

Curriculum Guide for AA to BA Music: Music Industry at WCU

Freshman/First Year

1st Semester*					2nd Semester				
Fall					Spring				
CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes	CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes
ENG 111	ENGL 101	C1	3		ENG 112	ENGL 202	C1	3	
Math	Math	C2	3		COM 231	COMM 201	C3	3	Preferred
History	History	P3	3	Preferred	Humanities/Fine Arts	Fine & Performing Arts	P5	3	
Humanities/Fine Arts	Humanities	P4	3		Social/Behavioral Sciences	Social Sciences	P1	3	
Natural Science	Physical & Biological Sciences	C5	4		Social/Behavioral Sciences	Social Sciences	P1	3	
ACA 122	USI 130		1						
Total Credit Hours					Total Credit Hours				
17					15				

*This assumes placement into college level courses. This is only meant to be a guide. Please see your academic advisor to develop your individual plan.

*If MUS 121 and 122 can be taken at community college, completion of degree is possible in 4 years. However, recommend to allow for extra time.

Sophomore/Second Year

3rd Semester					4th Semester				
Fall					Spring				
CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes	CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes
HEA 110/PED 110/Other Elective	Wellness	C4	3		Natural Science	Physical & Biological Sciences	C5	4	
Other Elective	Elective		3		BUS 110/Other Elective	BA 133		3	Required
Social Science (Global Perspective)	World Cultures	P6	3		Other Elective	Elective		3	
Foreign Language 111	MFL 101	P6	3	Required	Foreign Language 112	MFL 102		3	Required
Other Elective	Elective		3						
Total Credit Hours					Total Credit Hours				
15					13				

***You MUST audition in the Spring in order to be accepted as a music major for the Fall.**

Suggested Course Sequence to transfer from NCCCS
Junior/Third Year (at WCU)

5th Semester Fall

6th Semester Spring

WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
MUS 107	Applied Major	2		MUS 107	Applied Major	2	
MUS 108*	Aural Skills	1		MUS 208	Aural Skills	1	
MUS 118*	Music Theory I	3		MUS 218	Music Theory II	3	
MUS 148*	Piano I	1		MUS 149	Piano II	1	
MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0		MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0	
MUS 371, 372, or 373	Major Ensemble	1		MUS 371, 372, or 373	Major Ensemble	1	
				MUS 378	Survey of Music Industry	3	
Total Credit Hours 8				Total Credit Hours 11			

* You can take a placement test to place out of these courses.

Senior/Fourth Year

7th Semester Fall

8th Semester Spring

WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
MUS 207	Applied Major	2		MUS 207	Applied Major	2	
MUS 308	Aural Skills III	1		MUS 309	Aural Skills	1	
MUS 318	Music Theory III	3		MUS 319	Music Theory IV	3	
MUS 248	Piano III	1		MUS 249	Piano IV	1	
MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0		MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0	
MUS 371, 372, or 373	Major Ensemble	1		MUS 371, 372, or 373	Major Ensemble	1	
MIO Elective		3		MUS 383	Music in Audio and Media	3	
Total Credit Hours 11				Total Credit Hours 11			

MUS 489	Internship	9	Summer
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Suggested Course Sequence to transfer from NCCCS

Senior/Fifth Year

8th Semester

Fall

9th Semester

Spring

WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
MUS 418	Music History I	3		MUS 419		3	
MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0		MUS 358	Concert Attendance	0	
MUS 371, 372, or 373	Major Ensemble	1		MUS 371, 372, or 373	Major Ensemble	1	
MIO Elective		3		MUS 329	Fundamentals of Conducting	2	
MIO Elective		3		MUS 474	Senior Project	1	
				MIO Elective		3	
Total Credit Hours				Total Credit Hours			
10				10			

Total Credit Hours

130

Reminder: 30 hours of 300-400 level courses must be taken at WCU.

<http://www.wcu.edu/academics/departments-schools-colleges/FPA/schools-departments-and-centers/music/prospective-music-students/undergraduate-programs-in-music/musba/index.asp>