

Music - Bachelor of Music - Strings Four Year Academic Plan

Year 1	Fall	Spring
Benchmark 1 Requirements		
4 credits of lessons	MUSP 119	MUSP 120
2 credits of large ensemble	MUSC 102	MUSC 103
<i>Must be completed by the end of two semesters</i>	MUSC 129	MUSC 129
	MUSC 150	MUSC 151
	MUSC 229	MUSC 229
	MUSC 099	MUSC 099
	ENGL 101 (AW)*	MATH (MA)*
	ARHU 158	Humanities (HU)**
	<i>*Must attempt by 30 cr.</i>	
Year 2		
Benchmark 2 Requirements		
MUSC 150	MUSP 217	MUSP 218
MUSC 151	MUSC 129	MUSC 129
<i>Must be completed by the end of four semesters</i>	MUSC 229	MUSC 229
	MUSC 250	MUSC 251
	MUSC 310	MUSC 320
	MUSC 099	MUSC 099
	Natural Science Lab (NL)**	Scholarship in Practice (SP) #1**
		Elective 1xx-4xx (2 credits)
Year 3		
Benchmark 3 Requirements		
MUSC 250	MUSP 315	MUSP 316
MUSC 251	MUSC 129	MUSC 129
<i>Must be completed by the end of six semesters</i>	MUSC 229	MUSC 229
	MUSC 330	MUSC 450
	MUSC 099	MUSC 099
	MUSC 220 (HU & UP)	Natural Sciences (NS)**
	Elective 1xx-4xx	Analytical Reasoning (AR)
	History/Social Sciences (HS)**	Elective 1xx-4xx (2 credits)
Year 4		
	MUSP 419	MUSP 420
	MUSC 229	MUSC 229
	MUSC 400S	MUSC 446
	MUSC 490	MUSC elective (3 credits)
	Scholarship in Practice (SP) #2**	History/Social Sciences (HS)**
	Oral Communication (OC)	Professional Writing (PW)
	Total Credits for Degree: 120	

Note: Some courses for the major may also count toward the General Education requirements.

**All students must complete two Distributive Studies courses that are approved for I-series courses. The Understanding Plural Societies and Cultural Competence courses may also fulfill Distributive Studies categories.

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General Education Requirements				Benchmark Requirements		
Fundamental Studies				Year 1 - Benchmark Requirements		
<i>Requirements: 15 credits/5 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	4 credits of lessons		
Academic Writing (AW)	ENGL 101			2 credits of large ensemble		
Professional Writing (PW)				Year 2 - Benchmark Requirements		
Oral Comm. (OC)				MUSC 150		
Math (MA)				MUSC 151		
Analytic Reasoning (AR)				Year 3 - Benchmark Requirements		
Distributive Studies				MUSC 250		
<i>Requirements: 25 credits/8 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	MUSC 251		
Natural Science Lab (NL)				Major Requirements		
Natural Sciences (NS)						
History/Social Sciences (HS)				<i>Cumulative average of major requirements must be at least a 2.0</i>		
History/Social Sciences (HS)				<i>Requirements</i>		
Humanities (HU)	MUET 220			<i>I. Foundation Level</i>		
Humanities (HU)				MUSP 119		
Scholarship in Practice (SP)				MUSP 120		
Scholarship in Practice (SP) non major				MUSP 217		
I-Series				MUSP 218		
Normally double counted with Distributive Studies				MUSC 102		
<i>Requirements: 6 credits/2 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	MUSC 103		
I-Series (IS)				MUSC 129 (1 cr. x 6 semesters)		
I-Series (IS)				MUSC 150		
Diversity				MUSC 151		
(overlap permitted with Distributive Studies and/or I-series)				MUSC 229 (1 cr. x 8 semesters)		
<i>Requirements: 4-6 credits/2 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	MUSC 250		
Understanding Plural Soc. (UP)	MUET 220			MUSC 251		
Understanding Plural Soc. (UP) <i>or</i>				MUSC 220 (HU & UP)		
Cultural Competency (CC)				<i>II. Intermediate</i>		
Experiential Learning- optional				MUSP 315		
(overlap permitted with other requirements/courses)				MUSP 316		
<i>Requirements: 0-3 credits</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	MUSC 310		
				MUSC 320		
				MUSC 330		
Students must earn a minimum of 120 credits to complete a degree.				<i>III. Advanced</i>		
University Requirements for Graduation:				MUSP 419		
<input type="checkbox"/> At least 30 credits must be earned at UMD				MUSP 420		
<input type="checkbox"/> 15 of the final 30 credits must be earned at the 300-400 level				MUSC 400S		
<input type="checkbox"/> 12 upper level major credits must be earned at UMD				MUSC 446		
ARHU Requirements for Graduation:				MUSC 450		
<input type="checkbox"/> ARHU 158 or equivalent (if applicable)				MUSC 490		
				<i>IV. Electives (3 credits)</i>		
				MUSC 1xx-4xx		
				Students must take six semesters of MUSC 099		