

DEGREES & CERTIFICATES

MUSICAL THEATER CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT (CA)

About the Program

The Musical Theater certificate provides training in the theories and practices of performing in musicals. The program is designed to provide knowledge and practical experience in acting, singing, movement and dance, preparing students to perform in community, amateur and professional productions of musical theater. Students are required to audition for at least one Musical Theater production (THEA 57).

Program Goals and Objectives

The Musical Theater certificate provides training in the theories and practices of performing in musical theater. Working from a place of passion, preparation, and professionalism, the Musical Theater certificate offers a way to recognize the completed study and achievements of actors who wish to pursue their passions in Musical Theater. The program is designed to provide knowledge and practical experience in acting, singing, movement and dance, preparing students to perform in community, amateur and professional productions of musical theater.

Career Opportunities

Performer (Actor / Dancer / Singer) Choreographer Director Teaching Artist Corporate Facilitator

Program Outcomes

- Upon completion of the Certificate of Achievement in Musical Theater, students are able to demonstrate a professional work ethic within a professional framework of collaboration in rehearsal and performance.
- Upon completion of the Certificate of Achievement in Musical Theater, students are able to demonstrate knowledge of the basic anatomy and physiology involved in tone production and of the respiratory system and its contribution to singing.
- Upon completion of the Certificate of Achievement in Musical Theater, students are able to examine and perform within major genres of American Musical Theater.
- Upon completion of the Certificate of Achievement in Musical Theater, students are able to practice, perform, and memorize scales, chords, and simple harmonic progressions.
- Upon completion of the Certificate of Achievement in Musical Theater, students are able to synthesize acting, movement, dance, and singing skills into a truthful musical theater performance.

Required Core: (12 units)

THEA 1A Theory/Practice of Acting I.....	3
THEA 1B Theory/Practice of Acting II.....	3
THEA 39A Musical Theater Workshop - Beginning.....	3
DANC 1 Introduction to Dance.....	1
MUS 21A Beginning Piano.....	1
MUS 23A Elementary Voice.....	1

List A: Select One (3 Units)

THEA 39B Musical Theater Workshop - Intermediate.....	3
THEA 57A Performance in Production - Introduction to Musical Theater.....	3

List B: Select One (1-2 Units)

MUS 23B Intermediate Voice.....	1
MUS 44 Concert Choir.....	1
MUS 45 Chamber Choir.....	2
MUS 46 Vocal Jazz Ensemble.....	2

List C: Select One (1 Unit)

DANC 2A Jazz Dance Fundamentals/Beginning.....	1
DANC 2B Jazz Dance Beginning/Intermediate.....	1
DANC 3A Ballet Fundamentals/Beginning.....	1