

Music Major (50 credit hours)

The music major prepares students to pursue a variety of career paths in music by designing their own package of elective courses and senior project. Students undertake a variety of music theory, music literature, music performance, and music education courses. Students must also complete four hours of private applied study and three to six hours of area-specific electives. Participation in the appropriate ensemble and a recital is required for all music majors.

Major Core Requirements:

35 credit hours from:

- MUPF 1050, Keyboard Class I, 2 credit hours
- MUPF 1060, Keyboard Class II, 2 credit hours
- MUSC 1010, Theory I, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 1020, Theory II, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 1030, Aural Comprehension I, 1 credit hour
- MUSC 1040, Aural Comprehension II, 1 credit hour
- MUSC 2010, Theory III, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 2110, Intro to Music Literature, 2 credit hours
- MUSC 2330, Intro to World Music, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 3120, Music History: Baroque/Classic, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 3130, Music History: 19th and 20th Centuries, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 4900, Seminar in Selected Topics, 2 credit hours
- MUSC 4950/4955, Senior Project/Senior Presentation, 3 credit hours

4 credit hours from:

- MUPF, Applied Private Study, 1-3 credit hours

8 hours of music ensembles

Must choose one of the following tracks:

Performance Track:

- MUED 3330, 3350, or 3370, pedagogy for primary instrument, 2 credit hours
- Four additional semesters of private study, 4 credit hours
- Voice and Instrumental performance approved electives, 9 credit hours

Theory and History Track:

- MUSC 2020, Theory IV, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 3110, History of Music: Medieval/Renaissance, 3 credit hours
- MUSC 2030, Aural Comprehension III, 1 credit hour
- MUSC 2040, Aural Comprehension IV, 1 credit hour

7 hours of electives credit from the following:

- MUSC 1900-4900, Composition Lessons, 1 credit hour
- MUSC 3030, Choral Arranging, 2 credit hours
- MUSC 3040, Orchestration, 2 credit hours
- MUSC 3100, Counterpoint, 2 credit hours
- MUSC 3650/4650, Independent Study, 1-4 credit hours
- MUSC 4900, Additional Seminar, 2 credit hours
- MUED 2470, Introduction to Conducting, 2 credit hours
- MUPF XXXX, Applied Lessons, 1 credit hour each

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Composition Track:

- MUPF 1900-4900, Composition Lessons (4 semesters), 4 credit hours
 - MUSC 2020, Theory IV, 3 credit hours
 - MUSC 3040, Orchestration, 2 credit hours
- 6 hours of elective credit from the following:
- MUSC 2030, Aural Comprehension III, 1 credit hour
 - MUSC 2040, Aural Comprehension IV, 1 credit hour
 - MUSC 3030, Choral Arranging, 2 credit hours
 - MUSC 3100, Counterpoint, 2 credit hours
 - MUSC 3110, History of Music: Medieval/Renaissance, 3 credit hours
 - MUSC 3650/4650, Independent Study, 1-4 credit hours
 - MUSC 4900, Additional Seminar, 2 credit hours
 - MUED 2470, Introduction to Conducting, 2 credit hours
 - MUPF XXXX, Applied Lessons, 1 credit hour each

- MUSC 2110, Intro to Music Literature, is an Aesthetic Ways of Knowing course in the Liberal Arts Program.
- MUSC 2330, Intro to World Music, is a Global/Intercultural course in the Liberal Arts Program.
- MUSC 3110, Music History: Medieval/Renaissance, is a Writing Intensive course in the Liberal Arts Program.
- MUSC 3120, Music History: Baroque/Classic, is a Writing Intensive course in the Liberal Arts Program.
- MUSC 3130, Music History: 19th and 20th Centuries, is a Writing Intensive course in the Liberal Arts Program.
- MUSC 4955, Senior Presentation, is a Speaking Intensive course in the Liberal Arts Program.
- MUED 3350, Voice Pedagogy, is a Speaking Intensive course in the Liberal Arts Program.

NOTE: All students must complete 120 total credit hours to graduate from Anderson University.

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Performance Track Proposed course sequence:

- Freshman: MUPF 1050, MUSC 1010, 1030, Lesson, Ensemble;
MUPF 1060, MUSC 1020, 1040, Lesson, Ensemble
- Sophomore: MUSC 2010, 2110, Lesson, Ensemble, Elective; MUSC 2330, Lesson, Ensemble, Elective
- Junior: MUED 3330/3350/3370, Ensemble, Lesson, Elective;
MUSC 3120, MUED 3330/3350/3370 (If Necessary), Ensemble, Lesson, Elective
- Senior: MUSC 3130, 4900, Ensemble, Lesson, Elective; MUSC 4950/4955, Ensemble, Lesson, Elective

Performance Track Suggested Course Sequence

SEMESTER 1		SEMESTER 2	
MUPF 1050	2 Hours	MUPF 1060	2 Hours
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour	MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour
MUSC 1010	3 Hours	MUSC 1020	3 Hours
MUSC 1030	1 Hour	MUSC 1040	1 Hour
ENGL 1100 or 1110	3-4 Hours	ENGL 1120	3 Hours
LART 1050	1 Hour	Personal Wellness	2 Hours
COMM 1000	3 Hours	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3 Hours

