

Program Requirements

Bachelor of Arts – Music Major (Students entering in odd-numbered years)

<p>Year 1, Fall Semester MU102 – Aural Skills I (2) MU103 – Music Theory I (3) Principal Instrument (1) Ensemble (1 or audit; 4 credits total required) MuAp171 – Beginning Piano (2)**</p>	<p>Year 1, Spring Semester MU104 – Aural Skills II (2) MU105 – Music Theory II (3) Principal Instrument (1) Ensemble (1 or audit; 4 credits total required)</p> <p>[Pass Musicianship Skills Exam to be admitted into the program]</p>
<p>Year 2, Fall Semester MU202 – Aural Skills III (2) MU203 – Music Theory III (3) MU211 – Music History I (3) Principal Instrument (1) Ensemble (1 or audit; 4 credits total required)</p>	<p>Year 2, Spring Semester MU204 – Aural Skills IV (2) MU205 – Music Theory IV (3) MU212 – Music History II (3) Principal Instrument (1) Ensemble (1 or audit; 4 credits total required)</p>
<p>Year 3, Fall Semester Principal Instrument (1) Ensemble (1 or audit; 4 credits total required) Music electives *(3) [12 credits total required]</p>	<p>Year 3, Spring Semester MU213 – World Music (3)* Principal Instrument (1 or 2) Ensemble (1 or audit; 4 credits total required) Music electives *(3) [12 credits total required]</p>
<p>Year 4, Fall Semester MU320 – Seminar in Music (3)* Principal Instrument (1 or 2) Ensemble (1 or audit; 4 credits total required) Music electives *(3) [12 credits total required]</p>	<p>Year 4, Spring Semester MU493 – Senior Project (2) Principal Instrument (2) Ensemble (1 or audit; 4 credits total required) Music electives *(3) [12 credits total required]</p>

*Course offered in alternate years.

**Students who have no previous piano experience should take MuAp171 right away to begin developing the skills necessary to pass the Keyboard Proficiency exam before graduation.

*** Ensembles taken for credit in addition to the 4 hours required may be counted toward the elective credits. Applied music credits taken beyond the 14 required on the principal instrument may likewise be counted toward elective credit.