# MUSIC, BACHELOR OF MUSIC WITH A CONCENTRATION IN MUSIC PERFORMANCE (B.M.)

## **Program Objectives**

Upon successful completion of the Bachelor of Music program, graduates will be able to perform a recital in their major applied area, communicate effectively about the theoretical concepts in music, and identify and analyze musical works from diverse cultures and historical periods.

In addition, all music education majors will demonstrate the ability to sing, play a variety of instruments, develop lesson plans, and engage in effective teaching during a student teaching semester. All theory and composition students will demonstrate composition skills and present original compositions in public recitals as well as identifying an area of advanced analysis of musical works through a senior project. All music industry students will demonstrate music technology skills, identify trends in the many facets of this business field, and demonstrate an ability to work with professionals through cooperative learning experiences. All performance majors will prepare two performance recitals and analyze repertoire presented on those recitals, in addition to identifying different pedagogical approaches in their area.

## **Bachelor of Music Core Requirements Applied Music**

All music majors must complete a minimum of seven semesters of applied lessons with at least three of the semesters at the upper division levels (numbered 300 or 400). Applied students must complete a jury examination at the end of each semester. Each major is required to enroll in applied music every semester of full-time enrollment.

#### **Solo Recital Performance**

Each major is required to perform the equivalent of a half recital (MUS 399 Joint Recital) during the course of study.

#### **Ensemble Requirements**

Each major is expected to enroll in a major ensemble reflecting the major applied area of study every semester of full-time enrollment.

Wind and percussion majors will enroll in:

Code	Title	Hours
Choose from one	of the following:	
MUS 256	Marching Band	1
MUS 255A/455A	Symphonic Band	1
MUS 255B/455B	Concert Band	1
MUS 235/435	Symphony Orchestra	1

With permission of the Director of the School of Music, MUS 254 Jazz Ensemble/MUS 454 Jazz Ensemble may be submitted for the major ensemble requirement for wind and percussion majors.

Orchestral string majors will enroll in:

Code	Title	Hours
Choose from one of the following:		
MUS 235/435	Symphony Orchestra	1
MUS 236/436	String Orchestra	1

Some string bass majors may be assigned to MUS 255A Symphonic Band/MUS 455A Symphonic Band based on audition results.

Guitar majors will enroll in:

Code	Title	Hours
MUS 257/457	Guitar Ensemble	1
MUS 250	Small Ensembles: (Electric Guitar Ensemble)	.5

Vocal majors will enroll in:

Code	Title	Hours
Choose from one	e of the following:	
MUS 228A/428A	ENChor (SSAA Choir)	1
MUS 228B/428B	Koros (TTBB Choir)	1
MUS 226/426	University Singers (SATB)	1

Even if the student plans to study in two or more applied areas, one of them must be declared the major. Students enrolling in more than three ensembles must receive permission for such participation from their applied teacher, ensemble director, and advisor.

#### **Recital Attendance**

All majors are required to attend 16 recitals including the departmental recitals and other School of Music concerts and recitals held throughout the semester (MUS 101 Performance Class) for at least six semesters. Performances off campus must receive approval by the Director of the School of Music.

#### **Music Performance**

All Music Performance majors must pass an audition beyond the entrance audition. They will be on probationary status for one to four semesters. At the end of the probationary period, the student may reaudition for full candidacy. The Audition Committee will consist of at least three members of the music faculty including the applied teacher. All performance majors must give a full recital (MUS 499 Senior Project/Recital) in addition to the half recital required of all majors. Vocal Performance majors must elect foreign language as part of their Gen. Ed. All Music Industry and Recording Arts majors must complete 3 or 4 credit hours of MUS 349 Applied Learning in Music and 2 credit hours of MUS 449 Music Industry Senior Capstone. All Co-op projects must be approved by the Co-op office, School of Music Director, and Co-op coordinator.

## **Admission to the Music Major Program**

Admission to the Bachelor of Music programs requires a successful audition for the applicable applied teacher. The student is expected to demonstrate acceptable levels of achievement in performance in terms of intonation, tone quality and rhythmic accuracy. Incoming students will be expected to perform two selections of contrasting styles. Students may be accepted on probationary status at the discretion of the applied teacher and the School of Music Director. Students seeking to opt out of one of more semesters of class piano may complete a placement exam prior to the start of the semester of study.

