The Arts at Butler

Want to stay involved with art, band, choir, dance, or theatre in college?

Looking for a PCA course or BCR credits?

JCA is HERE for YOU!

We welcome and encourage students of any major to participate in our programs by taking classes, attending our events, or joining an ensemble.

CHECK OUT WAYS TO BE INVOLVED IN EACH OF OUR DEPARTMENTS.

Click <u>here</u> to see a sample listing of non-major classes.

Click <u>here</u> to see a list of who to contact with questions.



ART

- <u>Secondary major</u> or <u>Minor in Art + Design</u>: both require a portfolio review; contact Dept. Chair <u>Steve Nyktas</u> to schedule.
- <u>Secondary major</u> or <u>Minor in Art History</u> also available, no portfolio review required.
- Take an Art Class.
- View student work for free the Annex.

ARTS ADMINISTRATION

- If you are interested in the behind-the-scenes work that makes great visual and performing art happen, explore the Arts Admin program with a few courses, such as Survey of Arts Administration (AA201).
- <u>Secondary Major</u>: requires an interview, contact <u>Brenda Johnston</u> to schedule.

DANCE

- <u>Classes for non-majors</u>: These are leveled courses, so students with no dance experience or with several years of dance experience will find an appropriate class in jazz, ballet, and modern technique. These can also count for your WB Core requirement.
- A dance minor is only available to students previously pursuing a dance major.
- Watch outstanding, full length ballets and other works: <u>check out our full</u> <u>season</u>, discounts available for Butler students with ID.

THEATRE

- Theatre Minor: no audition required
- <u>Secondary Major</u>: requires an audition or portfolio review: contact Dept. Admin, Wendy Schrepferman to schedule.
- Audition for a performance with <u>Sandbox Theatre</u>, our student-led theatre company, or any other student-led theatre work on campus. Keep an eye out for postings in Lilly Hall and social media.
- Attend a performance: Wednesday preview shows are free for students with Butler ID, student discounted tickets are also available, and all student- produced work is free but may require a reservation.

MUSIC

- <u>Music Minor</u>, no audition required –OR <u>Jazz Studies Minor</u>, audition required; contact <u>music@butler.edu</u> to schedule
- <u>Secondary Major:</u> audition required, contact School of Music office music@butler.edu to schedule
- Join an <u>instrumental or choral ensemble</u>. All ensembles are faculty-directed and typically 1 credit hour but can be taken for no credit with permission of the ensemble director and Associate Dean of JCA.
 - o All ensembles, except for athletic bands, require a placement audition at the beginning of every semester. Audition results will be posted prior to the first rehearsal, so you will have time to register for the ensemble course (ES) *after* you pass your audition. See audition details on our webpage. Email JCAadmissions@butler.edu with questions.

MUSIC, continued

- You can enroll in Wind Ensemble or University Choir for PCA credit for one semester (3 credits and additional assignments). A placement audition is still required, see above.
- O <u>Athletic Bands</u> do not require an audition a placement audition UNLESS you participate in the Core Basketball Band, see <u>website</u> for details. Both courses can be taken for zero credit if desired. Marching Band may be taken for <u>WB credit</u> for one semester. Contact <u>Professor Aaron Burkhart</u> at <u>aburkhart@butler.edu</u> with questions.
- o Extracurricular ensembles are also available. Click links for more info.
 - Freshly Brewed (women's/high voices choral)
 - Out of the Dawghouse (men's/low voices choral)
- Take private music lessons for credit: If you already have experience on your primary instrument/voice, and are also enrolled in a major ensemble, you can take private lessons with a faculty member (AM 1xx) as resources allow. To request lessons, complete the "Request for Applied Secondary Lessons" form online in School of Music Forms Central, in advance of the semester.
 - An Individual Music Instruction Fee will be charged, see "Miscellaneous Fees" section of <u>butler.edu/tuition</u> for details. Per University regulations, students may not take AM courses for no credit. Note: private applied music lessons are not designed for beginners.
- Learn to play an instrument/sing through a group <u>Applied Music courses</u> in voice, guitar, or percussion (AM 125-128) OR lessons at the <u>Butler Community Arts School</u> (<u>BCAS</u>). Lessons are scheduled and paid via BCAS, and *do not* carry academic credit. Register online for lessons <u>here</u> or at <u>butler.edu/bcas</u>.
- **Attend performances**, most of which are free or discounted for students with Butler ID, see <u>full season</u>.

BUTLER CULTURAL REQUIREMENT

- Non-JCA Majors must complete the
 <u>Butler Community Requirement</u> (BCR) of attending 8 arts events before graduation. See full list
 of approved events on the <u>BCR calendar</u>.
 Most events are free or discounted for Butler students.
- <u>Butler Arts and Events Center (BAEC)</u> is home to all of the performance venues on campus. You can use the BAEC webpage to find the most up-to- date schedule of events for every department as well as to purchase tickets.

JCA STUDENT ORGS

- Stencil Visual Arts
- Butler Arts Ambassadors- Arts Admin
- Sigma Rho Delta Dance
- Kappa Kappa Psi Music
- Mu Phi Epsilon Music

- Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Music
- <u>Tau Beta Sigma</u> Music
- Sigma Alpha Iota Music Education
- Alpha Psi Omega Theatre
- Sandbox Theatre Theatre



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non-major CLASSES



ART: Some courses require permission from the instructor. Contact dept. chair, <u>Steve Nyktas</u> or the course instructor.

