

2015 - 2016 Old Dominion University Catalog

Bachelor of Arts in Music

This is a sample four year curriculum with a suggested ordering of courses. Students have the flexibility of re-ordering as needed.

**Indicates not automatically waived with transferrable associates degree, C or better required for transfer.*

YEAR 1 - FRESHMAN (28 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (14 credits)	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>	SPRING SEMESTER (14 credits)	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>
ENGL 110C (Grade of C or better required)	ENG 111*	Literature	Transfer Guide
FR or GER 101F	FRE 101 or GER 101*	FR or GER 102F	FRE 102 or GER 102*
Mathematics	Transfer Guide	Human Creativity (May not use MUSC 264A)	Transfer Guide
MUSC 221 (Grade of C or better required)		MUSC 222 (Grade of C or better required)	
MUSC 223 (1 credit) (Grade of C or better required)		MUSC 224 (1 credit) (Grade of C or better required)	
MUSC 261 (1 credit)		MUSC 262 (1 credit)	

YEAR 2 - SOPHOMORE (32 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>	SPRING SEMESTER (16 credits)	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>
ENGL 211C (Grade of C or better required)	ENG 112 or 210*	Philosophy and Ethics	Transfer Guide
FR or GER 201	FRE 201 or GER 201*	FR or GER 202	FRE 202 or GER 202*
Information Literacy and Research	Transfer Guide	Human Behavior	Transfer Guide
The Nature of Science I	Transfer Guide	The Nature of Science II	Transfer Guide
MUSC 321 (Grade of C or better required)		MUSC 322 (Grade of C- or better required)	
MUSC 323 (Grade of C or better required)		MUSC 324 (Grade of C- or better required)	

YEAR 3 - JUNIOR (30 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>	SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>
Interpreting the Past	Transfer Guide	MUSC 309 (1 credit)	
MUSC 361 (Grade of C- or better required)		MUSC 335T (satisfies Impact of Technology)	
Emphasis Area Course**		MUSC 362W (Grade of C or better required)	
Emphasis Area Course**		Emphasis Area Course**	
<u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:</u> ****		<u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:</u> ****	
300-/400-level course in minor subject		300-/400-level course in minor subject	
		<u>Elective Coursework:</u> *****	
		3-credit elective course	

YEAR 4 - SENIOR (30 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>	SPRING SEMESTER (14 credits)	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>
<u>Major Coursework:</u>		<u>Major Coursework:</u>	
ENGL 327W		Music elective (1 credit)	
Emphasis Area Course**		Emphasis Area Course**	
Emphasis Area Course**		Ensemble***(1 credit)	
Ensemble*** (1 credit)		Applied Music (2 credits)	
Applied Music (2 credits)		<u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:</u> ****	
<u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:</u> ****		Two 300-/400-level course in minor subject	
300-/400-level course in minor subject		<u>Elective Coursework:</u> *****	
<u>Elective Coursework:</u> *****		1-credit elective course	
1-credit elective course		3-credit elective course	

****Students in the BA in music program may choose from approved 300-400 level music courses or may choose an emphasis area in one of the following: Music History, Music Theory or Jazz. Consult your catalog and advisor for your best option.**

*****Students are required to earn credits through participating in ensembles appropriate to their specialties. Large ensembles include symphony band, wind ensemble, symphony orchestra, concert choir, and guitar ensemble. Small ensembles include Madrigal Singers, Collegium Musicum, opera workshop, jazz choir and jazz, brass, percussion, guitar, string, woodwind, or piano ensemble.**

******Upper Division General Education may be satisfied by several options. Consult your catalog and advisor for your best option.**

*******See course listings in catalog and consult with your advisor for correct elective choices.**

PLEASE NOTE: All Bachelor of Arts music majors are required to attend 60 Blue Card events in order to be eligible for graduation. These department-approved events are posted each semester. Eight of the 60 Blue Cards required for graduation must be Diehn Series concerts. Students may not graduate without fulfilling this requirement. It is strongly recommended that a student attend a minimum of two Diehn concerts per year to meet this goal.

Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 overall and in the major, a grade of C or better in all courses required for the major, including prerequisite courses, 120 credit hours, which must include both a minimum of 30 credit hours overall and 12 credit hours in upper-level courses in the major program from Old Dominion University, completion of ENGL 110C, ENGL 211C or 221C or 231C, and a writing intensive (W) course in the major with a grade of C or better, and completion of Senior Assessment.

NOTE: Transfer students are encouraged to use their summer semesters to ensure graduation in four years.