



1. Major Title: **Fine and Applied Arts: Theater Arts**

2. Summary of Goals—Learning Outcomes:

Students completing a Theater Arts major, at Golden West College should:

- Understand the historical context of theatre and drama, including its relationship to contemporary society and culture.
- Have a practical, working knowledge of how to produce a play on stage, including all related performance, script, design, and technical aspects.
- Have the ability to critically evaluate what they and others have created. Develop necessary skills to be proficient in an area of theatre (performance, technical, directing, or theatre management) with the ability to identify, analyze and resolve specific problems pertaining to that area.
- Have experience with individual and collaborative processes needed to produce and understand theatre.

3. Required Courses: (23 Total Units):

Theater G100, Introduction to Theater	3 units
Theater G101, History and Literature of the Theater	3 units
Theater G106, Acting Fundamentals	3 units
Theater G175, Stage Scenery	3 units
Theater G176, Stage Lighting	3 units
Theater G177, Stage Make-up	3 units
Theater G178, Stage Costume	3 units

Choose one 2-unit course from the following:

Theater G142, Theater Workshop	2 units
Theater G171, Play Production	2 units
Theater G172, Classical Play Production	2 units
Theater G210, Musical Theater Workshop	2 units

Required Subtotal:	23 units
Completion of GE Requirements:	21-41 units
Additional Electives (as needed to reach 60):	
Degree Total:	<u>60 units</u>

The following courses are not required, but recommended by the Theater Department to enhance the Theater major.

Performance Emphasis:

Theater G107 - Acting 2	3 units
Theater G206 - Acting 3	3 units
Theater G207 - Acting 4	3 units
Theater G188 – Movement for the Actor	3 units

Theater G146 – Broadway and Opera Singing	3 units
Play production course from:	
Theater G142, G171, G172, or G210	2 units
Production Management Emphasis:	
Theater G160 – Introduction to Stage Direction	3 units
Theater G161 – Stage Management	3 units
Play production course from:	
Theater G142, G171, G172, or G210	2 units
Musical Theater Emphasis:	
Performance or production management electives	
Theater G108 – History and Appreciation of the Musical Theater	3 units
Theater G210 – Musical Theater Workshop	2 units
Film Emphasis:	
Theater G110 – Acting for the Camera	3 units
Theater G102 – History and Appreciation of the Cinema	3 units