

School of Arts and Humanities

Visual and Performing Arts with Music Concentration (BA)

Degree Requirements (120 semester credit hours)

Four-Year Degree Plan (Example)

This is an example only. Please see advisor to develop individual four-year plan.

Freshman Year			
Fall Semester	SCH	Spring Semester	SCH
010 Core Course	3	010 Core Course	3
050 Core Course	3	020 Core Course ³	3
MUSI 2322 Music in Western Civilization ⁴	3	040 Core Course	3
MUSI 2129 Lower-Division Applied Music + Ensemble	2	080 Core Course	3
Free Elective ⁷	3	Free Elective ⁷	3
ARHM 1100 Freshman Seminar ¹	1	MUSI 2129 Lower-Division Applied Music + Ensemble	2
	15		17
Sophomore Year			
Fall Semester	SCH	Spring Semester	SCH
030 Core Course	3	030 Core Course	3
070 Core Course	3	070 Core Course	3
090 Core Course	3	090 Core Course	3
MUSI 2328 Music Theory I	3	MUSI 2329 Music Theory II	3
MUSI 2129 Lower-Division Applied Music + Ensemble	2	MUSI 2129 Lower-Division Applied Music + Ensemble	2
	14		14
Junior Year			
Fall Semester	SCH	Spring Semester	SCH
060 Core Course	3	060 Core Course	3
MUSI 2330 Music Theory III	3	MUSI 3330 Music Literature: Romantic to Modern	3
Major Core ⁵	3	Major Core ⁵	3

MUSI 3229 Upper-Division Applied Music + Ensemble	3	MUSI 3229 Upper-Division Applied Music + Ensemble	3
MUSI Elective ⁶	3	MUSI Elective ⁶	3
15		15	

Senior Year

Fall Semester	SCH	Spring Semester	SCH
Major Core ⁵	3	MUSI 3229 Upper-Division Applied Music + Ensemble	3
MUSI 3328 Advanced Theory and Keyboard Skills	3	MUSI Elective ⁶	3
MUSI 3229 Upper-Division Applied Music + Ensemble	3	MUSI Elective ⁶	3
MUSI Elective ⁶	3	Free Elective ⁷	3
VPAS 4389 Theory and Practice of the Visual and Performing Arts	3	MUSI 4390 Senior Project	3
15		15	

NOTES:

¹ Incoming freshmen must enroll and complete requirements of UNIV 1010 and the corresponding school-related freshman seminar course. Students, including transfer students, who complete their core curriculum at UT Dallas must take UNIV 2020.

Curriculum Requirements can be fulfilled by other approved courses from accredited institutions of higher education. The courses listed are recommended as the most efficient way to satisfy both Core Curriculum and Major Requirements at UT Dallas.

³ Students completing the 020 requirement with a MATH course must complete ALEKS exam prior to enrollment. PHIL 2303 does not require the ALEKS exam.

⁴ If the student takes this course as their core, then the student may choose any free elective in its place as a lower-level major requirement.

⁵ Major Core = VPAS 3340 and VPAS 3300 and Professional Development Course (i.e. ARTS 3311 or ARTS 4310 or COMM 4370 or COMM 4371 or ENTP 3301 or ISAH 4V50 or VPAS 4310) and Related Course (i.e. 3000 or 4000-level course from the School of Arts and Humanities that is not with the prefix of either Discipline).

⁶ MUSI Elective = any 3000 or 4000-level course with the MUSI prefix.

⁷ Free Elective = any lower or upper-level course. Students may need to take some as upper-level to meet the university requirement of earning a minimum of 45 semester credit hours of upper-level courses.

Be sure to check prerequisites of Level 2 courses

120 semester credit hours required for graduation

This plan is a resource tool only; it does not replace your degree plan or academic advising.

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