

# Bachelor of Music in Composition

## Semester-By-Semester Plan

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Freshman Year	First Semester	Credit Hours
MUAC 15##	Applied Concentration Lessons*	2
MULB 18##	Large Ensemble <sup>1</sup>	1
MUTH 1400	Theory I	2
MUTH 1410	Aural Skills I	2
MUAG 1011	Piano I (if needed) <sup>2</sup>	(1)
MUCP 1180	Beginning Composition I	2
MATH 1580	Survey of Math w/App (core)	3
ENGL 1310	College Writing I** (core)	3
<b>Total Hours:</b>		<b>15/16</b>

Freshman Year	Second Semester	Credit Hours
MUAC 15##	Applied Concentration Lessons*	2
MULB 18##	Large Ensemble <sup>1</sup>	1
MUTH 1500	Theory II	2
MUTH 1510	Aural Skills II	2
MUAG 1012	Piano II (if needed) <sup>2</sup>	(1)
MUCP 1190	Beginning Composition II	2
MUMH 1610	Music as Communication (core)	3
ENGL 1320	College Writing II** (core)	3
<b>Total Hours:</b>		<b>15/16</b>

Sophomore Year	First Semester	Credit Hours
MUAC 15##	Applied Concentration Lessons*	2
MULB 18##	Large Ensemble <sup>1</sup>	1
MUTH 2400	Theory III	2
MUTH 2410	Aural Skills III	1
MUAG 1013	Piano III or Applied Secondary <sup>2</sup>	1
MUCP 2180	Intermediate Composition I	1
MUCP 2200	Sophomore Seminar	1
Social & Behavioral Science Core		3
PSCI 2306	US & TX Constitutions (core)	3
<b>Total Hours:</b>		<b>15</b>

Sophomore Year	Second Semester	Credit Hours
MUAC 15##	Applied Concentration Lessons*	2
MULB 18##	Large Ensemble <sup>1</sup>	1
MUTH 2500	Theory IV	2
MUTH 2510	Aural Skills IV	1
MUAG 1014	Piano IV or Applied Secondary <sup>2</sup>	1
MUCP 2190	Intermediate Composition II	1
MUCP 2200	Sophomore Seminar	1
PHYS 1270	Sci.&Tech of Mus Sound (core)	3
PSCI 2305	US Pol Behav & Policy (core)	3
Elective(s)		2
<b>Total Hours:</b>		<b>17</b>
<i>Pass Upper Division Exam (UDE)</i>		
<i>Pass Piano Proficiency Exam (PPE)</i>		
<i>Sophomore Composition Jury</i>		

Junior Year	First Semester	Credit Hours
MUAC 35##	Applied Concentration Lessons*	2
MULB 18##	Large Ensemble <sup>1</sup>	1
MUCP 3180	Advanced Composition I	3
MUCP 4310	Instrumentation	3
MUTH 3410	16th Century Counterpoint	3
MUMH 3500	Music History to 1750 (core)	3
Life & Physical Sciences Core		3
<b>Total Hours:</b>		<b>18</b>

Junior Year	Second Semester	Credit Hours
MUAC 35##	Applied Concentration Lessons*	2
MULB 18##	Large Ensemble <sup>1</sup>	1
MUCP 3190	Advanced Composition II	3
MUCP Elective	(select from approved list) <sup>3</sup>	3
MUTH 3420	18th Century Counterpoint	3
MUMH 3510	Music History since 1750(core)	3
Language, Philosophy & Culture Core		3
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>18</b>
<i>Pass Concentration Proficiency (Exit Jury)</i>		

Senior Year	First Semester	Credit Hours
MULB 18##	Large Ensemble <sup>1</sup>	1
MUCP 4180	Advanced Composition III	3
MUCP 4670	Electroacoustic Music	3
MUAG 3800	Fundamentals of Conducting	2
MUCP Elective	(select from approved list) <sup>3</sup>	3
HIST 2610	US History to 1865 (core)	3
<b>Total Hours:</b>		<b>15</b>

Senior Year	Second Semester	Credit Hours
MULB 18##	Large Ensemble <sup>1</sup>	1
MUCP 4190	Advanced Composition IV	3
MUTH 3510	Form Analysis	3
HIST 2610	US History to 1865 (core)	3
Electives		6
<b>Total Hours:</b>		<b>16</b>

Degree total minimum 129 hours, including 42 advanced hours  
Students must meet all requirements noted in the University Catalog  
[www.catalog.unt.edu](http://www.catalog.unt.edu)

\* "Applied Concentration" refers to accepted concentration or performance level lessons on one instrument or voice

\*\* Students must earn a grade of "C" or better in core English classes

## Notes Cont.

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<sup>1</sup> MULB options include MULB 1801, 1802, 1803, 1805, 1806, 1807, 1808, 1809, 1810, 1811, 1812, 1813, 1815, 1816, 1817, 1818, 1819, 1820, 1821.

<sup>2</sup> May also include Secondary Lessons (MUAS 15##) taken for one credit hour per semester. All non-keyboard majors must enroll in secondary piano each long semester until Piano Proficiency is passed. If more than 2 hours of class piano are needed the other hours will subtract from free electives and may increase total degree hours.

<sup>3</sup> MUCP electives to be chosen from: MUCP 4320, 4590, 4685, 4690, 4695, or MUCP 4590/MUEN 4595 taken in combination.

Departmental and concert attendance required.

Additional information is included in the Composition Student Handbook.

For core class options, please refer to current schedule of classes under “University Core Curriculum” or log into [mydegreeaudit.unt.edu](http://mydegreeaudit.unt.edu).