

Music

Department Information

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- **Credential Offered:**
B.A.; B.S.; B.Mus.
- **Official Program Curriculum:**
bulletin.ndsu.edu/undergraduate/program-curriculum/music/ (<http://bulletin.ndsu.edu/undergraduate/program-curriculum/music/>)

Sample Program Guide

Please note this is a sample program guide and not an official curriculum. Actual student schedules for each semester will vary depending on start year, education goals, applicable transfer credit, and course availability. Once admitted, students are encouraged to work with their assigned academic advisor on a regular basis to review degree progress.

STUDENTS ENTERING AS A FRESHMAN IN AN ODD-YEAR FALL

A grade of 'C' or better is required in all MUSC prefix courses.

Freshman			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
FRESHMAN - ODD YEAR - FALL SEMESTER		MUSC 103 ^{counts as a Humanities and Fine Arts Gen Ed}	3
MUSC 130		3 MUSC 131	3
MUSC 132		1 MUSC 133	1
MUSC 165		1 MUSC 165	1
MUSC 180		0 MUSC 173	1
MUSC 189 ¹		1 MUSC 180	0
ENGL 110		3 ENGL 120	3
COMM 110		3 Quantitative Reasoning Gen Ed	3
Science & Technology Gen Ed		3	
		15	15
Sophomore			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
SOPHOMORE - EVEN YEAR - FALL SEMESTER		SOPHOMORE - ODD YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
MUSC 180		0 MUSC 180	0
MUSC 230		3 MUSC 231	3
MUSC 232		1 MUSC 233	1
MUSC 265		1 MUSC 265	1
MUSC 273		2 MUSC 273	2
MUSC 385		3 MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble	1
MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble		1 MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble	1
MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble		1 Social & Behavioral Sciences/ Cultural Diversity Gen Ed	3

Social & Behavioral Sciences Gen Ed		3 Science & Technology w/ Lab Gen Ed	4
		15	16
Junior			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
JUNIOR - ODD YEAR - FALL SEMESTER		JUNIOR - EVEN YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
MUSC 180		0 MUSC 341	3
MUSC 250		2 MUSC 365	1
MUSC 340 ¹ counts as a Humanities and Fine Arts Gen Ed		3 MUSC 373	2
MUSC 365		1 MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble	1
MUSC 373		2 MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble	1
MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble		1 MUSC 380	1
MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble		1 MUSC 423	2
MUSC 443		3 MUSC 411	3
ENGL 323 (or any upper division English course approved by advisor)		3 Jazz Studies	1
		16	15
Senior			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
SENIOR - EVEN YEAR - FALL SEMESTER		SENIOR - ODD YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble		1 MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble	1
MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble		1 MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble	1
MUSC 431		3 MUSC 424	2
MUSC 442 (or MUSC 344 Wind Band Literature or MUSC 346 Survey/ Vocal Literature or MUSC 441 Symphonic Literature)		2 MUSC 430	3
MUSC 465		1 MUSC 465	1
MUSC 473		3 MUSC 473	3
Science & Technology/Global Perspectives Gen Ed		3 MUSC 480	1
Wellness Gen Ed		2 Jazz Studies	1
		16	13

Total Credits: 121

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STUDENTS ENTERING AS A FRESHMAN IN AN EVEN-YEAR FALL

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Freshman			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
FRESHMAN - EVEN YEAR - FALL SEMESTER		MUSC 103 ¹ counts as a Humanities and Fine Arts Gen Ed	3

MUSC 130	3	MUSC 131	3
MUSC 132	1	MUSC 133	1
MUSC 165	1	MUSC 165	1
MUSC 180	0	MUSC 173	1
MUSC 189 ¹	1	MUSC 180	0
ENGL 110	3	ENGL 120	3
COMM 110	3	Quantitative Reasoning Gen Ed	3
Science & Technology Gen Ed	3		

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Sophomore			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
SOPHOMORE - ODD YEAR - FALL SEMESTER		SOPHOMORE - EVEN YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
MUSC 180	0	MUSC 180	0
MUSC 230	3	MUSC 231	3
MUSC 232	1	MUSC 233	1
MUSC 265	1	MUSC 265	1
MUSC 273	2	MUSC 273	2
MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble	1	MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble	1
MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble	1	MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble	1
MUSC 385	3	MUSC 423	2
Social & Behavioral Sciences Gen Ed	3	Science & Technology w/ Lab Gen Ed	4

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Junior			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
JUNIOR - EVEN YEAR - FALL SEMESTER		JUNIOR - ODD YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
MUSC 180	0	MUSC 341	3
MUSC 250	2	MUSC 365	1
MUSC 340 ^{counts as a Humanities and Fine Arts Gen Ed}	3	MUSC 373	2
MUSC 365	1	MUSC 380	1
MUSC 373	2	MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble	1
MUSC 3XX Major ensemble	1	MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble	1
MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble	1	MUSC 424	2
MUSC 431	3	MUSC 430	3
MUSC 442 (or MUSC 344 Wind Band Literature or MUSC 346 Survey/ Vocal Literature or MUSC 441 Symphonic Literature)	2	Jazz Studies	1
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Senior			
Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
SENIOR - ODD YEAR - FALL SEMESTER		SENIOR - EVEN YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	

MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble	1 MUSC 411	3
MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble	1 MUSC 3XX Major Ensemble	1
MUSC 443	3 MUSC 3XX Minor Ensemble	1
MUSC 465	1 MUSC 465	1
MUSC 473	3 MUSC 473	3
ENGL 323 (or any upper division English course approved by advisor)	3 MUSC 480	1
Wellness Gen Ed	2 Social & Behavioral Sciences/ Cultural Diversity Gen Ed	3
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