

**West Texas A&M University
STARR Center
Degree Checklist
2008-2009**

NAME: _____

WT ID: _____

DATE: _____

**Music Composition
Department of Music
FAC 202 651-2840**

CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 39 HOURS ♦			
Number of hours does not include specific core requirements listed below.			HRS
Communication (10)			
ENGL 1301 (ENG 101); 1302* (ENG 102) or 2311* (ENG 270)	6		
Communication (11)			
SCOM 1315** (101), 1318 (103), or 1321 (201)	3		
Mathematics (20)			
MATH 1314* (110), 1324* (115), 1332**/***, 2412*, or 2413*	3		
Natural Sciences (30)			
Take two courses from:			
PSES 1301 (216), 1307 (112); ANSC 1319 (121); BIOL 1406 (101) or 1408 (NEW), 1407* (102) or 1409* (NEW), 1411 (122), 1413 (121); CHEM 1405 (121), 1411* (101), 1412* (102); GEOL 1401 (GESC 111) or 1403 (GEOL 101), 1402 (GESC 112), 1404 (GEOL 102); PHYS 1401* (101), 1402* (102), 1411, 1412, 2425* (210), 2426* (211)	6-8		
Humanities (40-41)			
ENGL 2321* (NEW), 2326* (NEW), 2331* (NEW), 2341* (NEW), 2343* (NEW); HIST 2311 (110), 2372 (210); MCOM 1307 (MC 107); PHIL 1301 (101), 2374 (204); or SPAN 2312**/**** (207) Choose 1	3		
Visual and Performing Arts (50)			
See University Core Requirements below	(4)		
Social and Behavioral Sciences (60)			
HIST 1301 (201), 1302 (202), 2301 Choose 2	6		
Social and Behavioral Sciences (70)			
POSC 2305 (101) or POSC 2370 (NEW); 2306 (102)	6		
Social and Behavioral Sciences (80)			
AGBE 2317 (213), ANTH 2351 (201); CRJ 1301 (CJ 105); ECON 2301 (ECO 201), 2302 (ECO 202), 2371; GEOG 1302 (202); PSYC 2301 (PSY 201); SCOM 2377 (255); SOCI 1301 (201); or SOCW 2361 (SOWK 201) Choose 1	3		
Institutionally Designated Option (90)			
PHED 1111 (SES 101); PHED/ANSC activity course; DANC 1241 (1070), 2241* (2370); MUEN 1026 Upon written recommendation of the University physician or the coordinator for Student Disability Services, students may substitute a one hour elective course in lieu of physical education course.	1-2		
MUSIC COMPOSITION REQUIREMENTS: 80 HOURS			
UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS: 4 HOURS			
CORE 50			
MUSI 1208 (MUS 147) Literature I and MUSI 1209 (MUS 149) Literature II	4		
MUSIC CORE REQUIREMENTS: 76 HOURS—SEE NOTE			
MUSI RCTL (MUS RCTL) Music Recital Required each semester of all undergraduate music majors enrolled in nine or more hours.	0		
MUSI 1372 (MUS 146) Theory I	3		
MUSI 1373* (MUS 148) Theory II	3		
MUSI 2372* (MUS 246) Theory III	3		
MUSI 2373* (MUS 248) Theory IV	3		
MUSI 3105* (MUS 305) Baton Technique	1		

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MUSI 3347* (MUS 347) Music History from Antiquity to 1750	3		
MUSI 3349* (MUS 349) Music History from 1750 to Present	3		
Take 14 hours from:			
MUSI 3256* (390) Jazz Theory and Practice	14		
MUSI 3263* (391) Form and Analysis			
MUSI 3264* (392) Orchestration			
MUSI 3265* (393) 18 th -Century Counterpoint			
MUSI 3266* (394) Choral Arranging			
MUSI 3267* (395) 20 th -Century Analysis			
MUSI 3268* (396) Band Arranging			
MUSI 3269* (397) Advanced Ear Training			
MUSI 3270* (398) 16 th -Century Counterpoint			
MUAP 10XX***** (APM 100) (APPLIED MUSIC)	2,2,2,2	8	
MUAP 30XX***** (APM 300) (APPLIED MUSIC)	2,2	4	
MUAP 1087 (APM 100D) (APPLIED MUSIC)	2,2,2,2	8	
MUAP 3087 (APM 300D) (APPLIED MUSIC)	2,2	4	
Six one-hour enrollments from (grade must be "C" or better):			
MUSI 1181* (MUS 136, MUSI 1180) Piano Class I	6		
MUSI 1182* (MUS 136, MUSI 1180) Piano Class II			
MUSI 2181* (MUS 236, MUSI 2180) Piano Class III			
MUSI 2182* (MUS 236, MUSI 2180) Piano Class IV			
MUAP 1069 (APM 100P) (APPLIED MUSIC) Piano			
MUAP 3069 (APM 300P) (APPLIED MUSIC) Piano			
MUSI 3207* (MUS 307) Instrumental Conducting	2		
MUSI 3209* (MUS 309) Choral Conducting Choose 1			
MUSI 3343* (MUS 343) Computer Assisted Electronic Music		3	
MUSI 4211* (MUS 411) Symphonic Literature	2		
MUSI 4212* (MUS 412) Song Literature			
MUSI 4213* (MUS 413) Chamber Music Literature			
MUSI 4252* (MUS 452) Piano Literature Choose 1			
MUEN 1XXX***** (MAJOR ENSEMBLE)	1,1,1,1	4	
MUEN 3XXX***** (MAJOR ENSEMBLE)	1,1,1,1	2	
ELECTIVES: 4 HOURS			
ELECTIVES (not MUSI, MUEN or MUAP—see NOTE)		4	
MINIMUM HOURS NEEDED TO COMPLETE DEGREE			123

♦ Core curriculum courses should be taken during the first two years of enrollment.

For a list of core courses with descriptions see www.wtamu.edu/starr/.

* Indicates prerequisites—see [catalog](#) for more information.

** Recommended by department.

*** While MATH 1332 will fulfill core math requirements for students in the 2008-2009 catalog, it will NOT prepare them for math beyond MATH 1332 such as Business Math II (MATH 1325), Pre-Calculus (MATH 2412), etc.

**** Or an equivalent course (second year, second semester) in French or German.

***** Course numbers vary depending on lesson or ensemble taken.

NOTE: A maximum of 80 semester hours in music (MUSI, MUEN, MUAP) can be counted toward a bachelor of music degree.

Note: This is NOT a degree plan. Upon completion of 60 hours, apply for a degree plan in the office of the dean of the Sybil B. Harrington College of Fine Arts and Humanities, located in Mary Moody Northern Hall, Room 161, or call 651-2777.