

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS (AA) Fine Arts - Theatre DEGREE (AGEC – A)
Official MCCCDC Advisement Check Sheet
2009-2010 Catalog Year

The Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Theatre degree is designed for students planning to transfer to four-year colleges and universities. In general, the components of the degree meet requirements for majors in the Fine Arts the degree is designed to prepare students to meet selective admission criteria for programs such as the Bachelor of Fine Arts, which may require a portfolio or performance requirement.

ALL GRADES MUST BE "C" OR BETTER

60-64 CREDITS (Numbered 100 and above) REQUIRED FOR DEGREE

NAME	ADVISOR / COLLEGE	UNIVERSITY MAJOR / CATALOG YEAR
ID	DATE	CODE: 8107

General education values are based on the semester in which credit was earned. See AGECE courses: www.maricopa.edu/academic/ccta/curric/ac/amtrx.doc

GENERAL EDUCATION AGECE-A CORE REQUIREMENTS* (35 Credits)	CREDITS	GRADE	SEMESTER	NOTES
First-Year Composition (6 Credits)				
FYC - ENG 101 OR 107	3			
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Literacy & Critical Inquiry (3 credits)				
L - THE 220	3			
Mathematical Studies (6 Credits)				
MA - MAT 142 OR College Algebra OR Pre-Calculus or any other mathematics course for which College Algebra is a pre-requisite	3			
CS -	3			
Humanities and Fine Arts (6 Credits) Students are encouraged to choose courses from more than one discipline for a total of six semester credits.				
HU - THE 205	3			
HU -	3			
Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 Credits) Students are encouraged to choose courses from more than one discipline for a total of six semester credits.				
SB -	3			
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Natural Sciences (8 Credits) Two lab sciences are required. Only one course may be SG.				
SQ -	4			
SQ OR SG -	4			

AWARENESS AREAS May be shared with core.

Cultural Diversity in the U. S. (C)	CR	GR	SEM	Historical (H) or Global (G) Awareness	CR	GR	SEM
	0-3				0-3		

MCCCDC Additional Requirements (0-6 Credits) May be shared with core.

Oral Communication (0-3 Credits)	CR	GR	SEM	Critical Reading (0-3 Credits)	CR	GR	SEM
COM 100, 110, 225 OR 230	0-3			CRE 101 OR Equivalent as indicated by assessment	0-3		

FINE ARTS REQUIREMENTS – Theatre (25-29 Credits)

Foundations (13 Credits)				Restricted Electives** (Minimum 12 Credits) Select from the following:											
THE 111	3			HUM/THE 206	3			THP 130 OR 131	3			THP 216	3		
THP 112	3			HUM/THE 210	3			THP 210	3			THP 217	3		
THP 115	3			THE 118	3			THP 211	3			THP 219	3		
THP 201AA OR AB	1			THP 120AA	1			THP 212	3			THP 267	3		
THP 213	3			THP 120AB	1			THP 214	3			THP 271	3		

**Students must select MCCCDC courses that are acceptable as an equivalent course, departmental elective credit (XXXXDEC), or general elective credit (Elective) at all Arizona public universities according to the Arizona CEG within www.aztransfer.com. For appropriate course selection, students should consult with an advisor

** Students may choose from the following courses to specialize in Acting, Technical Theatre, Teacher Education, or Cinema. Students should consult with the theatre advisor for the restricted electives recommended for each specialization track.

Notes: Check with advisement / records offices for the posting of AGECE certification for block transfer on official transcripts. Students are responsible for proper selection of courses and verification of course work applicability with their transfer university.

The semester credits used to satisfy the MCCC Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Theatre may apply to university graduation requirements of the university major for which the degree is designed. Information regarding the articulation of the degree with majors at the Arizona public universities can be accessed via the following website: www.aztransfer.com

Academic Policies that Govern the Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Theatre Degree

- Completion of the Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Theatre or the AGEC-A provides for exemption from Arizona public university admission requirements for Arizona residents who have a minimum Grade Point Average of 2.0 on a 4.0=A scale and a minimum 2.5 on a 4.0=A scale for non-residents.
- The graduation policies within the general catalog must be satisfied for completion of the Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Theatre degree.
- A minimum of 60 semester credits in courses numbered 100 and above to be completed with a grade of “C” or better; Credit units transferred from outside of the district need to be at a grade of “C” or better. A grade of “C” equals 2.0 on a 4.0 grading scale or equivalent. On an exception basis, P-grades may be allowed in the AGEC for credit transferred if documentation collected by the community college indicates that the P-grade issued was the only option for the student and the P-grade is a “C” or better. The P-grade exception does not apply to credits awarded by AGEC granting/receiving institutions.
- Credit received through prior learning assessment or credit by evaluation is transferable within the Maricopa Community Colleges but is not necessarily transferable to other colleges and universities. No more than 20 semester credit hours may be applied toward AGEC.
- The General Education Requirements for AGEC-A may be completed in 35 semester credits with the following stipulations
 - Courses can satisfy a Core Area and one or two Awareness Areas simultaneously
 - A course cannot be used to satisfy more than one Core Area
- Effective Fall 2000, the course evaluation and/or general education designation as listed in the Arizona Course Equivalency Guide (CEG) is valid for the term in which the student is awarded credit on the transcript. A course evaluation and/or general education designation may be subject to change. Students do have the option to petition for general education evaluations and/or general education designations upon transfer.
- Courses completed at one of the Maricopa Community Colleges to meet AGEC-A requirements must be listed in the Course Equivalency Guide as an equivalent course, departmental elective credit (XXXXDEC), or general elective credit (Elective) at all Arizona public universities. The course’s evaluation and/or general education designation is valid for the term in which the student is awarded credit on the transcript. See the list titled [MCCC Courses That Can Be used to Satisfy MCCC AGEC-A, AGEC-B, and/or AGEC-S](#) for specific course information via the following website: www.maricopa.edu/academic/ccta/curric/ac/amtrx.doc
- Courses completed at one of the Maricopa Community Colleges to meet the General Electives requirement must be listed in the Course Equivalency Guide (CEG) as an equivalent course, departmental elective credit (XXXDEC), or general elective credit (Elective) at all Arizona public universities. For appropriate course selection, students should consult with an advisor.
- Courses transferred from another regionally accredited institution to one of the Maricopa Community Colleges will be evaluated by the college for inclusion in the AGEC-A or Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Theatre Degree.
- Courses and their modular equivalents will satisfy AGEC-A and Associate in Arts, Fine Arts - Theatre requirements.
- If a course is cross-referenced with one or more other courses, then only one of the cross-referenced courses will be accepted to meet requirements.

Degree Requirements: The 60-64 semester credits required for the Associate in Arts, Fine Arts -Theatre follow. See the list titled [MCCC Courses that can be used to Satisfy MCCC AGEC-A, AGEC-B, and/or AGEC-S](#) for specific course information via the following website: www.maricopa.edu/academic/ccta/curric/ac/amtrx.doc This list identifies the courses in alpha-order by prefix as well as the Core Areas and Awareness Areas where the course will apply. For purposes of clarifying requirements in the Mathematics and Natural Sciences areas on the list and the AGEC requirements, an A, B, and/or S character may follow the [MA], [SQ], [SG] general education designations and refers to the specific AGEC.