

Music, BA

Degree requirements

Hours required and general/college requirements

A minimum of 120 hours, of which 42 must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Music degree as specified in the “[University Core Curriculum](#)” in the Academics section of this catalog and the [College of Music](#) requirements.

Major requirements

51 hours, including:

[MUTH 1400 - Theory I](#) (2)
[MUTH 1410 - Aural Skills I](#) (2)
[MUTH 1500 - Theory II](#) (2)
[MUTH 1510 - Aural Skills II](#) (2)
[MUTH 2400 - Theory III](#) (2)
[MUTH 2410 - Aural Skills III](#) (1)
[MUTH 2500 - Theory IV](#) (2)
[MUTH 2510 - Aural Skills IV](#) (1)
[MUMH 1600 - Music in Human Imagination](#) (3) (may be used to satisfy a portion of the University Core Curriculum)
[MUMH 3500 - Music History and Literature to 1750](#) (3)
[MUMH 3510 - Music History and Literature Since 1750](#) (3)
[MUAG 1013 – Keyboard Skills for Music Majors III](#) (1)
[MUAG 1014 – Keyboard Skills for Music Majors IV](#) (1)
 (MUAG 1013 and MUAG 1014 may be waived by successful completion of Piano Proficiency Exam and replaced by 2 credits of MUAS 1000-level)
 8 hours in applied music, concentration level (MUAC)
 (2)(2)(2)(2)
 6 hours of [MULB](#) enrollment (1)(1)(1)(1)(1)(1)
3 hours (1 course) from
[MUMH 4050 - Symphonic Literature](#) (3)
[MUMH 4070 - Operatic Literature](#) (3)
[MUMH 4760 - Chamber Music Literature](#) (3)
[MUMH 4770 - Masterpieces of Choral Literature](#) (3)
[MUMH 4780 - American Music](#) (3)
[MUET 4500 – Introduction to Ethnomusicology](#) (3)
[MUJS 4470 - History of Jazz](#) (3)
Music Electives
9 advanced credit hours
 (Guided electives). See specific emphasis requirements.

Other course requirements

12 hours of foreign language (including 6 advanced)

([FORL 1010 - Elementary Foreign Language](#))

([FORL 1020 - Elementary Foreign Language](#))

[FORL 2040 - Intermediate Foreign Language](#) (3)

[FORL 2050 - Intermediate Foreign Language](#) (3)

[FORL 3000-4999 – Advanced Foreign Language](#) (3)

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Foreign Language (*FORL*) options include: Arabic (ARBC), Chinese (CHIN), French (FREN), German (GERM), Italian (ITAL), Japanese (JAPN), Latin (LATI), Russian (RUSS), Spanish (SPAN)

18 advanced hours – General Studies Electives

18 advanced credit hours of courses must be from courses outside the College of Music (3000 level or higher). An additional 3 advanced credit hours may be from the College of Music and count toward a BA emphasis. See specific emphasis requirements.

Other requirements

All non-keyboard majors must enroll in secondary piano each long term/semester until proficiency is passed.

Candidates must pass the Theory Proficiency Exam.

Candidates must pass the Computer Proficiency Exam.

Candidates must pass the Upper Division Exam in applied lessons (MUAC).