SEMESTER 3		SEMESTER 4	
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour	MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour
MUSC 2010	3 Hours	MUSC 2330	3 Hours
MUSC 2110	2 Hours	Department Approved Elective	1-3 Hours
Department Approved Elective	1-3 Hours	Civic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
Foreign Language	4 Hours	Quantitative Reasoning	3 Hours
BIBL 2000	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour	MUSC 3120	3 Hours
Department Approved Elective	1-3 Hours	MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour
MUED 3330/3350/3370 or Additional Class	2-3 Hours	MUED 3330/3350/3370 or Additional Class	2-3 Hours
Scientific Ways of Knowing	4 Hours	Department Approved Elective	1-3 Hours
Christian Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour	MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour
MUSC 3130	3 Hours	Department Approved Elective	1-3 Hours
Department Approved Elective	1-3 Hours	MUSC 4950/4955	3 Hours
MUSC 4900	2 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Speaking Intensive	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours		

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Theory and History Track Proposed course sequence:

- Freshman: MUPF 1050, MUSC 1010, 1030, Lesson, Ensemble;
MUPF 1060, MUSC 1020, 1040, Lesson, Ensemble
- Sophomore: MUSC 2010, 2110, 2030, Lesson, Ensemble, Elective;
MUSC 2020, MUSC 2330, 2040, Lesson, Ensemble, Elective
- Junior: MUSC 3110, Ensemble, Elective; MUSC 3120, Ensemble, Elective
- Senior: MUSC 3130, 4900, Ensemble, Elective; Ensemble, Elective, MUSC 4950/4955

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SEMESTER 1		SEMESTER 2	
MUPF 1050	2 Hours	MUPF 1060	2 Hours
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour	MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour
MUSC 1010	3 Hours	MUSC 1020	3 Hours
MUSC 1030	1 Hour	MUSC 1040	1 Hour
ENGL 1100 or 1110	3-4 Hours	ENGL 1120	3 Hours
LART 1050	1 Hour	Personal Wellness	2 Hours
COMM 1000	3 Hours	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3 Hours

SEMESTER 3		SEMESTER 4	
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour	MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour
MUSC 2010	3 Hours	MUSC 2330	3 Hours
MUSC 2110	2 Hours	MUSC 2020	3 Hours
MUSC 2030	1 Hour	MUSC 2040	1 Hour
Department Approved Elective	1-2 Hours	Department Approved Elective	1-2 Hours
Foreign Language	4 Hours	Civic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
BIBL 2000	3 Hours	Quantitative Reasoning	3 Hours

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUSC 3110	3 Hours	MUSC 3120	3 Hours
Department Approved Elective	1-2 Hours	Department Approved Elective	1-2 Hours
Christian Ways of Knowing	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Scientific Ways of Knowing	4 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUSC 3130	3 Hours	Department Approved Elective	1-2 Hours
Department Approved Elective	1-2 Hours	MUSC 4950/4955	3 Hours
MUSC 4900	2 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Speaking Intensive	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

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Composition Track Proposed course sequence:

- Freshman: MUPF 1050, MUSC 1010, 1030, Lesson, Ensemble;
MUPF 1060, MUSC 1020, 1040, Lesson, Ensemble
- Sophomore: MUSC 2010, 2110, Elective, Lesson, Ensemble; MUSC 2020, 2330, Elective, Lesson, Ensemble
- Junior: Ensemble, Elective, Composition Lesson;
MUSC 3120, 3040, Ensemble, Elective, Composition Lesson
- Senior: MUSC 3130, 4900, Ensemble, Elective, Composition Lesson;
Ensemble, MUSC 4950/4955, Elective, Composition Lesson

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SEMESTER 1		SEMESTER 2	
MUPF 1050	2 Hours	MUPF 1060	2 Hours
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour	MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour
MUSC 1010	3 Hours	MUSC 1020	3 Hours
MUSC 1030	1 Hour	MUSC 1040	1 Hour
ENGL 1100 or 1110	3-4 Hours	ENGL 1120	3 Hours
LART 1050	1 Hour	Personal Wellness	2 Hours
COMM 1000	3 Hours	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3 Hours

SEMESTER 3		SEMESTER 4	
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour	MUPF 2XXX Private Lesson	1 Hour
MUSC 2010	3 Hours	MUSC 2020	3 Hours
MUSC 2110	2 Hours	MUSC 2330	3 Hours
Elective	1-3 Hours	Elective	1-3 Hours
Foreign Language	4 Hours	BIBL 2000	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Quantitative Reasoning	3 Hours

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUPF X9XX Composition Lesson	1 Hour	MUSC 3120	3 Hours
Elective	1-3 Hours	MUSC 3040	2 Hours
Scientific Ways of Knowing	4 Hours	MUPF X9XX Composition Lesson	1 Hour
Additional Class	3 Hours	Elective	1-3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour	MUPF 1XXX Ensemble	1 Hour
MUSC 3130	3 Hours	MUSC 4950/4955	3 Hours
MUSC 4900	2 Hours	MUPF X9XX Composition Lesson	1 Hour
MUPF X9XX Composition Lesson	1 Hour	Elective	1-3 Hours
Elective	1-3 Hours	Christian Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
Speaking Intensive	3 Hours	Civic Ways of Knowing	3 Hours
Additional Class	3 Hours	Additional Class	3 Hours

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Academic Advising

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