### REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACHELOR OF MUSIC

**WEITZENHOFFER FAMILY COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS**  
**THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA**

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**CREDIT HOURS AND GRADE AVERAGES REQUIRED**

- **Total Credit Hours**: 124-140
- **Minimum Overall Grade Point Average**: 2.50
- **Minimum Grade Point Average in OU Work**: 2.50

A grade of C or better is required in all courses taken within the School of Music. Bachelor's degrees require a minimum of 40 hours of upper-division (3000-4000) coursework.

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**Audition is required for admission to the degree program.**

**General Education** & Other Requirements (33-43 hours) | Hours | Applied Music & Music Technique (42-58 hours) | Hours
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Core I: Symbolic and Oral Communication  
ENGL 1113, Principles of English Composition  
ENGL 1213, Principles of English Composition, or  
EXPO 1213, Expository Writing  
Foreign Language—this requirement is not mandatory if the student successfully completed 2 years of the same foreign language in high school. —2 courses (Core I)  
Mathematics—(Core I) (1473 is recommended)  
Core II: Natural Science - 2 courses, The two courses must be from different disciplines and one must include a laboratory.  
Core III: Social Science - 2 courses  
PSC 1113, American Federal Government  
Core IV: Humanities  
Understanding Artistic Forms: satisfied in Music Theory and Music History requirements (4 hours).*  
Western Civilization & Culture: (6 hours)  
HIST 1483, United States, 1492-1865, or  
1493, United States, 1865 to Present  
Remaining three hours is satisfied in Music History requirements. •  
Non-Western Culture: (upper-division)  
Senior Capstone — (3 hours)  
SRRE 4012, Capstone Writing Seminar, and  
SRRE 4021, Senior Capstone Recital  
Free Electives—4-14 hours  
Courses used to fulfill General Education and/or major requirements may not fulfill electives.  
| 3 | 0-10 | GTAR 2020, Applied Guitar  
| | | 8-14 |
| 3 | MUTE 1010, Recital Attendance †  
| | | 0 |
| 3-4 | $Music Technique—major performance organization  
| | | 4-8 |
| 3 | MUTE 2271 or 4271, Chamber Music -- Guitar (eight semesters)  
| | | 8 |
| 3 | MUTE 3242, Instrumental Conducting I  
| | | 2 |
| 3 | MUTE 3252, Instrumental Conducting II  
| | | 2 |
| 0 | SRRE 3021, Junior Recital  
| | | 1 |
| 3 | SRRE 4012, Capstone Writing Seminar  
| | | 2 |
| 4-14 | SRRE 4021, Senior Capstone Recital  
| | | 1 |
| | Advised Electives—0-6 hours  
| | | 0-6 |

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**Some courses which fulfill the General Education requirements are listed in other areas on this sheet and are indicated by the appropriate Core numbers.**

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**Music Theory (28 hours)**

- MUSC 1312, Music in Culture (Core IV)*  
- MUSC 2313, Ancient Times to 1700 (Core IV)•  
- MUSC 2323, Late Baroque through Romantic (Core IV)•  
- MUSC 3333, Post-Romantic Period to the Present (Core IV)*  
- MUTH 1511, Musical Structures I  
- MUTH 1522, Musical Structures II  
- MUTH 1611, Aural Skills I  
- MUTH 1622, Aural Skills II  
- MUTH 2512, Musical Structures III (Core IV)*  
- MUTH 2522, Musical Structures IV  
- MUTH 2612, Aural Skills III  
- MUTH 2622, Aural Skills IV  
- MUTH 3512, Musical Structures V  
- MUTH 3763, Counterpoint  
- MUTH 3783, Forms and Analysis  
- MUTH 4853, Orchestration  
- MUTH 4863, Advanced Orchestration  

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**DEGREE COMPLETION RESPONSIBILITY:** Although the Dean’s Office checks each student’s records, the responsibility for meeting degree requirements lies with the student and not with the adviser or the Dean. Each student should obtain a copy of his or her requirements for graduation and check it regularly as he or she completes his or her degree program.
## Suggested Semester Advisement Plan

**Guitar—B735 P301**

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**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS**

| FRESHMAN | 13 | 14 |

**SOPHOMORE**

|           | 15-16 | 16 |

**SENIOR**

|           | 16-21 | 17-22 |

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### University-Wide General Education Requirements (minimum 40 hours)

Courses designated as Core I, II, III, IV, or Capstone are part of the General Education curriculum. Students must complete a minimum of 40 hours of General Education courses, chosen from the approved list, including at least one upper-division Gen. ed. course outside of the student's major. Courses graded S/U or P/NP will not apply.

**Core I**

- Symbolic and Oral Communication (9-19 hours, 3-5 courses)
  - English Composition—6 hours, 2 courses
  - Mathematics—3 hours, 1 course
  - Foreign Language—0-10 hours, 2 courses in the same language, (which can be met by successfully completing two years of the same foreign language in high school)
  - Other (courses such as communication, logic or public speaking)

**Core II**

- Natural Science (7 hours, 2 courses)
  - Courses must be taken from different disciplines in the biological and/or physical sciences; one of which must include a laboratory.

**Core III**

- Social Science (6 hours, 2 courses)
  - One course must be P SC 1113, "American Federal Government"

**Core IV**

- Humanities (12 hours, 4 courses)
  - Understanding Artistic Forms—3 hours, 1 course
  - Western Civilization and Culture—6 hours, 2 courses, including HIST 1483 or HIST 1493
  - Non-Western Cultures—3 hours, 1 course

**Senior Capstone Experience (3 hours, 1 course)**

Unless otherwise stated on the degree sheet, the College of Fine Arts does not permit coursework to fulfill more than one more degree requirement.

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At least 24 hours of upper-division Music credit must be earned in residence as a declared major; must include the Senior Capstone.

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