

2025–26 Music–Theory–Composition Academic Map

School of Music

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An academic map is a suggested four-year schedule of courses based on degree requirements in the undergraduate catalog. This sample schedule serves as a general guideline to help build a full schedule each term. Milestones, courses, and special requirements necessary for timely progress to complete a major are designated to keep you on track to graduate in four years. ***Missing milestones could delay your program.***

This map is not a substitute for academic advisement—contact your advisor if you have any questions about scheduling or about your degree requirements. Also see the current undergraduate catalog (catalog.mtsu.edu) for a complete list of requirements and electives.

Note: Requirements are continually under revision, and there is no guarantee they will not be changed or revoked; contact the department and/or program area for current information.



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True Blue Core (TBC).

Suggested Fall/Spring Four-Year Schedule

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes
MUTH 1110	4		MUTH 1120	4	
MUAP 2350-2999	1		MUHL 1610	3	TBC; Major
MUS 1530	1		MUAP 2350-2999	1	
MUS 1010	0		MUS 1540	1	
MUEN 3---	1		MUS 1010	0	
Written Communication	3	TBC	MUEN 3---	1	
Quantitative Literacy	3	TBC	Information Literacy	3	TBC
Human Society and Social Relationships	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Creativity and Cultural Expression	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
SUBTOTAL	16		SUBTOTAL	16	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
MUTH 2110	3		MUTH 2120	3	
MUHL 3010	3		MUHL 3020	3	
MUAP 2350-2999	1		MUAP 2350-2999	1	
MUAP 2342	2		MUAP 2342	2	
MUS 2530	1		MUS 2540	1	
MUS 1010	0		MUS 1010	0	
MUEN 3---	1		MUEN 3---	1	
Non-Written Communication	3	TBC	Creativity and Cultural Expression Literature	3	TBC
History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
SUBTOTAL	17		SUBTOTAL	17	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		

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Suggested Fall/Spring Four-Year Schedule *continued*

MUAP 4350-4799	1		MUAP 4350-4799	1	
MUAP 4342	2		MUAP 4342	2	
MUTH 4110	2		MUTH 3110	3	
MUS 3130	2		MUS 1010	0	
MUS 1010	0		MUEN 3---	1	
MUEN 3---	1		MUEN 3---	1	
MUEN 3---	1		MUHL 4630	3	
Scientific Literacy	4	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Human Society and Social Relationships	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
SUBTOTAL	13		SUBTOTAL	14	
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
MUAP 4350-4799	1		MUAP 4350-4799	1	
MUAP 4342	2		MUAP 4342	2	
MUTH 4190	3		MUAP 4900	2	
MUEN 3---	1		MUHL 4650	3	
MUHL 4640	3		MUTH 4130	2	
Scientific Literacy	4	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Elective	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
SUBTOTAL	14		SUBTOTAL	13	
TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120					

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Suggested Fall/Spring/Summer Four-Year Schedule

You may choose to attend a summer term to reduce your load during fall or spring terms but still stay on track to graduate in four years. Refer to www.mtsu.edu/financial-aid/scholarships for information regarding use of the Lottery Scholarship for the summer term.

NOTE: Learning Support courses will alter the sequences on this map.

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MUTH 1110	4		MUTH 1120	4	
MUAP 2350-2999	1		MUHL 1610	3	TBC; Major
MUS 1530	1		MUAP 2350-2999	1	
MUS 1010	0		MUS 1540	1	
MUEN 3---	1		MUS 1010	0	
Written Communication	3	TBC	MUEN 3---	1	
History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Information Literacy	3	TBC
SUBTOTAL	13		SUBTOTAL	13	
FRESHMAN SUMMER					
Quantitative Literacy	3	TBC	Human Society and Social Relationships	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
SUBTOTAL	3		SUBTOTAL	3	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
MUTH 2110	3		MUTH 2120	3	
MUHL 3010	3		MUHL 3020	3	
MUAP 2350-2999	1		MUAP 2350-2999	1	
MUAP 2342	2		MUAP 2342	2	
MUS 2530	1		MUS 2540	1	
MUS 1010	0		MUS 1010	0	
MUEN 3---	1		Creativity and Cultural Expression Literature	3	TBC
Non-Written Communication	3	TBC	MUEN 3---	1	
SUBTOTAL	14		SUBTOTAL	14	
SOPHOMORE SUMMER					
Human Society and Social Relationships	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Creativity and Cultural Expression	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
SUBTOTAL	3		SUBTOTAL	3	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
MUAP 4350-4799	1		MUAP 4350-4799	1	
MUAP 4342	2		MUAP 4342	2	
MUTH 4110	2		MUTH 3110	3	
MUS 3130	2		MUS 1010	0	
MUS 1010	0		MUEN 3---	1	
MUEN 3---	1		MUEN 3---	1	
MUEN 3---	1		MUHL 4630	3	
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SUBTOTAL	13		SUBTOTAL	14	
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MUTH 4190	3		MUAP 4900	2	
MUEN 3--	1		MUHL 4650	3	
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