

Departmental Outcomes Assessment Report



For: Theatre Arts

Analysis: The overall assessment (Fall and Winter terms) shows that 46 assessments for students over 44 credits (2nd year students) were 85% successful, while those under 75 (67 assessments) were 78% successful. The average GPA parallels your assessment of the learning outcomes.

While the numbers are low and there still may not be enough of a sample size to have much confidence in the results, TA.1.A may be an outcome around which you can design an instructional improvement (such as an additional exercise before assessment, or clarified message on academic expectation). Then use later data to show learning improvement.

As you look at the results, please think about the following points. We can discuss these at the end of this term or the beginning of next (when we have spring term results):

1. Do the data adequately inform student success on the learning outcomes and sub-outcomes?
2. Do the data combine with the outcomes and sub-outcomes to present an accurate aggregate picture of student learning?
3. Are the outcomes “actionable?” That is, once you are provided with adequate data, how confident are you that the results will show and then guide instructional/curricular improvements?

Year and Term: Fall, 2014

TA.1 - Students have the confidence to present themselves in front of a group.

TA.1.A - Can the student master the assigned material?

Course Assessed: TA141-01

Course Assessed: TA241-01

Students over 44 credits-earned average: 75

Students over 44 credits assessed for TA.1.A: 8 Over 44 credits pass rate: 79% Avg GPA: 3.38

TA.1.B - Can the student use their voice adequately for the audience to hear and understand the presentation?

Course Assessed: TA141-01

Course Assessed: TA241-01

Students over 44 credits-earned average: 75

Students over 44 credits assessed for TA.1.B: 8 Over 44 credits pass rate: 88% Avg GPA: 3.38

TA.1.C - Can the student maintain character throughout the presentation?

Course Assessed: TA141-01

Course Assessed: TA241-01

TA.1.C - Can the student maintain character throughout the presentation?

Students over 44 credits-earned average: 75

Students over 44 credits assessed for TA.1.C: 8 Over 44 credits pass rate: 92% Avg GPA: 3.38

Students over 44 credits assessed for outcome TA.1: 24 Over 44 credits pass rate: 86%
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TA.3 - Students can demonstrate an understanding of basic theatrical terminology.

TA.3.A - Can the student demonstrate an understanding of terminology in regards to acting?

Course Assessed: TA141-01

Course Assessed: TA241-01

Students over 44 credits-earned average: 75

Students over 44 credits assessed for TA.3.A: 8 Over 44 credits pass rate: 96% Avg GPA: 3.38

Students over 44 credits assessed for outcome TA.3: 8 Over 44 credits pass rate: 96%

Year and Term: Winter, 2015

TA.1 - Students have the confidence to present themselves in front of a group.

TA.1.A - Can the student master the assigned material?

Course Assessed: TA142/242-01

Students over 44 credits-earned average: 73

Students over 44 credits assessed for TA.1.A: 16 Over 44 credits pass rate: 67% Avg GPA: 2.88

Students under 45 credits assessed: 3 Under 45 credits pass rate: 56% Avg GPA: 3.05

TA.1.B - Can the student use their voice adequately for the audience to hear and understand the presentation?

Course Assessed: TA142/242-01

Students over 44 credits-earned average: 75

Students over 44 credits assessed for TA.1.B: 19 Over 44 credits pass rate: 74% Avg GPA: 2.88

Students under 45 credits assessed: 5 Under 45 credits pass rate: 87% Avg GPA: 3.07

TA.1.C - Can the student maintain character throughout the presentation?

Course Assessed: TA142/242-01

TA.1.C - Can the student maintain character throughout the presentation?

Students over 44 credits-earned average: 73

Students over 44 credits assessed for TA.1.C: 16 Over 44 credits pass rate: 83% Avg GPA: 2.88
Students under 45 credits assessed: 3 Under 45 credits pass rate: 89% Avg GPA: 3.05

Students over 44 credits assessed for outcome TA.1:	5 ¹	Over 44 credits pass rate:	75%
Students under 45 credits assessed for outcome TA.1:	11	Under 45 credits pass rate:	79%

TA.3 - Students can demonstrate an understanding of basic theatrical terminology.

TA.3.A - Can the student demonstrate an understanding of terminology in regards to acting?

Course Assessed: **TA142/242-01**

Students over 44 credits-earned average: 73

Students over 44 credits assessed for TA.3.A: 16 Over 44 credits pass rate: 88% Avg GPA: 2.88
Students under 45 credits assessed: 3 Under 45 credits pass rate: 78% Avg GPA: 3.05

Students over 44 credits assessed for outcome TA.3:	16	Over 44 credits pass rate:	88%
Students under 45 credits assessed for outcome TA.3:	3	Under 45 credits pass rate:	78%

Total students over 44 credits assessed: 99 Over 44 credits overall pass rate: 81%
Total students under 45 credits assessed: 14 Under 45 credits overall pass rate: 79%