

**West Texas A&M University**  
**Advising Services**  
**Degree Checklist**  
**2023-2024**

(For assistance completing this form, contact Advising Services at 806-651-5300)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ WT ID: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Music (Grades EC-12) Certification, Keyboard Emphasis**  
**School of Music**  
**FAC 202 651-2840**

CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 42 HOURS		HRS
<b>Communication (Core 10)</b>		
ENGL 1301 Intro. to Academic Writing & Argumentation OR ENGL 1311 Writing About Ideas	3	
COMM 1315, 1318, or 1321 (1315 is recommended)	3	
<b>Mathematics (Core 20)</b>		
MATH 1314*, 1316*, 1324*, 1325*, 1332**/**, 1342*/**, 1350*/**, 2412*, or 2413* (2412 & 2413: fourth hr. moves to Core 90)	3	
<b>Life and Physical Sciences (Core 30)</b>		
<b>Take two courses from:</b>		
ANSC 1319; BIOL 1406 or 1308, 1407* or 1309*, 1411, 1413; CHEM 1305* or 1411*, 1412*; ENVR 1407*; GEOL 1301 or 1403, 1302, 1404; PHYS 1401*, 1402*, 1311, 1312, 1371, 2425*, 2426*; PSES 1301, 1307 - BIOL 1406, 1407, 1411, 1413; CHEM 1411, 1412; GEOL 1403, 1404; PHYS 1401, 1402, 2425, 2426: 4 <sup>th</sup> hr. moves to Core 90	6	
<b>Language, Philosophy and Culture (Core 40)</b>		
ANTH 2351, ENGL 2321*, 2326*, 2331*, 2341*, 2343*; HIST 2311, 2323, 2372; MCOM 1307; PHIL 1301, 2374; SPAN 2311*, 2312*/**, 2313*, 2315*, or 2371 <b>Choose 1</b>	3	
<b>Creative Arts (Core 50)</b>		
See University Core Requirements below	(3)	
<b>American History (Core 60)</b>		
HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2381, 2382 <b>Choose 2</b>	6	
<b>Government/Political Science (Core 70)</b>		
POSC 2305 and 2306	6	
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core 80)</b>		
AGBE 2317*; COMM 2377; CRIJ 1301; ECON 2301, 2302; GEOG 1302; PSYC 2301; SOCI 1301 <b>Choose 1</b>	3	
<b>Component Area Option (Core 90)</b>		
<b>Take six hours from:</b>		
AGRI 2300; BIOL 4th hour from 4-hour courses (from Core 30); BUSI 1301, 1304; CHEM 4th hour from 4-hour courses (from Core 30); CIDM 1105, CIDM 1301 or 1315; CS 1301; ECON 2331; ENGL 1101, 1102, 1302*, 1312*, 2311*; ENVR 4th hour (from Core 30); GEOL 4th hour from 4-hour courses (from Core 30); IDS 1071 (1-3 hours); MATH 4th hour from 4-hour courses (from Core 20); MUSI 1053; PHIL 2303; PHYS 4th hour from 4-hour courses (from Core 30); SES 1120	6	
<b>MUSIC—ALL-LEVEL CERTIFICATION, KEYBOARD OPTION MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 96 HOURS</b> A grade of "C" or better and a 2.75 GPA is required. ^		
<b>UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS: 3 HOURS</b>		
<b>CORE 50</b>		
MUSI 1307 Music Literature	3	
<b>MUSIC CORE REQUIREMENTS: 51 HOURS</b>		
MUSI RCTL Music Recital (Required each semester of all undergraduate music majors enrolled in nine or more hours.)	0	
MUSI 1311 Theory I	3	
MUSI 1116 Aural Skills I	1	
MUSI 1312* Theory II	3	
MUSI 1117* Aural Skills II	1	
MUSI 2311* Theory III	3	
MUSI 2116* Aural Skills III	1	
MUSI 2312* Theory IV	3	
MUSI 2117* Aural Skills IV	1	
MUSI 3105* Baton Technique	1	
MUSI 3347* Music History I	3	
MUSI 3349* Music History II	3	

