

**REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACHELOR OF MUSIC**  
**WEITZENHOFFER FAMILY COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS**  
**THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA**

For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education  
**Summer 2016 through Spring 2017**

**CREDIT HOURS AND GRADE AVERAGES REQUIRED**  
 Total Credit Hours . . . . . **126-133**  
 Minimum Overall Grade Point Average . . . . . **2.50**  
 Minimum Grade Point Average in OU Work . . . . . **2.50**  
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Voice  
  
**B730**  
  
 Bachelor of Music

**OU encourages students to complete at least 31-33 hours of applicable coursework each year to have the opportunity to graduate in four years.**

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

General Education & Other Requirements (47-53 hours)	Hours	Major Requirements (79-80 hours)	Hours
		<b>Major Area (36-37 hours)</b>	
<b>Core I: Symbolic and Oral Communication</b>			
ENGL 1113, Principles of English Composition	3	VOIC 2020, Applied Lesson	8
ENGL 1213, Principles of English Composition, or	3	VOIC 4020, Applied Lesson*	8
EXPO 1213, Expository Writing			
Foreign Language: 15-20 hours — Students who did <b>not</b> successfully complete 2 years of the same foreign language in high school must take a second semester of one of the languages listed below, or two semesters of another foreign language. (Core I)			
ITAL 1115, Beginning Italian	5	MUTE XXXX, Major Performance Ensemble§	4
FR 1115, Beginning French	5	MUTE XXXX, Major Performance Ensemble§ (3000-4000)	4
GERM 1115, Beginning German	5	MUTE 1000, Freshman/Transfer Music Orientation (1 semester)	0
		MUTE 1010, Recital Attendance (3 semesters)	0
		MUTE 1190, 3190, 4290, 4382, or 4392, Opera	2
Mathematics—(Core I) (1473 is recommended)	3	MUTE 1282, Italian Lyric Diction	2
		MUTE 1292, English Lyric Diction	2
		MUTE 2282, French Lyric Diction	2
		MUTE 2292, German Lyric Diction	2
		JRRE 3021, Junior Recital	1
		SRRE 4021, Senior Capstone Recital (Core V)	1
		SRRE 4012, Capstone Writing Seminar (Core V)	0
<b>Core II: Natural Science - 2 courses.</b> The two courses must be from different disciplines; one must include a laboratory.	3-4	<b>♦Sophomore Barrier Performance Exam is required for admission to upper-division applied study.</b> § Major performance organizations are as follows: University Chorale, University Singers, and Women's Chorus. Juniors/Seniors may receive limited major ensemble credit for a major opera role. Contact the Associate Director of the School of Music for petition process. Enrollment required each semester for students enrolled in 12 or more hours; may be taken for 0 or 1 credit hour once degree requirements have been satisfied.	
	4		
<b>Core III: Social Science - 2 courses</b>	3	<b>Music Support (43 hours)</b>	
P SC 1113, American Federal Government	3	<b>Music Theory: (16 hours)</b>	
		MUTH 1511, Musical Structures I	1
		MUTH 1611, Aural Skills I	1
		MUTH 1522, Musical Structures II	2
		MUTH 1622, Aural Skills II	2
		MUTH 2512, Musical Structures III (Core IV)*	2
		MUTH 2612, Aural Skills III	2
		MUTH 2522, Musical Structures IV	2
		MUTH 2622, Aural Skills IV	2
		MUTH 3512, Musical Structures V	2
Western Civilization & Culture: (12 hours)	3	<b>Musicology and Music Literature (14 hours)</b>	
HIST 1483, United States, 1492-1865, or		MUSC 1312, Music in Culture (Core IV)*	2
1493, United States, 1865 to Present		MUSC 2313, Ancient Times to 1700 (Core IV)♦	3
Remaining nine hours is satisfied in Musicology requirements.	0	MUSC 2323, Late Baroque through Romantic Period (Core IV)♦	3
MUSC 2313, Ancient Times to 1700 (Core IV)♦	0	MUSC 3333, Post-Romantic Period to the Present (Core IV)♦	3
MUSC 2323, Late Baroque through Romantic Period (Core IV)♦	0	MULI 4543, Introduction to Vocal Literature	3
MUSC 3333, Post-Romantic Period to the Present (Core IV)♦	0		
Non-Western Culture: (upper-division)	3	MUTE 1311, Group Piano I ♦	1
		MUTE 1321, Group Piano II ♦	1
		MUTE 2311, Group Piano III ♦	1
		MUTE 2321, Group Piano IV ♦	1
<b>Senior Capstone</b> — (3 hours) Partially satisfied in Major Requirements.	2	PIAN 2000 or 4000, Secondary Lessons	4
SRRE 4012, Capstone Writing Seminar, and	0		
SRRE 4021, Senior Capstone Recital		MUTE 3262, Choral Conducting I	2
Free Electives—2 hours	2	Advised Music Electives	3
(MUTH 3783, Forms and Analysis is recommended)			

Courses used to fulfill General Education and/or major requirements may **not** fulfill electives.  
 Some courses which fulfill the General Education requirements are listed in other areas on this sheet and are indicated by the appropriate Core numbers.

