

# MUSICAL STUDIES

## Bachelor of Arts - Music; Track: Specialization in Musical Studies

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### College of Visual & Perf Arts

Degree Specific Credits: 51

Required Cumulative GPA: 2.75

### Catalog Year: 2017-2018

**Note:** 51<sup>1</sup> Credits of non-Music major courses (36 credits must be in the College of Arts and Sciences)

<sup>1</sup> 51 Credits in Music

All degrees require 39 upper division credits.

## General Education Requirements

Information regarding these requirements can be found in the General Education Section (<http://catalog.umt.edu/academics/general-education-requirements>) of the catalog.

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Total Hours	108-135

### 1st year

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** MUSI 195 1 credit each semester for a total of 2 credits first year.

MUSI 105	Music Theory I	2
MUSI 106	Music Theory II	2
MUSI 135A	Keyboard Skills I	1
MUSI 136A	Keyboard Skills II	1

MUSI 140	Aural Perception I	2
MUSI 141	Aural Perception II	2
MUSI 195	Applied Study I (one credit each semester)	2
MUSI 202L	Intro to Music Literature	3
Total Hours		15

Minimum Required Grade: C-

### 2nd year

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** MUSI 295 1 credit each semester for a total of 2 credits first year. MUSI 296 Upper-Division Required Performance must be completed to advance on to upper division classes.

MUSI 205	Music Theory III	2
MUSI 206	Music Theory IV	2
MUSI 240	Aural Perception III	2
MUSI 241	Aural Perception IV	2
MUSI 295	Applied Study II (one credit each semester)	2
MUSI 301H	Music History I	3
MUSI 302H	Music History II	3
Total Hours		16

Minimum Required Grade: C-

### 3rd year

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** Upper-Division MUSIC Electives should include MUSI 415, MUSI 416, or MUSI 417 for 6 credits. MUSI 395 1 credit Fall semester for the third year.

MUSI 356	Form & Analysis I	2
MUSI 357	Form & Analysis II	2
MUSI 395	Applied Study III (one credit Fall semester)	1
Select 6 credits from the following:		6
MUSI 415	Music 20th Century to Present	
MUSI 416	Topics in Music History	
MUSI 417	Cultural Studies in Music	
Total Hours		11

Minimum Required Grade: C-

### 4th year

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** Upper-Division Music electives required 4 credits. All students majoring in music are required to attend in a minimum of 100 approved recitals/concerts prior to graduation. During the 4th year in an undergraduate degree program and upon completion of this requirement, students should register for MUSI 388, 0 cr.

MUSI 388	Concert Attendance UM	0
Upper-Division Music electives		4
Total Hours		4

Minimum Required Grade: C-

## 1st and 2nd year Ensemble Requirements

**Rule:** One course each semester

**Note:** Ensembles Required MUSI 108A-MUSI 114A, MUSI 162A (guitar principals only), MUSI 191 (piano principals only), one credit each semester for a total of two credits each year.

All majors seeking an undergraduate degree in music and who are registered for 5 or more credits must participate in an ensemble specified by their degree curriculum each semester of residence of the regular school year. (See specific curricula for maximum ensemble credits applicable toward minimum degree requirements.)

Majors whose principal performance area is wind/percussion must register for:

Select one of the following sections:	1
Section 1, Symphonic Wind Ensemble:	
MUSI 114A Band: UM Concert Band	
Section 2, University Concert Band:	
MUSI 114A Band: UM Concert Band	
Section 1, University Orchestra, if designated by the Director, every semester:	
MUSI 108A Orchestra: UMSO	
Total Hours	1

String majors must register for:

- MUSI 108A section 1, University Orchestra, every semester.

Vocal Performance, and B.A., voice, majors must register for:

- a minimum of 4 credits in MUSI 112A section 1 (University Choir).

Ensemble requirements for piano and organ are listed separately for each curriculum.

