

## Associate of Fine Arts (AFA) Degrees

Students seeking an Associate of Fine Arts (AFA) degree from Normandale Community College must successfully complete the degree requirements determined by the specific degree, which includes MnTC required credits.

Students need to consult the department chair to initiate an AFA degree program.

Other Graduation Requirements:

- Complete the specific major requirements.
- Earn a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.00 or higher for college-level coursework completed at Normandale.
- Earn a minimum of 20 College level credits at Normandale.

## Theatre Performance (AFA)

### Theatre Program Accreditation

*The Theatre Department at Normandale Community College is an accredited institutional member of the National Association of Schools of Theatre.*

The Associate of Fine Arts degree in Theatre Performance is designed for the student who wishes to focus on intensive study of the first two years of theatre performance curriculum and production activities. The degree is appropriate for students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program (BA or BFA) in acting or performance at a four year institution.

The AFA in Theatre Performance is a combination of liberal arts general education courses and introductory theatre arts courses. The degree is earned by completing 60 credits – 40 credits of which are to include the entire Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC).

Students should consult their intended institution for any additional admissions or general education requirements.

*\*Acceptance into this degree program is by audition/interview only.*

### Required Theatre Courses (20 cr):

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| THTR 1101 | Voice and Movement (3)              |
| THTR 1120 | Theatre Performance Practicum (1)*  |
| THTR 1135 | Introduction to Stage Makeup (2)    |
| THTR 1151 | Acting 1 (3)                        |
| THTR 2150 | Script Analysis (3)                 |
| THTR 2151 | Acting 2 (3)                        |
| THTR 2160 | Audition Technique-Stage/Screen (3) |

*\* This one-credit course should be repeated for a total of 3 credits.*

### General Education Requirements:

Complete the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC). With careful planning, courses used to satisfy Goals 5 and 6 may also be counted for Goals 7, 8, 9 and 10.

