

**Sample Four-Year Plan**  
**BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA) IN MUSIC**

This four-year plan illustrates the type of curriculum a new freshman would take to complete a degree in four years; it is not an official document. Refer to the Academic Advising Report and department website for detailed requirements. **Transfer** students may have different general education requirements than those listed. Refer to your Advising Report for requirements specific to you.

<i>1<sup>st</sup> Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>	<i>2<sup>nd</sup> Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>
MUSC 100 Recital Attendance		0	MUSC 100 Recital Attendance		0
MUSC 186 Class Piano I <i>OR</i> MUSC 128 NP Appl Pno*		1	MUSC 187 Class Piano II <i>OR</i> MUSC 128 NP Appl Pno		1
MUSC 151 Music Theory I		2	MUSC 152 Music Theory II		2
MUSC 153 Aural Skills I		2	MUSC 154 Aural Skills II		2
MUSC 160/170/180 Applied Study**		1	MUSC 160/170/180 Applied Study		1
Ensemble†		1	Ensemble†		1
GENED/CORE 110 World of the Arts		3	MUSC 195 Music as a World Phenomenon		2
ENGLISH 101 Freshman English		3	ENGLISH 102 Freshman English		3
INTRAUNV 104 New Student Seminar		1	General Education/Minor/Electives		3-5
<b>Total</b>		<b>15-16</b>	<b>Total</b>		<b>15-17</b>
<i>3<sup>rd</sup> Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>	<i>4<sup>th</sup> Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>
MUSC 100 Recital Attendance		0	MUSC 100 Recital Attendance		0
MUSC 251 Music Theory III		2	MUSC 252 Music Theory IV		2
MUSC 253 Aural Skills III		2	MUSC 254 Aural Skills IV		2
MUSC 260/270/280 Applied Study		1	MUSC 260/270/280 Applied Study		1
Ensemble†		1	Ensemble†		1
MUSC 245 Music History I		3	MUSC 246 Music History II		3
General Education/Minor/Electives		6-8	General Education/Minor/Electives		6-8
<b>Total</b>		<b>15-17</b>	<b>Total</b>		<b>14-16</b>
<i>5<sup>th</sup> Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>	<i>6<sup>th</sup> Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>
MUSC 100 Recital Attendance		0	MUSC 100 Recital Attendance		0
MUSC 360/370/380 Applied Study		1	MUSC 455 Form and Analysis		2
Ensemble†		1	MUSC 360/370/380 Applied Study		1
MUSC 247 Music History III		3	Ensemble†		1
General Education/Minor/Electives		9-12	General Education/Minor/Electives		10-13
<b>Total</b>		<b>15-17</b>	<b>Total</b>		<b>15-17</b>
<i>7<sup>th</sup> Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>	<i>8<sup>th</sup> Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>
General Education/Minor/Electives		15	General Education/Minor/Electives		15
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>

Note that a non-Music minor is a requirement for this degree, though a second major also fulfills this requirement. Students must complete 70 units outside of Music: this total includes coursework used in the minor (or second major), and coursework used to fulfill General Education requirements or Electives. In addition to the Music coursework listed above the student must select 2-4 units of Music electives other than ensembles.

### Additional notes:

\* Placement in Class Piano or Non-Primary Applied Piano (MUSC 128 = private lessons) is determined at the audition.

### \*\* Applied Study:

- Students whose primary instrument is a string or band instrument take the MUSC 160/260/360 sequence.
- Students whose primary instrument is voice take the MUSC 170/270/370 sequence.
- Students whose primary instrument is piano take the MUSC 180/280/380 sequence.

† Wind- or Percussion-primary students enroll in four terms of instrumental ensembles, with two terms selected from MUSC 161, MUSC 162, MUSC 164, MUSC 171, MUSC 269 or MUSC 279. String-primary students enroll in four terms of MUSC 162. Voice-primary students enroll for four terms of MUSC 171 or 172. Keyboard-primary students must have a four-term ensemble plan of study approved by the department chairperson and keyboard faculty (for piano).

Music Department Website: <http://www.uww.edu/cac/music/>

## **General Degree Notes**

You must begin your Math and English sequences with the appropriate course. English placement will be determined by your ACT/SAT score. Math placement will be determined by your math placement score. Please refer to your Academic Advising Report and adjust the plan accordingly. All students must complete a minimum of 120 credits including:

- 1) At least 32 units of general education, including specific Gen Ed core courses, as well as approved math and science, physical education, and elective courses. Your general education electives must come from the following categories: GA, GE, GG, GH, GI, GP, GS or GW.
- 2) All requirements for one of the degree plans listed below.
- 3) All requirements for the major and minor (required for the BA).

## Core and General Education Requirements for BA Music Majors

While advisors can assist you with the process, it is the responsibility of students to check and understand their Academic Advising Report (AAR) on WINS.

units	course / suggestions
3 + 3	ENGLISH 101-102 (taken Fall-Spring of Freshman year)
3	COMM 110 - Fundamentals of Speech
3-4	MATH 139 (3 units) – Quantitative Reasoning <i>OR</i> MATH 141 (4 units) - Intermediate Algebra <i>Note that MATH 141 is a prerequisite for some, but not all GM Physical Science courses.</i>
4-5	Lab Science designated GL
3	additional Physical Science designated GM or GL (must be a different subject area than the Lab science)
3	GENED/CORE 110 - World of the Arts (taken fall of Freshman year)
3	GENED/CORE 130 - Individual and Society
3	GENED/CORE 140 - Global Perspectives <i>OR</i> GENED/CORE 120 Historical Perspectives
3	GENED/CORE 390 – World of Ideas (prereqs = Junior standing, ENGLISH 101 and 102, GENED 110, 130, and 140)
8-12	<u>Electives</u> - Note that BA Music majors usually have up to 4-5 units “built into” the program that count as electives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- INTRAUNV 104 (1 unit) – New Student Seminar</li> <li>- MUSC 245 (3 units) – Music History I</li> <li>- MUSC 169 (1 credit) Marching Band</li> <li>- The non-Music GA class (2-3 units) noted above also counts in this area.</li> </ul> It is usually necessary, however, to take 2-3 additional General Education-designated electives (GA, GE, GH, GI, GP, or GS) . - <i>suggestions: additional elective(s) – to bring total in Area IV of the AAR to 32 units</i>
2-3	Diversity Requirement – BA students have a course “built into” the program that fulfills this requirement: MUSC 195.
2-3	non-Music class from Art, Theater/Dance, or Comm designated GA - <i>suggestions:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- COMM 346 (3 units) - Sound and Image [<i>NOTE: This is cross-listed as MUSC 346 - Music Majors should take it under COMM, however.</i>]</li> <li>- COMM 236 (3 units) = Introduction to Cinema</li> <li>- ARTHIST 111 (2 units) - Art Appreciation</li> <li>- any 200- or 300-level Art History Course (3 units)</li> <li>- DANCE 110 (2 units) - Dance Appreciation</li> <li>- THEATRE 100 (2 units) - Theatre Appreciation</li> <li>- THEATRE 200 (2 units) – Theatre Activities (available to students involved in UWW musical theatre productions)</li> </ul>