

2025-2026 Music BM Degree Plan



UNIVERSITY of
MONTEVALLO

Student name: _____ UMID: _____ Date: _____

Advisor name: _____ Concentration: **Piano Performance**

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 (44 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 211. 4 **
Choose: MUS 342. 3 **
Choose two Humanities:
AAS 200; ENG 231 or 233, 232 or 234; FRN 101, 102, 150, 201, 202, 250; SPN 101 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. 3 _____
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.

GENERAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

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| 1. 50% of crs in major area at UM | 5. 45 hr limit of non-traditional credit |
| 2. 30 hrs 300/400 at UM | 6. 6-hr sequence in history or literature |
| 3. 30 of last 40 hours at UM | 7. Capstone experience within major |
| 4. 64 hr limit from 2-year school | 8. 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'.

Total Hours Required: 123
Total Hours Completed to Date: _____
Hours Remaining for Completion: _____
Hours Currently Registered: _____
Hours Remaining: _____

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Major Course Requirements (79 hours)

- Music Core (30)**
- 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 228 (Music Technology) 2 _____
MUS 250 (World Music) 1 _____
MUS 252 (Medieval/Renaissance) 3 _____
MUS 341 (Baroque/Classical) 3 _____
MUS 342 (19th Century to Present) 3 _____
MUS 495 (Basic Conducting) 2 _____

Recital Class (8 semesters)

- MUS 100 0 _____ MUS 100 0 _____
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Applied Studies (34)

- | Primary Instrument (16) | Instrumental Ensemble (8) |
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| MUP 133 2 _____ | MUP _____ 1 _____ |
| MUP 133 2 _____ | MUP _____ 1 _____ |
| MUP 233 2 _____ | MUP _____ 1 _____ |
| MUP 233 2 _____ | MUP _____ 1 _____ |
| MUP 333 2 _____ | MUP _____ 1 _____ |
| MUP 333 2 _____ | MUP _____ 1 _____ |
| MUP 433 2 _____ | MUP _____ 1 _____ |
| MUP 433 2 _____ | MUP _____ 1 _____ |
| MUP 390 0 _____ | Accompanying (2) |
| MUP 490 0 _____ | MUP 108 2 _____ |

Secondary Inst. (4)

- MUP 1 _____ 1 _____ Chamber Ensemble (4)
MUP 1 _____ 1 _____ MUP 1 _____ 1 _____
MUP 1 _____ 1 _____ MUP 1 _____ 1 _____
MUP 2 _____ 1 _____ MUP 1 _____ 1 _____
MUP 2 _____ 1 _____ MUP 1 _____ 1 _____

Advanced Studies (10)

- MUS 420 (Music Analysis) 2 _____
MUS Electives 8 _____

Area Studies (5)

- MUS 469 (Piano Literature) 3 _____
MUS 482 (Piano Pedagogy) 2 _____

General Electives (none required)

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