

Curriculum Guide for AA to BM Music: Commercial & Electronic at WCU

Freshman/First Year

| 1st Semester* Fall | | | | | 2nd Semester Spring | | | | |
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| 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 17 | | | | | Total Credit Hours 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.

***This program can not be completed in four years.**

Sophomore/Second Year

| 3rd Semester Fall | | | | | 4th Semester Spring | | | | |
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| 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 | | Other Elective | Elective | | 3 | |
| Social Science (Global Perspective) | World Cultures | P6 | 3 | | Other Elective | Elective | | 3 | |
| Gen. Ed/UGETC Elective | Elective | | 3 | | Gen. Ed/UGETC Elective | Elective | | 3 | |
| Other Elective | Elective | | 3 | | | | | | |
| Total Credit Hours 15 | | | | | Total Credit Hours 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 |
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| MUS 107 | Applied Major | 2 | | MUS 107 | Applied Major | 2 | |
| MUS 108* | Aural Skills I | 1 | | MUS 208 | Aural Skills | 1 | |
| MUS 118* | Music Theory I | 3 | | MUS 218 | Music Theory II | 3 | |
| MUS 148* | Piano Class I | 1 | | MUS 149 | Piano Class II | 1 | |
| MUS 358 | Concert Attendance | 0 | | MUS 358 | Concert Attendance | 0 | |
| MUS 371/372/373 | Chorus/Choir/Band | 1 | | MUS 371/372/373 | Chorus/Choir/Band | 1 | |
| Total Credit Hours | | | | 8 | | | |
| | | | | Total Credit Hours | | | |
| | | | | 8 | | | |

* 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 IV | 1 | |
| MUS 318 | Music Theory III | 3 | | MUS 319 | Music Theory IV | 3 | |
| MUS 248 | Piano III | 1 | | MUS 249 | Piano IV | 1 | |
| MUS 181 | Intro to MIDI/Synthesis | 2 | Fall only | MUS 378 | Survey of Music Industry | 3 | Spring only |
| MUS 371/372/373 | Chorus/Choir/Band | 1 | | MUS 375 | Ensemble | 1 | |
| MUS 358 | Concert Attendance | 0 | | MUS 358 | Concert Attendance | 0 | |
| MUS Elective | | 3 | | MUS 371/372/373 | Chorus/Choir/Band | 1 | |
| | | | | MUS 182 | Computer Music Notation | 2 | Spring only |
| Total Credit Hours | | | | 13 | | | |
| | | | | Total Credit Hours | | | |
| | | | | 14 | | | |

Suggested Course Sequence to transfer from NCCCS

Senior/Fifth Year

| 8th Semester | | Fall | | 9th Semester | | Spring | |
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| WCU Course | Course Title | Credit Hours | Notes | WCU Course | Course Title | Credit Hours | Notes |
| MUS 418 | Music History I | 3 | | MUS 307 | Applied Major | 2 | |
| MUS 358 | Performance Lab | 0 | | MUS 358 | Performance Lab | 0 | |
| MUS 371/372/373 | Chorus/Choir/Band | 1 | | MUS 371/372/373 | Chorus/Choir/Band | 1 | |
| MUS 307 | Applied Major | 2 | | MUS 419 | Music History II | 3 | |
| MUS 281 | Intro to Digital Audio | 2 | Fall only | MUS 329 | Fundamentals of Conducting | 2 | Spring only |
| MUS 320 | Materials in Popular Music & Jazz | 3 | Fall of odd years only | MUS 383/426 | | 3 | |
| MUS 375 | Ensemble | 1 | | MUS 379 | Intro to Recording Arts | 3 | Spring only |
| MUS 470 | Orchestration and Arranging | 2 | | | | | |
| Total Credit Hours | | 14 | | Total Credit Hours | | 14 | |

Senior/Sixth Year

| 8th Semester | | Fall | | 9th Semester | | Spring | |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-------|--------------------|------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| WCU Course | Course Title | Credit Hours | Notes | WCU Course | Course Title | Credit Hours | Notes |
| MUS 407 | Applied Major | 2 | | MUS 417 | Applied MIDI/Synthesis | 2 | |
| MUS 468/469/479 | | 3 | | MUS 474 | Senior Project | 1 | Spring only |
| MUS Elective | | 3 | | MUS Elective | | 3 | |
| Total Credit Hours | | 8 | | Total Credit Hours | | 6 | |

Total Credit Hours 145

Reminder: 32 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/musbm/index.asp>