**Bachelor of Music Education Degree (B.M.Ed.)**  
**Major: Music Education**  
**BME.MUSIC.KB (852) – TExES Exams: 160, 177**

<b>Take two courses from:</b>			
MUSI 3256* Jazz Theory and Practice			
MUSI 3263* Form and Analysis			
MUSI 3264* Orchestration		4	
MUSI 3265* Counterpoint			
MUSI 3266* Choral Arranging			
MUSI 3267* 20 <sup>th</sup> -Century Analysis			
MUSI 3268* Band Arranging			
MUSI 3269* Advanced Ear Training			
MUAP 1069 (APPLIED MUSIC) Piano	2,2,2,2	8	
MUAP 3069 (APPLIED MUSIC) Piano	2,2,2,1	7	
MUAP 4194* Senior Recital		1	
<b>ENSEMBLE REQUIREMENT:</b> A minimum of eight fall or spring semesters of major ensemble are required for bachelor of music (B.M.) degrees. Band (MUEN XX26 or XX27) is the major ensemble for woodwinds, brass, and percussion; choir (MUEN XX41 or XX42) for voice; orchestra (MUEN XX29) for strings; choir for keyboard majors, but keyboard students may choose band or orchestra, respectively, if they can play a woodwind, brass, percussion, or string instrument.			
MUEN 1XXX**** (MAJOR ENSEMBLE)	1,1,1,1	4	
MUEN 3XXX**** (MAJOR ENSEMBLE)	1,1,1,1	4	
<b>KEYBOARD OPTION: 18 HOURS</b>			
MUSI 3207* Instrumental Conducting OR MUSI 3209* Choral Conducting		2	
MUSI 4312 Vocal Pedagogy		3	
MUSI 3232 Instrument Techniques		2	
MUSI 3037 Percussion Class		1	
MUSI 4242 Elementary Piano Pedagogy		2	
MUSI 4252* Piano Literature		2	
MUAP 1081 Voice	1,1,1,1	4	
MUSIC ELECTIVES (BY ADVISEMENT)		2	
<b>EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS: 24 HOURS</b> (A grade of "C" or better and a 2.75 GPA is required. ^)			
EPSY 3341* Educational Psychology		3	
EPSY 4341 Educator Readiness and Performance		3	
MUSI 4326 Elementary Music Methods OR MUSI 4327 Instrumental Methods		3	
EDSE 4328* Teaching of School Music		3	
MUSI 2271 Recreational Music		2	
MUSI 1192 Class Guitar I		1	
EDPD 4330* Educational Methodology & Diverse Learners		3	
EDPD 4398 Clinical Teaching All Certification Areas		3	
EDPD 4399 Clinical Teaching EC-12 Content Areas		3	
<b>MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE DEGREE</b>		<b>135</b>	

\* Indicates prerequisites—see catalog for more information.  
 \*\*\* Or an equivalent course (second year, second semester) in a foreign language.  
 \*\*\*\* Course numbers vary depending on lesson or ensemble taken.  
 \*\*\*\*\* Strongly recommended.  
 ^Transfer & WT GPA combined must be 2.75.

**NOTE: This is NOT a degree plan. All undergraduate students must request an official degree plan from their academic dean's office by the time they have completed 30 credit hours.**

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### Major: Music (EC-12) Certification – Keyboard Emphasis, B.M.E.

