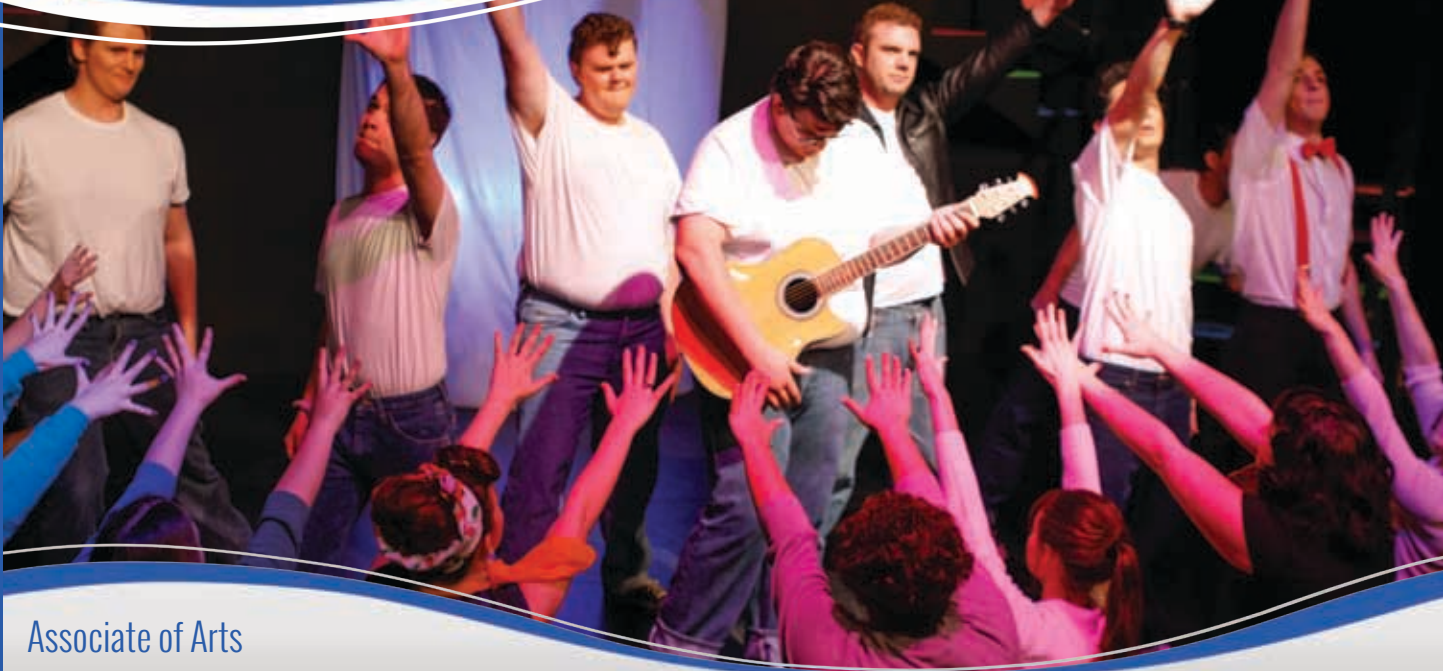




CROWDER COLLEGE



Associate of Arts **THEATRE**

Theatre Program

The Theatre Department has three general goals. First, all courses encourage the students to appreciate the theatre as an art form. Second, the courses encourage an understanding of how live theatre develops from script to performance. Third, the courses provide the student with many opportunities to experience live theatre performance and to participate in Crowder College Theatre productions in both performance and technical areas.

Areas of Study Include:

- Opportunities for student-directed productions.
- Acting
- Stagecraft
- Costume Construction
- Speech & Debate

Productions

At Crowder, you can begin performing during your freshman and sophomore years without competing with juniors, seniors, and graduate students which you would find at a four-year college or university. The theatre produces five main stage productions, with a children's production each year and opportunities for a student-directed play.

Social Groups

Crowder Players is a student theatre club that plans and implements several theatre-related events each year.

Crowder Theatre offers an admission into Delta Psi Omega, a Theatre Honors Fraternity.

Scholarships

The Crowder College Theatre Department offers talent-based scholarships for participation in theatre productions. You do not need to declare a theatre major in order to receive a scholarship.

Potential Careers

- Acting
- Playwriting
- Teaching Artist
- Production
- Film Crew
- Directing
- Technical Director
- Scenic Designer
- Costume Designer
- Makeup Artist

Salary

For salary and wage information, visit missourieconomy.org or bls.gov

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THEATRE

SUGGESTED PLAN OF STUDY



FIRST YEAR

First Semester (fall)

COLL	101	College Orientation	1
ENGL	101	English Composition I*	3
MATH	111	College Algebra*	3
TA	105	Acting I	3
TA	106/116	Theatre Practicum	1
TA	205	Introduction to Theatre	3
SPCH	101	Fundamentals of Speech*	3
TOTAL HOURS			17

Second Semester (spring)

BIOL	101	General Biology	5
ENGL	102	English Composition II*	3
HIST	106	-or- PLSC 103	3
TA	107/117	Theatre Practicum	1
TA	115	Stagecraft	3
TOTAL HOURS			15

SECOND YEAR

Third Semester (fall)

TA	206/216	Theatre Practicum	1
		Approved Literature Course	3
		Approved Physical Science Course	5
		Approved Soc & Behavioral Sci Course	3
		Approved Theatre Elective	2
TOTAL HOURS			14

Fourth Semester (spring)

PE	113	Lifetime Fit and Wellness	2
TA	180	Stage Makeup	3
TA	207/217	Theatre Practicum	1
TA	210	Oral Interpretation	3
		Approved Humanities Course	3
		Approved Soc & Behavioral Sci Course	3
TOTAL HOURS			15

*Prerequisite required

TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED 61

This Suggested Plan of Study is based on course offerings at the Neosho campus and online. Adjustments in scheduling may need to be made based on other campus course offerings. This is just one possible plan. The length of time to complete the program may vary for each student. In addition, based on placement results, individuals may need to take additional courses for academic remediation.

Getting Started

- **Complete an Application for Admission**—\$25 application fee must accompany your application. Applications may be completed online by clicking the **Apply Now** link at www.Crowder.edu.
- **Take a Placement Exam**—(COMPASS or ACT) COMPASS is a computerized placement exam that will help your academic advisor place you in the correct English, Reading and Math classes. Call 417-455-5433 or any off-campus site to schedule a testing time. For more information concerning COMPASS, please visit our website.
- **Review the Schedule of Classes**—This will give you a chance to become familiar with the types of classes Crowder College has to offer. Check out the Course Schedules under the Academics tab on the “My Crowder” link at www.Crowder.edu.
- **Enroll During Open Enrollment**—Check the website or Announcements for current dates.
- **Provide Your Academic History** -Have your high school transcript or GED scores, plus any previous college transcripts, sent to our Records Office.
- **Make Payment Arrangements**—Payment arrangements must be made by the first day of regular enrollment: cash, payment plan, scholarship, or financial aid. Apply for financial aid online at www.fafsa.gov, Crowder College School Code: 002459. All A+ Program and CAMP students must complete the FAFSA.
- **Financial Aid**—Various forms of financial aid are available to qualified students including scholarships, loans and grants. Scholarship information and applications are available on the Crowder College website: www.crowder.edu. Students may complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid online at: www.fafsa.gov