



Calendar Year: 2026/2027

PROGRAM PLANNING GUIDE

Name: _____

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Bachelor of Fine Arts - Dramatic Arts / Bachelor of Education

Dramatic Arts / Drama Education



As an Education major, a student develops a strong knowledge base in the subject area they intend to teach. They also receive in-depth preparation in how to teach, including both general and subject area instructional methods.

The breadth of our program enables you to share your artistic knowledge in various educational contexts and to guide the entire process of producing a play from beginning to end.

What determines my program requirements?

Please refer to the Academic Calendar (www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar) for complete program information.

Calendar Year: 2026/2027 - Your calendar year is set to the academic year you are admitted (or readmitted) and you should follow the requirements for that year for the duration of your program.

Faculty/School: Faculty of Fine Arts (www.ulethbridge.ca/fine-arts) and Faculty of Education (www.ulethbridge.ca/education)

Program(s): Bachelor of Fine Arts - Dramatic Arts / Bachelor of Education

Major(s): Dramatic Arts / Drama Education

Minor: A defined set of courses, designed to provide depth in a particular discipline, study in an interdisciplinary area, or focus on a theme-related topic. To learn more about optional minors see www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/minors.

Am I admissible to this program?

Admission: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/undergrad

Transfer: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/transfer-resources

When/How do I apply to the University?

Deadlines: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/undergrad/deadlines

Step-by-Step: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/step-by-step

Where can I find information on courses?

Course Catalogue: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/courses

Registration Guide: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/registration-guide

When can I register for classes?

Register early! (March for Summer and Fall; November for Winter)

Registration Dates: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/registration-dates

How can I enhance my program?

Career Bridge: www.ulethbridge.ca/career-bridge

Education Specializations:

www.ulethbridge.ca/education/programs-degrees/undergraduate-studies/specializations

What supports are available to students?

Student Services: www.ulethbridge.ca/campus-life/student-services

Student Success Centre: www.ulethbridge.ca/student-success-centre

Accessible Learning: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/alc

Counselling Services: www.ulethbridge.ca/counselling



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Contact an Academic Advisor (www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-advising) for advising information

This is a planning guide and not a graduation check or guarantee of course offerings. You should have a program check done in your final year of studies. Students are responsible for ensuring they have met program requirements. This guide should be used in conjunction with the University of Lethbridge Academic Calendar, which is the final authority on program requirements and academic regulations.



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Students begin in the Faculty of Fine Arts where they progress toward completion of Faculty of Fine Arts degree requirements, and prepare to meet the admission requirements for the Faculty of Education. Please note that completion of admission requirements does not guarantee admission to the Faculty of Education.

B.F.A. - Dramatic Arts Requirements (22 Courses)

- _____ 1. Drama 1000 - Introduction to Dramatic Arts
- _____ 2. Drama 2010 - Performance Fundamentals
- _____ 3. Drama 2100 - Play Reading and Analysis
- _____ 4. Drama 2120 - History and Development of Theatre I
- _____ 5. Drama 2130 - History and Development of Theatre II
- _____ 6. Drama 2310 - Acting I
- _____ 7. Drama 2600 - Theatre Performance Practicum I
- _____ 8. Drama 2611 - Theatre Production Practicum I
- _____ 9. Drama 2810 - Introduction to Stagecraft
- _____ 10. Drama 2825 - Introduction to Design for Theatre
- _____ 11. Drama 3420 - Directing Fundamentals
- _____ 12. Drama 3885 - Technical Theatre for Teachers
- _____ 13. **One of:**
 - _____ Drama 2320 - Voice I
 - _____ Drama 2340 - Movement I
 - _____ Drama 2740 - Devised Theatre I
- _____ 14. **One of:**
 - _____ Drama 3130 - Canadian Theatre
 - _____ Drama 3150 - Theatre Studies (Series)
 - Title: _____
 - _____ Drama 3151 - Play Reading and Analysis II
 - _____ Drama 3160 - Dramaturgy
- _____ 15.-21. Seven elective Drama courses (21.0 credit hours) at the 3000/4000 level
 - _____ 15. _____
 - _____ 16. _____
 - _____ 17. _____
 - _____ 18. _____
 - _____ 19. _____
 - _____ 20. _____
 - _____ 21. _____
- _____ 22. One elective (3.0 credit hours) from the Faculty of Fine Arts, Faculty of Arts and Science, or the School of Liberal Education
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Liberal Education List Requirement (8 courses)

Only four courses (12.0 credit hours) in total may be counted from any one discipline toward the Lib Ed Requirement. Disciplines are identified by separate course subject codes. Cross-listed courses count toward the limit for both disciplines (e.g. Geography 3225/Global Business 3225 counts toward the limit for Geography and Dhillon School of Business courses).