♦Students who have prior piano background may be eligible for the proficiency exam for one or more of the class piano courses. These hours then become free electives. Or, the student may elect to receive advanced standing credit for the class piano course(s). See the Coordinator for Group Piano for information.

**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

### Voice — B730

Year	FIRST SEMESTER	Hours	SECOND SEMESTER	Hours	
<b>FRESHMAN</b>	VOIC 2020, Applied Voice	2	VOIC 2020, Applied Voice	2	
	MUTE 1311, Group Piano I	1	MUTE 1321, Group Piano II	1	
	MUTH 1511, Musical Structures I	1	MUTH 1522, Musical Structures II (Core IV)	2	
	MUTH 1611, Aural Skills I	1	MUTH 1622, Aural Skills II	2	
	MUTE Choral Ensemble	1	MUTE Choral Ensemble	1	
	MUTE 1000, Freshman/Transfer Music Orientation	0	MUTE 1010, Recital Attendance	0	
	MUTE 1282, Italian Lyric Diction	2	MUTE 1292, English Lyric Diction	2	
	ENGL 1113, Principles of English Composition (Core I)	3	MUSC 1312, Music in Culture (Core IV)	2	
	ITAL 1115, Beginning Italian	5	ENGL 1213, Principles of English Composition (Core I), <b>or</b> EXPO 1213, Expository Writing (Core I) MATH (Core I) (1473 is recommended)	3	
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	
			<b>18</b>		
<b>SOPHOMORE</b>	VOIC 2020, Applied Voice	2	VOIC 2020, Applied Voice	2	
	MUTE 2311, Group Piano III	1	MUTE 2321, Group Piano IV	1	
	MUTH 2512, Musical Structures III (Core IV)	2	MUTH 2522, Musical Structures IV	2	
	MUTH 2612, Aural Skills III	2	MUTH 2622, Aural Skills IV	2	
	MUTE Choral Ensemble	1	MUTE Choral Ensemble	1	
	MUTE 1010, Recital Attendance	0	MUTE 1010, Recital Attendance	0	
	MUTE 2282, French Lyric Diction	2	MUTE 2292, German Lyric Diction	2	
	MUSC 2313, Ancient Times to 1700 (Core IV)	3	MUSC 2323, Late Baroque through Romantic (Core IV)	3	
	FR 1115, Beginning French	5	GERM 1115, Beginning German	5	
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>		<b>18</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	
			<b>18</b>		
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<b>JUNIOR</b>	VOIC 4020, Applied Voice	2	VOIC 4020, Applied Voice	2	
	PIAN 4000, Secondary Lessons	1	PIAN 4000, Secondary Lessons	1	
	MUTH 3512, Musical Structures V	2	MUTE Choral Ensemble (3000-4000 level)	1	
	MUTE Choral Ensemble (3000-4000 level)	1	MUTE 1190, 3190, 4290, 4382 or 4392, Opera	2	
	MUTE 3262, Choral Conducting I	2	JRRE 3021, Junior Recital	1	
	MUSC 3333, Post-Romantic Period to the Present (Core IV)	3	Natural Science (Core II)	4	
	Social Science (Core III)	3	Non-Western Culture—Upper-Division (Core IV)	3	
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>		<b>14</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	
				<b>14</b>	
	<b>SENIOR</b>	VOIC 4020, Applied Voice	2	VOIC 4020, Applied Voice	2
PIAN 4000, Secondary Lessons		1	PIAN 4000, Secondary Lessons	1	
MUTE Choral Ensemble (3000-4000 level)		1	MUTE Choral Ensemble (3000-4000 level)	1	
SRRE 4012, Capstone Writing Seminar		2	MULI 4543, Introduction to Vocal Literature	3	
HIST 1483, United States 1492-1865, <b>or</b> 1493, United States 1865-Present (Core IV)		3	SRRE 4021, Senior Capstone Recital	1	
Natural Science (Core II)		3-4	P SC 1113, American Federal Government (Core III)	3	
Advised Music Electives		3	Free Electives	2	
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>		<b>15-16</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>		
			<b>13</b>		

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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#### 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.

<b>Core I</b>	<b>Symbolic and Oral Communication (9–19 hours, 3–5 courses)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• English Composition—6 hours, 2 courses</li> <li>• Mathematics—3 hours, 1 course</li> <li>• 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)</li> <li>• Other (courses such as communication, logic or public speaking)</li> </ul>
<b>Core II</b>	<b>Natural Science (7 hours, 2 courses)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Courses must be taken from different disciplines in the biological and/or physical sciences; one of which must include a laboratory.</li> </ul>
<b>Core III</b>	<b>Social Science (6 hours, 2 courses)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One course must be P SC 1113, "American Federal Government"</li> </ul>
<b>Core IV</b>	<b>Humanities (12 hours, 4 courses)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understanding Artistic Forms—3 hours, 1 course</li> <li>• Western Civilization and Culture—6 hours, 2 courses, including HIST 1483 or HIST 1493</li> <li>• Non-Western Cultures—3 hours, 1 course</li> </ul>

#### 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 degree requirement.