and who are committed to enrolling in Summer Session. Courses listed as “Any X credit class” may be decreased based on AP or other transfer credit.

This is a sample plan. Work with your major advisor to devise a plan that takes into account your transfer credit, interests, and career goals.

<b>Fall, year 1</b>	<b>Winter, year 1</b>	<b>Spring, year 1</b>	<b>Summer, year 1</b>
College Core Course	THEA 61B	THEA 61C	SR General Education Class
THEA 61A (TA GE)	THEA Lower Div Elective <sup>1</sup>	THEA 10 (IM GE)	SI General Education Class
THEA 20 (IM GE) or 21 <sup>2</sup>	Writing 2 (C GE)	THEA 50 (2 credits)	Any 2 credit class
	STEV 26: Navigating Univ.	MF General Education Class	
Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 17	Total credits for quarter: 17	Total credits for quarter: 12
<b>Fall, year 2</b>	<b>Winter, year 2</b>	<b>Spring, year 2</b>	<b>Summer, year 2</b>
THEA Lower Div Practice-Based Dance Class <sup>3</sup>	THEA Upper Division Hist/Theory/Critical Studies	THEA Upper Div Elective 1 (See <i>Note</i> in footnote 1 below)	PR General Education Class (2 credits) <sup>4</sup>
THEA Upper Div Studio	THEA 50 (2 credits)	THEA 160 (½ of DC GE)	Any 5 credit class
PE General Education Class <sup>5</sup>	CC General Education Class <sup>6</sup>	ER General Education Class <sup>7</sup>	Any 5 credit class
THEA 50 (2 credits)	Any 5 credit class	Any 2 credit class	
Total credits for quarter: 17	Total credits for quarter: 17	Total credits for quarter: 17	Total credits for quarter: 12
<b>Fall, year 3</b>	<b>Winter, year 3</b>	<b>Spring, year 3</b>	<b>Summer, year 3</b>
THEA 185 (½ of DC GE)	THEA Upper Div Elective 2 (See <i>Note</i> in footnote 1 below)	THEA Upper Division Hist/Theory/Critical Studies	Any 5 credit class
THEA Upper Div Studio	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class
Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class	
Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 10
			Total credits in plan: 180 <sup>8</sup>

The following general education requirements will be satisfied with required courses in the theater arts major: IM, TA, DC.

<sup>1</sup> The Lower Division Elective may be satisfied with THEA 55A Barnstorm, which also satisfies the major’s 5-unit THEA Production Requirement. *Note:* Upper Division Electives may be satisfied with upper division production classes, in which case one of those could also satisfy the production requirement. See details in the [THEA UG Handbook](#).

<sup>2</sup> Students with previous acting experience may audition for THEA 21 (only offered in fall) instead of taking the introductory THEA 20. See details in the [THEA UG Handbook](#).

<sup>3</sup> One of the following will satisfy this practice-based dance class requirement: THEA 30, 31A, 31B, 31C, 36, 37, 80Z.

<sup>4</sup> If this GE is satisfied through a Theater Arts course you may instead replace this GE with any 2 credit class.

<sup>5</sup> If this GE is satisfied through a Theater Arts course you may instead replace this GE with any 5 credit class.

<sup>6</sup> See # 5.

<sup>7</sup> See # 5.

<sup>8</sup> Total credit count includes the 1-unit Orientation Course taken the summer before the start of year 1.