Only four courses (12.0 credit hours) in total from the Faculty of Education (EDUC), Faculty of Health Sciences (AMHC, HLSC, INHL, NURS, PUBH, and TREC), and the Dhillon School of Business (ACCT, AGEM, DGTR, FINC, GLBU, HRLR, IGBM, MGT, and MKTG) may be counted towards the Lib Ed Requirement.

To determine if a course has a Liberal Education designation, see School of Liberal Education in the 2026/2027 University of Lethbridge Undergraduate Calendar, www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar.

- _____ 23.-26. **List II: Social Science**
 - _____ 23. _____
 - _____ 24. _____
 - _____ 25. _____
 - _____ 26. _____
- _____ 27.-30. **List III: Science**
 - _____ 27. _____
 - _____ 28. _____
 - _____ 29. _____
 - _____ 30. _____

B.F.A. - Dramatic Arts General Requirements

Bachelor of Fine Arts - Dramatic Arts

- _____ Completion of at least 30 courses (90.0 credit hours) from disciplines offered by the Faculty of Fine Arts, Faculty of Arts and Science, or the School of Liberal Education with a GPA of at least 2.00 (on the University of Lethbridge 4.0 scale).
- _____ A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.50 (on the University of Lethbridge 4.0 scale) on all Drama courses.
- _____ Completion of at least 10 Drama courses at the 3000/4000 level.
- _____ A maximum of three Independent Studies (9.0 credit hours).
- _____ A maximum of three Disciplinary Credit Applied Studies courses (9.0 credit hours) may be completed for credit towards the degree.
- _____ Not more than eight courses may be taken at the 0100/1000 level for credit toward the degree. Activity courses and courses numbered in the range 0520 to 0530 are exempted from this limit.

Residence Requirement

- _____ Completion of a minimum of 30 courses at the University of Lethbridge, including 15 courses offered by the Faculty of Fine Arts, Faculty of Arts and Science, or School of Liberal Education, including a minimum of seven courses in Drama.



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Faculty of Education Admission

To be considered for admission to the Faculty of Education, successful completion of the following is required:

Note: Due to course sequencing, the Faculty of Fine Arts recommends students to complete 30 courses prior to applying to the Faculty of Education.

- 14 graded term courses (42.0 credit hours).
- **Education Admission GPA:** Minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.50 on all U of L and transferable courses taken within the terms containing the last 14 courses (42.0 credit hours). All courses must be graded.
- Minimum of five courses (15.0 credit hours) in the major.
- **Major GPA:** Minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.50 on all graded courses comprising the major, including all transferable courses.
- Credit in Education 2500 - Orientation to Teaching (or equivalent) prior to the fall program intake, including a favourable recommendation from the instructor.

Students are advised to contact Student Program Services in the Faculty of Education (edu.sps@uleth.ca; TH421; tel. 403-329-2254) for guidelines regarding the requirements stated above. For specific information on admission requirements, please refer to the Combined Degrees section of the Academic Calendar: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar.

Students of Indigenous descent, and students with a significant shift in academic performance, are advised to refer to the current Calendar for the Faculty of Education’s Special Case Admission policies.

