

Northern Illinois University

Bachelor of Arts in Music

College of Visual and Performing Arts Degree Path - Catalog 2020-2021

Fall 1	Credits	Success Marker	Spring 1	Credits	Success Marker
MUSC 99: Recital Attendance	0	*Elective Course in this degree program should be chosen in consultation with the student's	MUSC 99: Recital Attendance	0	
MUTC 101: Theory I	2	advisor. At least 75 hours (including Gen. Ed. and Foreign	MUTC 102: Theory II	2	
MUTC 103: Aural Skills I	2	Language course work) required	MUTC 104: Aural Skills II	2	
Primary Inst/Voice Study (200 level)	2	for the B.A. in subjects other than music.	Primary Inst/Voice Study (200 level)	2	
Elective: Ensemble (300 level)*	1	General Education requirements	Elective: Ensemble (300 level)	1	
Foundational Study	3	= 33 hrs. Foreign Language requirement = 0-14 hours.	Foundational Study	3	
Knowledge Domain	3		Knowledge Domain	3	
Foreign Language	3	Any hours accumulated in excess of 8 ensembles or 16 in	Foreign Langague	3	
Total hours	16	applied music will not be counted toward the degree.	Total hours	16	
Fall 2	Credits	Success Marker	Spring 2	Credits	Success Marker
MUSC 99: Recital Attendance	0		MUSC 99: Recital Attendance	0	
MUTC 201: Theory III	2		MUTC 202: Theory IV	2	
MUTC 203: Aural Skills III	2		MUTC 204: Aural Skills IV	2	
Primary Inst/Voice Study (200 level)	2		Primary Inst/Voice Study (200 level)	2	*Sophomore Proficiency Exam
Ensemble (300 level)	1		Ensemble (300 level)	1	2
Foundational Study	3		Foudnational Study	3	
Knowledge Domain	3		Knowledge Domain	3	
Foreign Language	3		Foreign Language	3	
Total hours	16		Total hours	16	
Fall 3	Credits	Success Marker	Crowing 2	Credits	Success
			Spring 3	Credits	Marker
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MUTL301orMUHL323: Th V/MH III MUHL 321: Music History I	2-3 3		MUSC 99: Recital Attendance MUHL 322: Music History II Primary Inst/Voice Study (300 level)	0 3 2	Marker
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Notes/Comments: This plan is an example of what a four year plan could look like for a typical student. Placement exam scores in

math as well as the completion of coursework may change the plan. It should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor each semester to discuss course scheduling. All requirements are subject to change by NIU. At least 75 hours must be taken in subjects other than music and the Foreign Language Requirement is 0-14 hours.