

2026-2027 Music BA Degree Plan

Student name: _____ UMID: _____ Date: _____

Advisor name: _____ Concentration: **None**



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; ASL 101, 102, 201, 202; 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 _____
Choose two of the following (not used above):
AAS 200; ASL 101, 102, 201, 202; ART 100, 120, 220; 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; MC 100, 325; MUS 121 or 122, 125, 211, 240, 255, 342; PHIL 110 or 111, 180, 220 or 221, 230, 280, 290; REL 110; THEA 120 or 122, 123. 3 _____
3. **Natural Sciences & Mathematics (11)**
Choose one lab science from two different disciplines:
BIO 100, 105-107; CHEM 100-102, 121, 122; ESCI 100; GEOL 110, 115; PHYS 100 or higher. 4 _____
Choose: MATH 147 or 154 (or MATH 144 or higher.) 4 _____
4. **History, Social & Behavioral Sciences (12)**
Choose one: HIST 101, 103, 102 or 104.* 3 _____
*Students must complete a six-hour sequence in either History or Literature. Students may complete both sequences.
Choose three of the following not used above:
EC 231, 232; FCS 291, 302; GEOG 231; HIST 101 or 103, 102 or 104; POS 200, 250; 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
- 60 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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Applied Studies (10)

- | Ensemble | | Primary Instrument | |
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| MUP _____ | 1 _____ | MUP 1 _____ | 1 _____ |
| MUP _____ | 1 _____ | MUP 1 _____ | 1 _____ |
| MUP _____ | 1 _____ | MUP 2 _____ | 1 _____ |
| MUP _____ | 1 _____ | MUP 2 _____ | 1 _____ |
| | | MUP 3 _____ | 1 _____ |
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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.