

2025-2026 Music BA Degree Plan

Student name: _____ UMID: _____ Date: _____

Advisor name: _____ Concentration: **None**



UNIVERSITY of
MONTEVALLO

The Purpose of General Education is to Gain:

- Knowledge of Human Cultures and the Physical and Natural World
- Intellectual and Practical Skills

- Personal and Social Responsibility
- Integrative and Applied Learning

Key Courses For General Education (49 hours)

First Year Experience (3)

Choose: UM 101 or HNRS 101 3 _____

1. Written Composition (6)

Choose: ENG 101 or 103. 3 _____

Choose: ENG 102 or 104. 3 _____

2. Humanities & Fine Arts (18)

Choose one: ENG 231, 233, 232 or 234.* 3 _____

*Students must complete a six-hour sequence in either History or Literature. Students may complete both sequences.

Choose: COMS 101 or 102. 3 _____

Choose: MUS 342. 3 ** _____

Choose one Humanities:

AAS 200; ENG 231 or 233, 232 or 234; 3 _____

FRN 101, 102, 150, 201, 202, 250; SPN 101 3 _____

or 103, 102 or 104, 150, 201, 202, 250; GER 101,

102, 201, 202; PHIL 110 or 111, 180, 220 or 221,

230, 280, 290; REL 110.

Choose two of the following (not used above):

AAS 200; ART 100, 120, 220; ENG 231 or 233, 3 _____

232 or 234; FRN 101, 102, 150, 201, 202, 250; 3 _____

SPN 101 or 103, 102 or 104, 150, 201, 202, 250; 3 _____

GER 101, 102, 201, 202; MC 100, 325; MUS 121 3 _____

or 122, 125, 211, 240, 342; PHIL 110 or 111, 180, 220 or 221, 230, 280, 290; REL 110; THEA 120 3 _____

or 122, 123.

3. Natural Sciences & Mathematics (11)

Choose one lab science from two different disciplines:

BIO 100, 105-107; CHEM 100-102, 121, 122; 4 _____

ESCI 100; GEOL 110, 115; PHYS 100 or higher. 4 _____

Choose: MATH 147 or 154 (or MATH 144 or higher.) 3 _____

4. History, Social & Behavioral Sciences (12)

Choose one: HIST 101, 103, 102 or 104.* 3 _____

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Choose three of the following not used above:

EC 231, 232; FCS 291, 302; GEOG 231; 3 _____

HIST 101 or 103, 102 or 104; POS 200, 250; 3 _____

PSYC 201/202; SOC 101/102; SWK 203, 260, 322. 3 _____

5. Personal Development (2)

Choose: MUS 228. 2 _____

**Indicates requirement is satisfied in major course requirements.

Additional Requirements for Degree (12 hours)

Bachelor of Arts Requirements (up to 12 hours)

Students must complete either:

- the second-year course sequence in ASL, FRN, GER, or SPN.
- OR the first-year course sequence in two different languages.

Other options to complete the BA requirements are found in the Bulletin.

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GENERAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- 50% of crs in major area at UM
- 30 hrs 300/400 at UM
- 30 of last 40 hours at UM
- 64 hr limit from 2-year school
- 45 hr limit of non-traditional credit
- 6-hr sequence in history or literature
- Capstone experience within major
- 2.0 or higher UM GPA and in all major and minor areas

A minimum grade of 'C' is required for all music courses. Students may attempt a course no more than twice to earn a minimum final grade of 'C'.

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Major Course Requirements (49 hours)

Music Core (26)

MUS 111 (Principles of Theory I) 4 _____

MUS 113 (Principles of Theory II) 4 _____

MUS 211 (Principles of Theory III) 4 _____

MUS 213 (Principles of Theory IV) 4 _____

MUS 250 (World Music) 1 _____

MUS 252 (Music History, Medieval/Renaissance) 3 _____

MUS 341 (Music History, Baroque/Classical) 3 _____

MUS 342 (Music History, 19th Century to Present) 3 _____

Capstone (3)

MUS 499 (Careers and Entrepreneurship) 3 _____

Recital Class (6 semesters)

MUS 100 0 _____ MUS 100 0 _____

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MUS 100 0 _____ MUS 100 0 _____

Applied Studies (10)

Ensemble Primary Instrument

MUP 1 _____ MUP 1 _____ 1 _____

MUP 1 _____ MUP 1 _____ 1 _____

MUP 1 _____ MUP 2 _____ 1 _____

MUP 1 _____ MUP 2 _____ 1 _____

MUP 3 _____ MUP 3 _____ 1 _____

MUP 3 _____ MUP 3 _____ 1 _____

Secondary Instrument (2)

MUP 129 1 _____ MUP 130 1 _____

Advanced Studies (8)

Choose 8 hours from the following areas depending on primary instrument.

Diction: _____

Pedagogy: _____

Literature: _____

Piano: _____

Theory: _____

Music Technology: _____

Conducting: _____

General Electives (10 hours)

Limit of 3 hours from MUS and/or MUP.

Minor Course requirements (Optional)

Title: _____ Hrs. Req. _____

Total Hours Required: 120

Total Hours Completed to Date: _____

Hours Remaining for Completion: _____

Hours Currently Registered: _____

Hours Remaining: _____

For planning only. Refer to Degree Works for official degree evaluation.