

# 2026–27 Music, B.A., Academic Map

## School of Music

### Middle Tennessee State University • Murfreesboro



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](http://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.*



Scan the QR code or [click here](#) for more information about the 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 (2000 Level) OR MUS 1510	1		History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
MUS 1530 or MUS 2550	1		MUAP (2000 Level) OR MUS 1550	1	
MUS 1010	0		MUS 1540 or MUS 2560	1	
MUEN 3---	1		MUS 1010	0	
Creativity and Cultural Expression	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	MUEN 3---	1	
Written Communication	3	TBC	Information Literacy	3	TBC
Quantitative Literacy	3	TBC	Scientific Literacy	4	TBC; one must come from Discovery
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>17</b>	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
MUTH 2110	3		MUTH 2120	3	
MUAP (2000 Level) OR MUS 2530	1		MUAP (2000 Level) OR MUS 2540	1	
MUS 1010	0		MUS 1010	0	
Foreign language 1010/Elective	3		Foreign language 1020/Elective	3	
MUEN 3---	1		MUEN 3---	1	
MUHL 1610	3		Scientific Literacy	4	TBC; one must come from Discovery
Non-Written Communication	3	TBC	Creativity and Cultural Expression	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
Creativity and Cultural Expression Literature	3	TBC			
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>17</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	

## Suggested Fall/Spring Four-Year Schedule *continued*

JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
MUHL 3010	3		MUHL 3020	3	
Foreign language 2010	3		Foreign language 2020	3	Language completed
MUEN 3---	1		MUEN 3---	1	
MUS 1010	0		History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
Emphasis elective	3	Chosen with capstone advisor approval	Emphasis elective	3	Chosen with capstone advisor approval
Minor elective	3	(outside of Music)	MUS 1010	0	
			Minor elective	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
Emphasis elective	3	Chosen with capstone advisor approval	MUS 4460 Advised Capstone	3	
Minor elective	3		Minor elective	3	
Minor elective	3		General elective	1	
MUS 3140 or MUPD 3050	2		MUTH 4130 or MUAP 4343	2	
Human Society and Social Relationships	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Human Society and Social Relationships	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	
<b>TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120</b>					

# Music, B.A., 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](http://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.

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes
MUTH 1110	4		MUTH 1120	4	
MUAP (2000 Level) OR MUS 1510	1		MUAP (2000 Level) OR MUS 1550	1	
MUS 1530 or MUS 2550	1		MUS 1540 or MUS 2560	1	
MUS 1010	0		MUS 1010	0	
MUEN 3---	1		MUEN 3---	1	
Creativity and Cultural Expression	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Information Literacy	3	TBC
Written Communication	3	TBC	Scientific Literacy	4	TBC; one must come from Discovery
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>	
FRESHMAN SUMMER					
History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery	Quantitative Literacy	3	TBC
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
MUTH 2110	3		MUTH 2120	3	
MUAP (2000 Level) OR MUS 2530	1		MUAP (2000 Level) OR MUS 2540	1	
MUS 1010	0		MUS 1010	0	
Foreign language 1010/Elective	3		Foreign language 1020/Elective	3	
MUEN 3---	1		MUEN 3---	1	
MUHL 1610	3		Scientific Literacy	4	TBC; one must come from Discovery
Creativity and Cultural Expression Literature	3	TBC	Creativity and Cultural Expression	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	
SOPHOMORE SUMMER					
Non-Written Communication	3	TBC	History and Civic Learning	3	TBC; one must come from Discovery
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
MUHL 3010	3		MUHL 3020	3	
Foreign language 2010	3		Foreign language 2020	3	Language completed
MUEN 3---	1		MUEN 3---	1	
MUS 1010	0		Emphasis elective	3	Chosen with capstone advisor approval
Emphasis elective	3	Chosen with capstone advisor approval	MUS 1010	0	
Minor elective	3	(outside of Music)	Minor elective	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>	
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<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	
<b>TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120</b>					