MUSI 108A	Orchestra: UMSO	1
MUSI 110A	Opera Theatre I	1
MUSI 112A	Choir	1
MUSI 114A	Band: UM Concert Band	1
MUSI 162A	Chamber Ensembles I (guitar principals only)	1
MUSI 191	Special / Experimental Courses (piano principals only)	1-9
Total Hours		6-14

Minimum Required Grade: C-

## Music Requirements

**Rule:** All courses required

GH 151L	Introduction to Western Humanities Antiquity	3
GH 152L	Introduction to the Humanities Medieval to Modern	3

Total Hours		6
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Minimum Required Grade: C-

## Ensembles 3rd year

**Rule:** One course each semester

**Note:** Ensembles required MUSI 308-MUSI 314, MUSI 310, MUSI 362A (guitar principals only), MUSI 491 (piano principals only), one credit each semester for a year total of two credits.

All majors seeking an undergraduate degree in music and who are registered for 5 or more credits must participate in an ensemble specified by their degree curriculum each semester of residence of the regular school year. (See specific curricula for maximum ensemble credits applicable toward minimum degree requirements.)

Majors whose principal performance area is wind/percussion must register for:

Select one of the following sections:	1
Section 1, Symphonic Wind Ensemble:	
MUSI 314 Band III: UM Concert Band	
Section 2, University Concert Band:	
MUSI 314 Band III: UM Concert Band	
Section 1, University Orchestra, if designated by the Director, every semester:	
MUSI 308 Orchestras II: UM	
Total Hours	1

String majors must register for:

- MUSI 308 section 1, University Orchestra, every semester.

Vocal Performance, and B.A., voice, majors must register for:

- a minimum of 4 credits in MUSI 312 section 1 (University Choir).

Ensemble requirements for piano and organ are listed separately for each curriculum.

MUSI 308	Orchestras II: UM	1
MUSI 310	Opera Theatre II	1
MUSI 312	Choir III	1-8
MUSI 314	Band III: UM Concert Band	1
MUSI 362	Chmbr Ens III: UM (guitar principals only)	1
MUSI 491	Special / Experimental Courses (piano principals only)	1-9
Total Hours		6-21

Minimum Required Grade: C-

## Music Requirements for Writing

**Rule:** All courses required

WRIT 101	College Writing I	3
Total Hours		3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

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### Lower Division Writing Expectation

**Rule:** All courses required

MUSI 302H	Music History II	3
Total Hours		3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

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### Upper Division Writing Expectation

**Rule:** All courses required

MUSI 415	Music 20th Century to Present	3
MUSI 416	Topics in Music History	3
MUSI 417	Cultural Studies in Music	3
Total Hours		9

Minimum Required Grade: C-

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### Music Requirements for Mathematics

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** Mathematics - M Course 100 or above

Minimum Required Grade: C-

3 Total Credits Required

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### Music Requirements for Modern & Classical Languages

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** MCLL (Modern and Classical Languages and Literature) Foreign Languages 10 credits

Minimum Required Grade: C-

10 Total Credits Required

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### Music Requirements for Expressive Arts

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** Expressive Arts - A Courses - (min. 3 credits) Ensembles and Sec. Lessons taken each semester satisfies this requirement.

Minimum Required Grade: C-

3 Total Credits Required

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### Music Requirements for Literary & Artistic Studies

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** Expressive Arts - A Courses - (min. 3 credits) Ensembles and Sec. Lessons taken each semester satisfies this requirement.

Minimum Required Grade: C-

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### Music Requirements for Historic & Cultural Studies

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** Historical and Cultural Studies and American and European Perspectives - H/Y Courses - (min. 3 credits) MUSI 301H, MUSI 302H

Minimum Required Grade: C-

3 Total Credits Required

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### Music Requirements for Indigenous & Global Perspectives

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** Indigenous and Global Perspectives - (min. 3 credits) Recommend MUSI 207H

MUSI 207H	World Music (equiv to 307)	3
Total Hours		3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

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### Music Requirements for Natural Sciences

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** Group XI: Natural Science (for this perspective, 6 credits required and at least one course Must include a lab experience)

Minimum Required Grade: C-

6 Total Credits Required

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