

# SAMPLE 4-YEAR PLAN: THEATRE PERFORMANCE - PLAYWRITING TRACK B.F.A.

## Northern Kentucky University

This is **one way** a student can complete this program in four years if the student requires no remedial courses.

Major: Theatre Performance

Track: Playwriting

FIRST YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Join Center Stage Players, the student theatre group.</li> <li>Participate in the First Year Production.</li> <li>Audition for the tour troupes, 301 Studio Series and TGIT's.</li> <li>Make sure you find that balance between your production and classroom responsibilities.</li> </ul>	TAR 160 Stagecraft and TAR 160L Stagecraft Laboratory	3	Theatre/Dance elective
TAR 110 Acting I		3	TAR 118 Stage Make-up	3
Theatre/ Dance elective		3	Elective	3
Gen Ed		3	Gen Ed	3
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TAR 104: Introduction to NKU Theatre and Dance		1		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>
SECOND YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Audition for the Kentucky Theatre Association.</li> <li>Go to the Southeastern Theatre Convention.</li> <li>Get involved in the 307 Studio Series and TGIT's.</li> <li>Get involved in summer theatre, at NKU or through SETC.</li> </ul>	TAR 380 Playwriting	3	ENG 308 Shakespeare I	3
	TAR 340 Playscript Analysis	3	TAR 481 Special Problems: Playwriting/Criticism	3
	ENG elective 300 level or above	3	Gen Ed	3
	Gen Ed	3	Gen Ed	3
	Gen Ed	3	Elective	3
	Production Credit	1	Production Credit	1
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>
THIRD YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Take advantage of study abroad opportunities.</li> </ul>	ENG 309 Shakespeare II	3	TAR 481 Special Problems: Playwriting/Criticism	3
	TAR 346 Theatre History	3	TAR 347 Dramatic Literature	3
	Gen Ed	3	Elective	3
	TAR 370 Directing I	3	Elective	3
	Elective	3	Gen Ed	3
	Production Credit	1	TAR 477 The Business of Theatre	1
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>
FOURTH YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Utilize the faculty to help plan opportunities after graduation.</li> </ul>	TAR 498 Individual Studies in Theatre	1	TAR 482 Screenwriting	3
	TAR elective Group II or III	3	Elective	3
	TAR 495 Senior Project	1	Elective	3
	Electives	6	TAR 442 Dramatic Theory and Criticism	3
	Gen Ed	3		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	
<b>GRAND TOTAL OF CREDITS</b>			<b>122</b>	

**Theatre/Dance Elective:** Any course not required for a major in TAR Categories, I, II, III, IV, V, VI, and/or VII.

**Elective:** Hours that fall outside B.F.A. and general education requirements; may be in theatre, dance, or any other university course.

