Music

B.A. or B.S. with a Major in Music

Majors interested in a general liberal arts degree pursue either the Bachelor of Arts or the Bachelor of Science degree. The B.A. degree includes a functional proficiency in at least one language other than English. The B.S. degree requires students to complete a minor program of study.

Music Minor

Two minors are available - one for the general student and one specifically designed for the education major. Music majors cannot declare music minors.

Major Requirements

Major: Music

Degree Type: B.A. or B.S.

Required Degree Credits to Graduate: 122

Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences

Degree Requirements

Bachelor of Science (B.S.) Degree - The completion of a minor program of study, a second major, or a second degree is required.

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Degree - Second year language proficiency at college level required.

General Education Requirements

First Year Experience (F):

Total Credits		40
Global Perspectives (G): Se	elect from current general education list	
Cultural Diversity (D): Select	ct from current general education list	
Wellness (W): Select from current general education list		2
Social & Behavioral Science	es (B): Select from current general education list	6
Select from current general e	education list	3
MUSC 103	Introduction to Music History	3
Humanities & Fine Arts (A):	:	
lab experience equivalent to	a one-credit course. Select from current general education list.	
A one-credit lab must be take	en as a co-requisite with a general education science/technology course unless the course includes an embedded	
Science & Technology (S):		10
Quantitative Reasoning (R)	: Select from current general education list	3
COMM 110	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
or ENGL 322	Writing and the Creative Process	
ENGL 358	Writing in the Humanities and Social Sciences	3
ENGL 120	College Composition II	
ENGL 110	College Composition I	3
Communication (C):		
UNIV 189	Skills For Academic Success (Students transferring in 24 or more credits do not need to take UNIV 189.)	

Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences College Requirements

An additional 9 credits are required by the College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences for all Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Arts degree programs of study, except the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree, the Bachelor of Music degree, Bachelor of Landscape Architecture degree, and the Bachelor of Science in Architecture degree:

Code Title Credits

AH&SS College Requirements

Courses used to satisfy any general education requirement cannot be used to also count toward the AH&SS College Requirements. A minimum of three credits is required in each of the 3 following areas for a total of 9 credits. Choose only those courses with the prefixes listed for each area. A course with the WGS prefix can only be used in one area.

MUSC 372

Applied Guitar

Area One: Humanities ARB, ENGL, FREN, GERM, HI	ST, HUM, PHIL, RELS, SPAN, or WGS	3
Area Two: Social Sciences		3
ANTH, CJ, COMM, EMGT, PO	LS, SOC, or WGS	
Area Three: Fine Arts		3
ARCH, ART, ENVD, LA, MUSC	, or THEA	
Total Credits		9
Major Requirements		
A grade of 'C' or better is required	in all MUSC prefix courses.	
General Education Requirement	ds	40
AH&SS College Requirements		9
Music Core Requirements		25
MUSC 130	Theory and Analysis I	3
MUSC 131	Theory and Analysis II	3
MUSC 132	Ear Training & Sight Singing I	1
MUSC 133	Ear Training & Sight Singing II	1
MUSC 230	Theory and Analysis III	3
MUSC 231	Theory and Analysis IV	3
MUSC 232	Ear Training & Sight Singing III	1
MUSC 233	Ear Training & Sight Singing IV	1
MUSC 340	Music History I	3
MUSC 341	Music History II	3
MUSC 385	Music Entrepreneurship	3
Capstone Experience (choose f	1	
MUSC 380	Recital	
MUSC 480	Recital	
MUSC 494	Individual Study	
Applied Music: Select 6 credits	from the following:	6
MUSC 165	Applied Piano	
MUSC 167	Applied Voice	
MUSC 168	Applied Wind Instruments	
MUSC 169	Applied Percussion Instruments	
MUSC 170	Applied Upper Strings	
MUSC 171	Applied Lower Strings	
MUSC 172	Applied Guitar	
MUSC 173	Supplementary Applied Study	
MUSC 265	Applied Piano	
MUSC 267	Applied Voice	
MUSC 268	Applied Wind Instruments	
MUSC 269	Applied Percussion Instruments	
MUSC 270	Applied Upper Strings	
MUSC 271	Applied Lower Strings	
MUSC 272	Applied Guitar	
MUSC 273	Supplementary Applied Study	
MUSC 365	Applied Piano	
MUSC 367	Applied Voice	
MUSC 368	Applied Wind Instruments	
MUSC 369	Applied Percussion Instruments	
MUSC 370	Applied Upper Strings	
MUSC 371	Applied Lower Strings	
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Total Credits		122
B.S The completion	of a minor program of study, a second major, or a second degree is required	
B.A. Second year lang	guage proficiency at college level required	
Degree Requirements: 2	20 credits to reach 122 credits	20
MUSC 180	Performance Attendance	0
Performance Attendance	: Must enroll for 5 different semesters	
Music Electives or Emp	phasis Courses	15
MUSC 306	Concert Choir	
MUSC 303	Wind Symphony	
MUSC 215	University Chamber Singers	
MUSC 117	Statesmen of NDSU	
MUSC 116	Cantemus	
MUSC 112	University Band	
MUSC 111	Marching Band	
Major Ensemble: Select	t 6 credits from the following:	6
MUSC 473	Supplementary Applied Study	
MUSC 472	Applied Guitar	
MUSC 471	Applied Lower Strings	
MUSC 470	Applied Upper Strings	
MUSC 469	Applied Percussion Instruments	
MUSC 468	Applied Wind Instruments	
MUSC 467	Applied Voice	
MUSC 465	Applied Piano	
MUSC 373	Supplementary Applied Study	

