

SAMPLE 4-YEAR PLAN: MUSIC B.A.

Northern Kentucky University

This is **one way** a student can complete this program in 4 years if the student requires no remedial courses.

TRACK/OPTION: Bachelor of Arts in Music

FIRST YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	<p><i>Students must pass a placement test prior to enrolling in MUS 122 Music Theory I.</i></p> <p><i>The freshman proficiency examination must be taken at the end of the second semester of applied study.</i></p>	MUS 122 Music Theory I	3	MUS 123 Music Theory II
MUS 124 Aural Skills I/ MUS 125 Aural Skills II		1	MUS 126 Aural Skills III/ MUS 127 Aural Skills IV	1
Applied Music 100 Level		2	Applied Music 100 Level	2
Ensemble		1	Ensemble	1
MUS 140 Class Piano I MUS 141 Class Piano II		1	MUS 143 Class Piano III MUS 144 Class Piano IV	1
MUS 196 Recital Review		0	MUS 196 Recital Review	0
MUS 130 Introduction to Music Literature		2	MUS 197 Freshman Proficiency Jury	0
Gen Ed: Communication; Written I		3	Gen Ed: Communication; Oral	3
Gen Ed: Culture and Creativity		3	Gen Ed: Scientific and Quantitative Inquiry; Natural Sciences with lab	4
TOTAL		16	TOTAL	15
SECOND YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
<p><i>The sophomore comprehensive examination must be taken at the end of the second semester of applied study.</i></p>	MUS 222 Music Theory III	3	MUS 223 Music Theory IV	3
	MUS 224 Aural Skills V/ MUS 225 Aural Skills VI	1	MUS 226 Aural Skills VII/MUS 227 Aural Skills VIII	1
	Applied Music 200 Level	2	Applied Music 200 Level	2
	Ensemble	1	Ensemble	1
	MUS 261 Class Piano V MUS 262 Class Piano 6	1	MUS 263 Class Piano VII MUS 264 Class Piano VIII	1
	MUS 196 Recital Review	0	MUS 196 Recital Review	0
	Gen Ed: Communication/ Written II	3	MUS 297 Sophomore Comprehensive Jury	0
	Gen Ed: Scientific and Quantitative Inquiry; Mathematics and Statistics	3	Gen Ed: Culture and Creativity	3
			Gen Ed: Global Viewpoints; MUS 106 Music of World Cultures	3
			Elective	3
TOTAL	14	TOTAL	17	
THIRD YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
<p><i>Students should complete their piano proficiency before the end of their third year.</i></p>	MUS 325 Form and Analysis	3	MUS 312 Computer Applications for Musicians	1
	MUS 230 History of Music I: Antiquity through Early Baroque	3	MUS 231 History of Music II: Late Baroque to Mid 19 th Century	3
	Applied Music 300 Level	2	Applied Music 300 Level	2
	Ensemble	1	Ensemble	1
	MUS 196 Recital Review	0	MUS 196 Recital Review	0
			Music elective 300 Level	3
	Focus	3	Focus	3
	Gen Ed: Self and Society; Cultural Pluralism	3	Gen Ed: Self and Society; Individual and Society	3
		MUS 296 Piano Proficiency	0	

	TOTAL	15	TOTAL	16
FOURTH YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	MUS 337 History of Music III: Mid 19 th and 20 th Centuries	3	Music elective 300 Level	1
	Applied Music 400 Level	2	Gen Ed: Scientific and Quantitative Inquiry; Natural Sciences	3
	Ensemble	1	Applied Music 400 Level	2
	MUS 196 Recital Review	0	Ensemble	1
	Music elective 300 level	3	Music elective 300 Level	3
	Focus	3	Focus	3
	Elective	3	Gen Ed: Self and Society; Individual and Society	3
	TOTAL	15	TOTAL	16
			GRAND TOTAL OF CREDITS	120
			300-level or above credits	45
Notes: <i>The B.A. in music degree requires a focus outside of music consisting of 12 or more hours at the 300 level or above.</i>				