

Music Education

Department Information

- **Department Web Site:**
www.ndsu.edu/performingarts/music/ (<http://www.ndsu.edu/performingarts/music/>)
- **Credential Offered:**
B.Mus.; Minor
- **Official Program Curriculum:**
catalog.ndsu.edu/undergraduate/program-curriculum/music-education/ (<http://catalog.ndsu.edu/undergraduate/program-curriculum/music-education/>)

Sample Program Guide

instrumental music education

8 Semester Plan of Study for Students entering in EVEN Fall.

IMPORTANT DISCLAIMER: This guide is not an official curriculum. This guide is a sample four-year degree plan of how students might plan this major with other degree requirements to complete their education in four years. Student plans will vary from this sample due to a variety of factors, such as, but not limited to, start year, education goals, transfer credit, and course availability. To ensure proper degree completion, enrolled students should utilize Degree Map (<https://www.ndsu.edu/registrar/degreemap/>) and Schedule Planner (<https://www.ndsu.edu/onestop/degree-map-and-planning/>) in Campus Connection and consult regularly with academic advisors to ensure graduation requirements are being met.

First Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
EVEN YEAR		ODD YEAR	
MUSC 111		1 MUSC 103 ^(Gen Ed category A)	3
MUSC 130		3 MUSC 131	3
MUSC 132		1 MUSC 133	1
MUSC 160		1 MUSC 161	1
MUSC 189 ¹		1 MUSC XXX Band	1
MUSC 1XX Applied Study		1 MUSC 1XX Applied Study	1
MUSC XXX Choir ^{MUSC 116, 117 or 215}		1 MUSC XXX Choir ^{MUSC 116, 117 or 215}	1
ENGL 110		3 ENGL 120	3
COMM 110		3 Gen Ed Science & Technology w/Lab	4
PSYC 111		3	
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Second Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
ODD YEAR		EVEN YEAR	
MUSC 111		1 MUSC 108 ^(Cultural Diversity Gen Ed)	3
MUSC 230		3 MUSC 231	3
MUSC 232		1 MUSC 233	1
MUSC 260		1 MUSC 261	1
MUSC 2XX Applied Study		1 MUSC 2XX Applied Study	1
MUSC 355		2 MUSC XXX Band	1
EDUC 321		3 MUSC 359	2
HDFS 230 or PSYC 250		3 EDUC 322	3
Gen Ed Quantitative Reasoning		3 Gen Ed Science & Technology	3
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Third Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
EVEN YEAR		ODD YEAR	
MUSC 331		2 MUSC 341	3
MUSC 340 ^(Gen Ed category A)		3 MUSC 351	2
MUSC 353		2 MUSC 354	2
MUSC 357		1 MUSC 3XX Applied Study	1
MUSC 358		1 MUSC XXX Band	1
MUSC 3XX Applied Study		1 Minor Ensemble	1
MUSC XXX Band		1 MUSC 385	3
EDUC 451		3 MUSC 483	2
EDUC 489		3 EDUC 486	3
Gen Ed Wellness		2	
		19	18
Fourth Year			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
ODD YEAR		EVEN YEAR	
MUSC 349		2 EDUC 485	1
MUSC 352		2 EDUC 487	9
MUSC 380 or 480		1 EDUC 488	3
MUSC 481		2	
MUSC 482		2	
MUSC 4XX Applied Study		1	
MUSC 3XX Band		1	
MUSC XXX Minor Ensemble		1	
ENGL 322		3	
Gen Ed Science & Technology/Glob Persp		3	
		18	13

Total Credits: 140

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MUSC 189 ¹		1 MUSC 1XX Applied Study	1
MUSC 1XX Applied Study		1 MUSC XXX Band	1
MUSC XXX Choir ^{MUSC 116, 117 or 215}		1 MUSC XXX Choir ^{MUSC 116, 117 or 215}	1

ENGL 110	3	ENGL 120	3
COMM 110	3	Gen Ed Science & Technology w/Lab	4
PSYC 111	3		

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MUSC 232		1 MUSC 233	1
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MUSC 355		2 MUSC 2XX Applied Study	1
MUSC 2XX Applied Study		1 MUSC XXX Band	1
HDFS 230 or PSYC 250		3 MUSC 359	2
EDUC 321		3 EDUC 322	3
Gen Ed Science & Technology		3 Gen Ed Science & Technology/Glob Persp	3

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MUSC 340 ^(Gen Ed category A)		3 MUSC 341	3
MUSC 349		2 MUSC 351	2
MUSC 353		2 MUSC 354	2
MUSC 3XX Applied Study		1 MUSC 385	3
MUSC XXX Band		1 MUSC 483	2
MUSC XXX Minor Ensemble		1 MUSC 3XX Applied Study	1
EDUC 451		3 MUSC XXX Band	1
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Gen Ed Wellness		2 EDUC 486	3

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