B.A./B.S. Recital Capstone or Individual Study Capstone is fulfilled by registration in MUSC 380 Recital, MUSC 480 Recital, or MUSC 494 Individual Study. The MUSC 494 Individual Study registration is approved by the music faculty and supervised by the adviser. Possibilities include:

- Half (MUSC 380 Recital) or full (MUSC 480 Recital) recital with program notes.
- · Approved research project on a topic related to music; requires a formal written document (MUSC 494 Individual Study).
- Approved internship, such as directing an ensemble (e.g. church choir), teaching at the NDSU Academy, observed regularly by the advisor, with a formal written document of the experience (MUSC 494 Individual Study).
- Approved "lecture recital" with a formal presentation. Lecture recital should be at least the same length as a half recital (MUSC 494 Individual Study)
- Performance or major opera role or a major solo with ensemble in a formal concert, accompanied by a summary document (MUSC 494 Individual Study)

Degree Requirements and Notes

• Music majors may not declare a music minor.

Two minors available:

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Minor Requirements

Music Minor

Minor Requirements

Required Credits: 20

Required Courses

MUSC 103	Introduction to Music History	3
MUSC 130	Theory and Analysis I	3
MUSC 131	Theory and Analysis II	3
MUSC 132	Ear Training & Sight Singing I	1
MUSC 133	Ear Training & Sight Singing II	1
Applied Study Electives		2

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Minor Requirements and Notes

• A minimum of 8 credits must be taken at NDSU.

Minor Requirements

Music Education Minor

Minor Requirements

Required Credits: 19

Required Courses

Total Credits		19
MUSC 359	Percussion Methods	
MUSC 355	Brass Methods	
MUSC 353	Woodwind Methods I	
MUSC 349	Vocal Methods & Pedagogy I	
Music Education Metho	ods: Select one from the following:	2
MUSC 483	Elementary Music Methods	
MUSC 482	Choral Music Methods	
MUSC 481	Instrumental Music Methods	
Music Education Practic	icum: Select one of the following:	2
Major Ensemble Elective	/es	2
Applied Study Electives	s	2
MUSC 133	Ear Training & Sight Singing II	1
MUSC 132	Ear Training & Sight Singing I	1
MUSC 131	Theory and Analysis II	3
MUSC 130	Theory and Analysis I	3
MUSC 103	Introduction to Music History	3

Minor Requirements and Notes

• A minimum of 8 credits must be taken at NDSU.

Minor Requirements

Instrumental Music Education Minor

Minor Requirements

Required Credits: 23

MUSC 103	Introduction to Music History	3
MUSC 130	Theory and Analysis I	3
MUSC 131	Theory and Analysis II	3
MUSC 132	Ear Training & Sight Singing I	1
MUSC 133	Ear Training & Sight Singing II	1
MUSC 351	Instrumental Conducting & Literature	2
Instrumental Ensemble: Select 2	credits from the following:	2
MUSC 111	Marching Band	
MUSC 112	University Band	
MUSC 303	Wind Symphony	
Music Education Methods		
MUSC 353	Woodwind Methods I	2
MUSC 355	Brass Methods	2
MUSC 359	Percussion Methods	2

Music Education Practicum

MUSC 481	Instrumental Music Methods	2
Total Credits		23

Minor Requirements

Vocal Music Education Minor

Minor Requirements

Required Credits: 19

Required Minor Courses

Total Credits		20
MUSC 482	Choral Music Methods	
Music Education Practic	cum	2
MUSC 163	Voice Class for Instrumentalists	
MUSC 162	Voice Class	
Music Education Method	ds	3
MUSC 306	Concert Choir	
MUSC 215	University Chamber Singers	
MUSC 117	Statesmen of NDSU	
MUSC 116	Cantemus	
Choral Emsemble: Selec	ct 2 credits from the following:	2
MUSC 352	Choral Conducting & Literature	2
MUSC 133	Ear Training & Sight Singing II	1
MUSC 132	Ear Training & Sight Singing I	1
MUSC 131	Theory and Analysis II	3
MUSC 130	Theory and Analysis I	3
MUSC 103	Introduction to Music History	3