**Major Code: 852**

Year 1: Fall	Year 1: Spring
MUAP 1069 2	MUAP 1069 2
Major Ensemble and MUSI RCTL 1/0	Major Ensemble and MUSI RCTL 1/0
MUSI 1311 and 1116 3/1	MUSI 1312 and 1117 3/1
CORE 50 (Creative Arts) – MUSI 1307 <sup>1</sup> or CORE 20 (Mathematics) – See checklist for options 3	CORE 20 (Mathematics) – See checklist for options or CORE 50 (Creative Arts) – MCOM 1307 3
CORE 10 (Communication) – ENGL 1301 or 1311 3	CORE 10 (Communication) – COMM 1315, 1318 or 1321 3
CORE 90 (Component Area Option) – See checklist for options – IDS 1071 (special music section is recommended for 1 of 6 hours) 3	CORE – See checklist for options <sup>1</sup> 3
<b>Total:</b> 16	<b>Total:</b> 16
Year 2: Fall	Year 2: Spring
MUAP 1069 2	MUAP 1069 2
MUAP 1081 1	MUAP 1081 1
Major Ensemble and MUSI RCTL 1/0	Major Ensemble and MUSI RCTL 1/0
MUSI 2311 and 2116 3/1	MUSI 2312 and 2117 3/1
CORE – See checklist for options <sup>1</sup> 3,3,3	MUSI 2271 and 1192 2/1
	CORE – See checklist for options <sup>1</sup> 3
<b>Total:</b> 17	<b>Total:</b> 15
Year 3: Fall	Year 3: Spring
MUAP 3069 2	MUAP 3069 2
MUAP 1081 1	MUAP 1081 1
Major Ensemble and MUSI RCTL 3	Major Ensemble and MUSI RCTL 1/0
MUSI 3105 (fall only) 1	MUSI 3207 or 3209 (both are spring only) 2
MUSI 3347 (fall only) 3	MUSI 3349 (spring only) 3
MUSI 4242 (fall of odd years) 2	EPSY 4341 3
EDRD 4304 3	CORE – See checklist for options <sup>1</sup> 3
EPSY 3341 3	
<b>Total:</b> 14-16	<b>Total:</b> 15
Year 4: Fall	Year 4: Spring
MUAP 3069 2	MUAP 3069 and MUAP 4194 (Senior Recital) 1/1
Major Ensemble and MUSI RCTL 1/0	Major Ensemble and MUSI RCTL 1/0
Take one course from: MUSI 3256, 3263, 3264, 3265, 3266, 3267, 3268, 3269 2	Take a second course from: MUSI 3256, 3263, 3264, 3265, 3266, 3267, 3268, 3269 2
MUSI 4252 (fall of even years) 2	MUSI 3232 (spring only) 2
MUSI 4312 (fall of even years) 3	MUSI 3037 (spring of odd years) 1
MUSI 4326 (fall only) 3	Music Electives 2
EDSE 4328 3	CORE – See checklist for options <sup>1</sup> 3
<b>Total:</b> 16	<b>Total:</b> 13
Summer Sessions	Year 5: Fall
CORE 30 (Life & Phys. Sci.) – See checklist for options 3/3	EDPD 4398, 4399 3/3

<sup>1</sup> **CORE:** Music majors are required to take MUSI 1307 for Core 50. For all other categories, they may select from any available options (see degree checklist). Apart from the major-specific core requirement, there is no set order in which core courses must be taken.

<b>Identified Marketable Skills</b>	<b>Top Three Local Employers or Industries/Professional Programs/Possible Career Opportunities</b>
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**Additional notes:**

- The core curriculum must total exactly 42 hours; excess hours must be moved to the major as an elective or a major requirement and stay within the 120-hour requirement or approved total submitted to the Coordinating Board for degree requirements. Some majors specify particular courses to meet core curriculum requirements when options are available.

- At least 36 hours of advanced work (3000- or 4000-level courses) for which tuition is paid must be earned at WTAMU. A maximum of six semester hours in religion (RELI) and six semester hours in physical education (PHED) courses can count toward a baccalaureate degree.

DISCLAIMER: This curriculum guide should be used in conjunction with the corresponding degree checklist for general planning purposes only. The degree checklist (later a student's official degree plan) should be referred to as the comprehensive list of all courses required for the degree. An official degree plan is required after completing 30 hours. Students should always seek the advice of their academic adviser before scheduling classes.