

WICHITA STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MUSIC
Bachelor of Music in Composition

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MUSIC REQUIREMENTS

I. APPLIED MUSIC 19 HRS

Keyboard Major 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2

Second Medium _____ 1 1 1

OR

Primary Medium _____ 2 2 2 2

Keyboard Medium _____ 2 2 2 2

Third Medium _____ 1 1 1

II. GENERAL MUSIC 38 HRS

Mus C 127-129 (Theory 1 & Aural Skills 1) 2 2

Mus C 128-130 (Theory 2 & Aural Skills 2) 2 2

Mus C 227-229 (Theory 3 & Aural Skills 3) 2 2

Mus C 228-230 (Theory 4 & Aural Skills 4) 2 2

Mus C 259 & 260 (Applied Composition -

repeatable) 2 2

Mus C 560 (Applied Composition - *repeatable*) 2 2

Mus C 660 (Applied Composition - *repeatable*) 2

Mus C 523 (Form & Analysis) 2

Mus C 531 (Introduction to Electronic Music) 2

Mus C 561 (18th Century Counterpoint) 2

Mus C 641 (Orchestration) 2

MART 100 (Intro to Music Technology & Industry)

or MART 111 (Intro to Music Business)

III. HISTORY & LITERATURE OF MUSIC 9 HRS

Mus C 113 (Music in Context) 3

Mus C 334 (Music History I) 3

Mus C 335 (Music History II) 3

IV. CONDUCTING 4 HRS

Mus P 307 (Instrumental Conducting) **or**

Mus P 308 (Choral Conducting) 2

Mus P 651 (Adv Conducting. & Score Reading) **or**

Mus P 691 (Adv Choral Conducting) 2

V. ENSEMBLES 8 HRS

KEYBOARD MAJORS

4 different semesters of Concert Band, A Cappella Choir, Concert Chorale or Orchestra **plus** 4 different semesters of accompanying

STRING MAJORS

8 different semesters of Symphony Orchestra

WINDS & PERCUSSION MAJORS

8 different semesters of Concert Band or Symphonic Wind Ensemble

VOCAL MAJORS

8 different semesters of A Cappella Choir or Concert Chorale

HARP MAJORS

4 different semesters of Concert Band or A Cappella Choir or Symphony Orchestra **plus** 4 different semesters of ensemble electives

GUITAR MAJORS

5 different semesters of Guitar Ensemble and 3 different semesters of large ensemble.

ELECTRIC BASS MAJORS

4 different semesters of Jazz Arts Ensemble and 4 different semesters of Orchestra (acoustic bass)

TRANSFER STUDENTS

Enrollment in an ensemble for each semester remaining to complete degree or until above requirements are met with for different semesters taken at WSU.

INDICATE SEM/YR AND ENSEMBLE

___/___ ___/___ ___/___ ___/___

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VI. RECITAL

Mus P 105 (Recital Attendance) CR CR CR CR

Mus P 400 (Senior Recital) CR

Date _____

Students must be enrolled in applied music during the semester of the senior recital. Theory-Composition Majors are required to present for public performance a selection of their compositions representing large and small forms, totaling a minimum of 20 minutes performance time. In addition, after achieving junior proficiency status, students may elect to present a recital in their chief performing medium with the permission of the performance area director and their applied professor.

IX. PIANO PROFICIENCY EXAMINATION

Students who have not satisfied all piano proficiency requirements must enroll in class piano until they meet these requirements. All music majors must pass the piano proficiency examination before graduation and BME students must have it completed before the student teaching semester.

DATE COMPLETED _____

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- Students must have a **minimum** of 45 credit hours in courses numbered 300 or above
- A **minimum** of 120 hours are required for any Bachelor's Degree
- General Education requirements found on back of this sheet
- Consult Undergraduate Catalog for additional graduation requirements

General Ed Hours 42 + Music Hours 78 = 120 Total Hours

WICHITA STATE UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION PROGRAM
Degree Checksheet & Summary of Requirements

BASIC SKILLS (12)	COLLEGE ENGLISH COMPOSITION (6) English 100 or 101 <input type="checkbox"/> English 102 <input type="checkbox"/>	PUBLIC SPEAKING (3) Communication 111 <input type="checkbox"/>	COLLEGE ALGEBRA (3) Mathematics 111 <input type="checkbox"/>
THE DISCIPLINES	INTRODUCTORY COURSES	FURTHER STUDY COURSE	ISSUES & PERSPECTIVES COURSE OR At least one but not more than two
FINE ARTS (3)	1 FA <input type="checkbox"/>	1 FS or 1 IP (3) <input type="checkbox"/>	
Art History			
Dance			
Theatre			
HUMANITIES (6)	2 HUM <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>		
Communication (non basic)			
English (non basic)			
History			
Linguistics			
Modern & Class Lang & Lit			
Philosophy			
Religion			
Women's Studies			
SOCIAL & BEHAV SCIENCES (6)	2 SOC/BEHAV <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	1 FS or 1 IP (3) <input type="checkbox"/>	
Anthropology			
Criminal Justice			
Economics			
Geography			
Ethnic Studies			
Political Science			
Psychology			
Sociology			
NATURAL SCI & MATH (6)	2 NAT SCI /MATH <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	1 FS or 1 IP (3) <input type="checkbox"/>	
*Biology			
*Chemistry			
Computer Science			
*Geology			
Math (non basic) & Statistics			
*Physics			

*One class must be from biology, chemistry, geology, or physics

TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED IN GENERAL EDUCATION (at least 42) AS FOLLOWS:

- o **BASIC SKILLS**
12 hours minimum. All must be completed in the first 48 college hours with a grade of C or above.
- o **INTRODUCTION TO THE DISCIPLINES**
21 hours minimum (no courses in the student's major discipline / department)
- o **FURTHER STUDY IN THE DISCIPLINES AND ISSUES & PERSPECTIVES**
9 hours minimum (no courses in the student's major discipline / department)
At least one, but not more than two issues and perspectives courses

*Students must have a **minimum** of 45 semester hours of credit in courses numbered 300 or above.*

ALL COURSES IN THE GENERAL EDUCATION ARE AT LEAST THREE HOURS EACH AND MUST BE FROM THE APPROVED LIST

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