Code	Title	Hours
MUS 110	Beginning Class Piano I	1
MUS 111	Beginning Class Piano II	1
MUS 210	Intermediate Class Piano I	1
MUS 211	Intermediate Class Piano II	1

## **Program Requirements**

CIP Code: 50.0901

## Summary Chacklist for General Education

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Code Title	Hours		
Element 1			
A: Written Communication (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduat general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-1/)	e/ 3		
B: Written Communication (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduatigeneral-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-1/)	e/ 3		
C: Oral Communication (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-1/)	3		
Element 2			
Quantitative Reasoning (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-2/)	3		
Element 3			
A: Arts (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic information/general-education-requirements/element-3/)	:- 3		
B: Humanities (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-3	3		
Element 4			
Natural Sciences (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-4			
Element 5			
A: Historical Science (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-5/)	3		
B: Social Behavioral Science (http://catalogs.eku.edu/ undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education- requirements/element-5/)	3		
Element 6			
Diversity of Perspectives Experiences (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/element-6/)	6		
Total Hours	36		

Students are expected to complete Elements 1 and 2 within their first 60 hours of college credit.

### Major

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Code	Title	Hours
University Graduation Requirements		
General Education		36
Student Success Seminar		
ASO 100	Student Success Seminar (waived for transfers with 30+ hrs.)	1

Upper division courses (42 hrs. distributed throughout Major/ Supporting/Gen Ed/Free Electives categories)

MUS 349	Applied Learning in Music
MUS 482	Music Since 1900
MUS 499	Senior Project/Recital
MUS 550	Teaching Techniques
MUS 551	Performance Literature
CED 499	Clinical VI: The Professional Semester

#### **Major Requirements**

Core Courses			
MUS 110	Beginning Class Piano I	1	
MUS 111	Beginning Class Piano II	1	
MUS 117	Applied Music Theory I	3	
MUS 118	Applied Music Theory II	3	
MUS 149	Music Entrepreneurship	1	
MUS 210	Intermediate Class Piano I	1	
MUS 211	Intermediate Class Piano II	1	
MUS 217	Applied Music Theory III	3	
MUS 218	Applied Music Theory IV	3	
MUS 317	Applied Music Theory V	3	
MUS 366	Basic Conducting Pedagogy	2	
MUS 399	Joint Recital	0	
MUS 549	Career Development	2	
MUH 275	Western Musical Traditions I	2	
MUH 276	Western Musical Traditions II	2	
MUH 373	The Diverse Worlds of Music	2	
Choose from a minimum of seven hours of applied primary instrument or voice over seven semesters (two credits at 100 level, two credits at 200 level, two credits at 300 level and one credit at 400 level)			
Choose from sev	en semesters of major ensembles	7	
Choose from two	Choose from two credits of chamber ensembles		

MUS 101 Performance Class (six semesters)

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Concentrations

Students must select one of the following Concentrations:

Music Performance **Emphasis in Music Industry Emphasis in Recording Arts** 

Music Theory and Composition

Music Education

Supporting Course Requirements

Performance/Vocal:

Vocal Performance majors must elect three hrs of foreign language (Element 6) as part of their General Education studies. <sup>G</sup>

Free Electives

Choose from 1 hour of free electives 1 **Total Hours** 120

Course also satisfies a General Education element. Hours are included within the 36 hr. General Education requirement above.

## Concentration

Code	Title H	ours	
Concentration Co	Concentration Courses		
MUS 190	Music Industry I	2	
MUS 249	The Musician's Health	2	
MUS 220 & MUS 221	Diction for Singers and Diction for Singers II	2	
or MUS 285	Jazz Improvisation		
MUS 384	Survey of Music Technology	2	
MUS 373	Stylistic Composition	2	
or MUS 481	Tonal Counterpoint		
MUS 499	Senior Project/Recital	1	
MUS 482	Music Since 1900	2	
MUS 501	Music Leadership	2	
MUS 516	Studio Management	1	
MUS 517	Arranging	2	
MUS 519	Performance Temperament	2	
MUS 550	Teaching Techniques	1	
MUS 551	Performance Literature	1	
	litional five hours of applied primary instrument (two el and three hours at 400 level)	5	
Choose from a m	inimum of one additional hour of ensembles	1	
Choose from add	litional two credits of chamber ensembles	2	
Choose from four	r hours of music performance electives	4	
Choose from two	hours of upper division music history electives	2	
Total Hours			