Admission Guidelines
Transfer admission is a holistic and selective process, and no single criterion guarantees admission. The following factors are taken into consideration when reviewing applications:

- Demonstrated satisfactory academic progress
- Successful completion of college-level math and English courses
- Total credit hours completed
- Academic standing at your previous institution

If you have fewer than 12 transferable credits, we will also review your high school academic records.

Please keep in mind that some academic programs within the Peck School of the Arts, School of Architecture and Urban Planning, College of Engineering & Applied Science, and College of Nursing may have additional requirements for direct admission into their majors.

We encourage students to utilize this guide to plan their coursework for their first and second semesters. We highly recommend that students who are interested in transferring contact a UWM Transfer Advisor for more information about additional requirements of specific academic programs.

Admission to Theatre Requirements
Students must meet the following criteria for entry into the BFA Theatre Program:

- Earn a minimum 2.00 cumulative GPA on all coursework
- Complete the application to schedule a required interview for program entry

The BA in Theatre Practices requires 32 credits in core Theatre curriculum, 24 credits in required Theatre curriculum, 19 credits of electives and 45 credits of core (UWM) curriculum, 120 credits total.

The BA in Theatre Practices requires 32 credits in core Theatre curriculum, 43 credits in required Theatre curriculum, and 45 credits of core (UWM) curriculum, 120 credits total.

If you are interested in obtaining a degree in Theatre from UW-Milwaukee, the following recommendations have been established to help you plan your MATC coursework. Because most required Theatre coursework is only offered at UWM, you are encouraged to transfer to UWM after 1 semester at MATC. Students planning to pursue Musical Theatre should plan to begin studies at the main UWM-Milwaukee campus.

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Email: undergraduateadmissions@uwm.edu

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### General Education Requirements (GER)

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### Prerequisites and/or Foundation Courses

- Introductory/Fundamentals of Acting course: 3 THEATRE 110 or 101
- Stagecraft: 4 THEATRE 214
- Costume Construction: 2 THEATRE 225
- The Theatrical Experience: 3 THEATRE 305 (GER Art)
- Acting 2: Text & Performance: 3 THEATRE 230
- Play Analysis: 3 THEATRE 213
- Performing Arts Management: 3 THEATRE 275
- Theatre Production & Design: 3 THEATRE 236
- The Theatre: Beginnings through Realism: 3 THEATRE 321 (GER-Art/OWCB)
- The Theatre: Modern & Contemporary Period: 3 THEATRE 322 (GER-Art/OWCB)

### Major/Core College Core Courses

- Arts in PSOA Electives—Choose from 3 different departments outside home dept from approved list on PSOA website (do not utilize GER-Arts list which is a different requirement)
  - MUSIC-148 or 205 (one course max), and ART-201 may be taken: 12 Various options

### Major Requirements (Students complete an average of 3 theatre courses per semester at UWM to stay on track with degree progress.)

- Track Requirements: 24-43 Varies based on degree track; choose approved Theatre courses in consultation with advisor
- Theatre General Electives: 0-19 Varies based on degree track; choose approved Theatre courses in consultation with advisor

### General Electives

- Electives outside the PSOA GER competency requirements (OWCA, QLA, FL) or other: 12
- Elective outside Theatre: 3 Various—consult advisor**

### Total Credits = minimum 120

A maximum of 72 credits are transferrable to the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee from two-year technical colleges.

*Can be satisfied by satisfactory placement exam score or coursework. Foreign language may be met by 2 years of HS study.

**Consult Transferology or discuss GER options with an advisor to see which courses are most appropriate.
If you are interested in obtaining a degree in Theatre from UW-Milwaukee, the following recommendations have been established to help you plan your MATC course work. To make sufficient progress towards your degree and to graduate in a timely manner, you are encouraged to transfer to UWM after 1-semester at MATC.

**Due to the specificity of courses, students interested in Theatre should only attend a MATC for a maximum of one semester.** Early interaction with UWM’s course of study is the most effective way of completing degree requirements in a timely manner. It is strongly recommended that you contact an advisor at UWM in the PSOA as soon as possible to discuss transfer options. For more information on course equivalencies, visit Transferology at [https://www.transferology.com/school/uwm](https://www.transferology.com/school/uwm) or the Transfer Equivalency Database (TED) at [https://web.uwm.edu/registrar/tools/ted](https://web.uwm.edu/registrar/tools/ted).

For further assistance, please contact the Peck School of the Arts Advising Office at (414)229-4763.

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