B.Ed. Requirements (20-course equivalent)

- _____ 1. Education 2500 - Orientation to Teaching (3.0 credit hours)
 - _____ 2.-36. Professional Semester I (15.0 credit hours)
 - _____ 7.-11. Professional Semester II (15.0 credit hours)
 - _____ 12.-16. Professional Semester III (15.0 credit hours)
 - _____ 17. Education Foundation (3.0 credit hours) at the 43xx level
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- _____ 18.-20. Three Education Electives (9.0 credit hours) at the 3000 or 4000 level
 - _____ 18. _____
 - _____ 19. _____
 - _____ 20. _____

B.Ed. General Requirements

Bachelor of Education

- _____ Completion of the equivalent of 20 courses (60.0 credit hours) in Education
- _____ Completion of the Education teaching major with a cumulative GPA of 2.50 (on the University of Lethbridge 4.0 scale).
- _____ A cumulative GPA of 2.50 or higher (on the University of Lethbridge 4.0 scale) in all courses taken after admission to the Faculty of Education.
- _____ Residence requirement: a minimum of 15 courses (45.0 credit hours) offered by the Faculty of Education must be completed at the University of Lethbridge.

Note: In order to have a teaching minor endorsed on the official academic transcript, a GPA of 2.50 or higher on all non-Education courses comprising the minor and, additionally, a minimum B- in the appropriate Education methods course is required.

Optional Education Minor: _____

For information about Education Minors, see **Minors for Education Programs**, www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/minors. Consult with an Academic Advisor if you wish to add a minor to your program.

1.-6. Required Courses

- _____ 1. _____
- _____ 2. _____
- _____ 3. _____
- _____ 4. _____
- _____ 5. _____
- _____ 6. _____ (Education methods req.)



Shown below is the recommended sequence of courses for your degree. Consult timetables for course offerings, prerequisites, and corequisites before registering each term as some courses may have limited offerings (ie. once a year, alternating years, or only offered in the Fall or Winter terms).

Consult with an Academic Advisor in your faculty if you wish to alter this sequence with regard to the specifically listed courses.

Note that this sequence was prepared based on course scheduling at the time of publication and may change during your studies.

First Year (Fall)

- Drama 1000
- Drama 2010
- Drama 2810
- Lib Ed List Requirement
- Lib Ed List Requirement

First Year (Winter)

- Drama 2100
- Drama 2310
- Drama 2825
- Lib Ed List Requirement
- Elective

Second Year (Fall)

- Drama 2120
- One of: Drama 2600 or Drama 2611
- One of: Drama 2320/2340/2740 or Lib Ed List Requirement
- Lib Ed List Requirement
- Education 2500

Second Year (Winter)

- Drama 2130
- One of: Drama 2600 or Drama 2611
- Drama 3000/4000-level elective
- Drama 3000/4000-level elective
- One of: Drama 2320/2340/2740 or Lib Ed List Requirement

Third Year (Fall)

- One of: Drama 3420 or Lib Ed List Requirement
- One of: Drama 3130/3150/3151/3160
- One of: Drama 3885 or Drama 3000/4000-level elective
- Drama 3000/4000-level elective
- Lib Ed List Requirement

Third Year (Winter)

- One of: Drama 3420 or Lib Ed List Requirement
- One of: Drama 3885 or Drama 3000/4000-level elective
- Drama 3000/4000-level elective
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Admission to the Faculty of Education

Education 2500 must be completed (with a Pass Recommend) before admission. It may be taken in the winter or summer term immediately prior to the fall intake

Fourth Year (Fall)

- Professional Semester I (15.0 credit hours)
- Curriculum and Instruction, Educational Psychology, Language in Education, Assessment and Learning, Teaching Seminar, Indigenous Education*
- Practicum - Equivalent to 125 hours in a school*

Fourth Year (Winter)

- Professional Semester II (15.0 credit hours)
- Principles of Curriculum and Instruction for Majors, The Educational Psychology of Exceptional Learners, Social Context of Schooling, Evaluation and Reporting*
- Practicum - Equivalent to 150 hours in a school*

Elementary Education students will reverse the Fifth Year fall and winter terms and complete PS III in the winter.

Fifth Year (Fall)

- Professional Semester III (15.0 credit hours)
- Internship - Students are assigned to schools for approximately 200 hours in a practicum and assume full responsibility for a classroom for approximately one-half of that time*

Fifth Year (Winter)

- Education Foundation course (43xx)
- Education elective 3000/4000 level
- Education elective 3000/4000 level
- Education elective 3000/4000 level
- Lib Ed List Requirement