Course#	Title	Semester(s) Offered
ART105	ArtHistory Survey 1	Fall
ART 107	Drawing 1	Fall & Spring
ART 205	ArtHistory Survey 2	Spring
ART 303	Photography	Fall & Spring
ART 317	American Art and Visual Culture (SJD)	Occasionally
ART 319	WorldHistory of Photography (SJD)	Occasionally
PCA200-ART	Introduction to Visual Art	Fall, Spring, Summer (some online)
PCA202-ART	IntroductiontoArtHistory	Fall & Spring

ARTS ADMINISTRATION: Non-majors should begin with AA 201. AA 301 requires 2nd semester sophomore standing or above. Upon completion of AA 301, non-majors may take other AA courses.

Course#	Title	Semester(s) Offered
AA 201	Survey of Arts Administration	Fall & Spring
AA 301	Principles and Practices of Arts Admin	Fall & Spring
PCA 219–AA	Arts and Society	Occasionally
PCA239-AA	Arts & Cultural Management in Italy	Summer (abroad)

DANCE: Dance studio courses are cross listed as Well Being options. They may be repeated for credit as DA classes but may be taken only once for WB credit (ex. DA 104 is also WB 104).

Course#	Title	Semester(s) Offered
DA101	Beginning Ballet 1 (non-majors)	Fall
DA102	Beginning Ballet 2 (non-majors)	Spring
DA103	Beginning Jazz (non-majors)	Fall
DA104	BeginningJazz(non-majors)	Spring
DA105	Intermediate/Advanced Jazz (non-majors)	Fall
DA106	Intermediate/Advanced Jazz (non-majors)	Spring
DA107	Modern Dance (non-majors)	Fall
DA108	Modern Dance (non-majors)	Spring
DA467	Design/Construction of Dance Costumes	Fall
PCA220-DA	American Dance in the Black Tradition	Occasionally
PCA221-DA	Latin Dances, African Roots	Occasionally

non-major CLASSES



MUSIC: Courses are designated as Applied Music (AM), Ensemble (ES), Music History (MH), and Music Theory (MT). Applied Music courses carry a fee and may not be taken for 0 credit.

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Course#	Title	Semester(s) Offered		
AM 1xx (first year and sophomores) OR AM 3xx (juniors and seniors)	Applied Music Lessons, secondary (private lessons, vocal and instrumental)—requires prior experience and simultaneous enrollment in an Ensemble. To enroll, contact music@butler.edu.	Fall & Spring		
AM 125	Guitar Class 1	Fall		
AM 126	Guitar Class 2	Spring		
AM 127	Voice Class 1	Fall		
AM 128	Voice Class 2	Spring		
AM 130	World Drumming	Fall & Spring		
AM 385–ICR	Music Performance Practicum (requires an audition)	Fall & Spring		
MT100	Elements of Music (Theory)	Fall		
MT 101	Music Theory 1 (placement test required, email music@butler.edu to access)	Fall		
PCA 241-MU	Music in Action	Fall, Spring, Summer (some online)		
PCA243-MU	MusicEnsemble	Fall&Spring		

Ensembles: Placement audition required see <u>butler.edu/music/wwauditions</u>; most are 1 credit hour courses. First year and sophomore students must register ES 1xx; juniors and seniors register ED 3xx

ATHLETIC BANDS

ES171/317(Fall) & ES121/321 (Spring)	BasketballBand auditionrequired for CoreBasketballBand only; see butler.edu/bands	Fall (rehearsalsbeginin Sept/Oct) & Spring
ES 119/319 or WB140- MU	${ m MarchingBand}$ $(cross-listedasWB140-MU;maybetakenasWBonlyonce)$	Fall

VOCAL/CHORAL ES104/304 Jordan Jazz (vocal jazz) Fall & Spring ES105/305 Chamber Singers (small, advanced choral group) Fall & Spring ES 118/318 Butler University Chorale Fall & Spring

	INSTRUMENTAL (exclud	ing athletic bands)	
	ES 101/301	Chamber Ensemble: by permission of School of Music Director only; email music@butler.edu	Fall&Spring
	ES106/306	Percussion Ensemble (no audition required)	Fall&Spring
	ES120/320	WindEnsemble	Fall & Spring

	ES122/322	University Symphony (Butler Symphony Orchestra)	Fall & Spring
	ES124/324	JazzEnsemble	Fall&Spring
•	ES127/327	JazzCombo	Fall&Spring

non-major CLASSES



Theatre: Theatre courses without a PCA designation are geared toward professional standards and may not suit new students without experience. Open seats may be available by permission. PCA courses may be cross listed; in such cases, they may be taken only once.

Course#	Title	Semester(s) Offered
PCA225-TH	IntroductiontoTheatreCostuming	Occasionally
PCA250-TH	Masks	Occasionally
PCA251-TH	Theatre Experienced Through the Human Body	Occasionally
PCA252-TH	Fashioning Identity: AHistory of Dress	Occasionally
PCA253-TH	The Scriptwriter's Perspective	Occasionally
PCA255-TH	Theatre: The Actor's Perspective	Occasionally
PCA256-TH	Entertainment Design	Occasionally
PCA257-TH	Theatre Production: Performance	Occasionally
PCA259-TH	Theatre Experienced Through the Human Voice	Occasionally
TH102,302	Theatre Production Practicum (prerequisite:TH130)	Fall&Spring
TH130	Production Fundamentals (minors and majors)	Fall
TH136	StageMakeup (minors and majors)	Fall
TH150-ICR	Idea of Theatre (minors and majors)	Fall
TH233	Costume Technology (minors and majors)	Spring
TH250	Text Analysis (minors and majors)	Spring
TH351	American Theatre History1	Occasionally
TH352	American Theatre History 2	Occasionally
TH 451, 452, 453	Critical Perspectives in Theatre 1,2,3 (minors and majors)	Occasionally

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JCA Signature Series information can be found here.		