

Drama and Theatre BA

FOUR-YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

12 Required Core Credits

18 Flexible Core Credits

12 College Option Credits

39 Major Credits

12 Elective Credits

This 4-year academic plan is for freshmen entering Queens College in Fall 2025.

Our 4-year academic plans are illustrative examples of integrated degree requirements and course sequencing for each of the College's programs of study which are designed to ensure degree completion in a timely manner. Students are advised to meet with professional and faculty advisors to tailor their degree maps to their individual interests (academic and career goals), as well as other considerations including course offerings and the incorporation of winter and summer sessions. Course pre-requisite/s and co-requisite/s are strictly enforced, as are entrance and maintenance criteria (if applicable) for the successful completion of the degree.

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Freshman

FALL

English Composition I (EC1)	3 credits
DRAM 111 (CE)	3 credits
Introduction to Design for the Theatre	
Life and Physical Science (LPS)	4 credits
College Option Language (LANG)	4 credits
DRAM 120	3 credits
Introduction to Dramatic Literature	

Fall total credits **17 credits**

SPRING

English Composition II (EC2)	3 credits
DRAM 130 (suggested)	
DRAM 100 (CE)	3 credits
Introduction to Acting	
Math & Quantitative Reasoning (MQR)	3 credits
College Option Literature (LIT) + W	3 credits
With Writing Intensive Unit**	
Second major, minor, or general electives	3 credits

Spring total credits **15 credits**

Sophomore

FALL

DRAM 201	3 credits
History of Theatre from Antiquity to the Renaissance	
DRAM 115	3 credits
Introduction to Technical Theatre	
World Cultures & Global Issues (WCGI)	3 credits
U. S. Experience in Its Diversity (USED)	3 credits
Second major, minor, or general electives	3 credits

Fall total credits **15 credits**

SPRING

DRAM 202	3 credits
History of Theatre from the Renaissance	
DRAM 218	3 credits
Project of Theatre Design	
Individual & Society (IS)	3 credits
Scientific World (SW)	3 credits
Second major, minor, or general electives	3 credits

Spring total credits **15 credits**

**If a Literature course is taken with a W, it will count towards Literature and one Writing Intensive Unit.

General Education requirements may be taken in any order if the pre-requisite requirement(s) is/are satisfied.

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Junior

FALL

DRAMA ELECTIVE	3 credits
DRAM 303, 304, or 308	3 credits
Play and Performance: Modern Theatre	
DRAM 231	3 credits
Introduction to Directing	
An Additional College Core	3 credits
Second major, minor, or general electives	3 credits

Fall total credits**15 credits**

SPRING

One Writing Intensive Unit (W)	3 credits
DRAM 344W (suggested)	
College Option Science (SCI)	3 credits
DRAMA ELECTIVES	6 credits
Second major, minor, or general electives	3 credits

Spring total credits**15 credits**

Senior

FALL

DRAMA ELECTIVES	9 credits
Second major, minor, or general electives	6 credits

Fall total credits**15 credits**

SPRING

DRAMA CAPSTONE OR INTERNSHIP	3 credits
Second major, minor, or general electives	12 credits

Spring total credits**15 credits**

*General Electives: Students may complete general electives by taking courses in (most) department/s or programs they choose; however, depending on the course/program, students may need department permission and/or prerequisite course/s. Electives may be used to supplement the chosen major (an English major may want to take a course in French or Italian literature) or to fulfill interest in a different area (a Music major may be interested in the physics of sound). Students are encouraged to use available electives to complete a dual major, minor, pre-requisites for graduate or professional school, or complete and internship, experiential learning and/or study abroad. Students are encouraged to use their available general electives wisely and focus on coursework that will assist them personally, academically and professionally.