

**Important:** This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2024 through summer 2025. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

### GENERAL EDUCATION/

#### FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (37-40 hours)

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
<b>Communication &amp; Information Literacy (9 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>				
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____	_____
_____	Communications Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3	_____	_____

#### Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours)<sup>1</sup>

UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1	_____	_____
MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____	_____
_____	Technology Competency <sup>2</sup>	0-3	_____	_____

#### Critical Thinking (5 hours)<sup>1</sup>

RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues <sup>3</sup>	2	_____	_____
_____	Critical Thinking Elective	3	_____	_____

#### Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours)<sup>1</sup>

EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life <sup>3</sup>	2	_____	_____
_____	Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____	_____

#### Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)<sup>1</sup>

_____	Natural Science Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Social Science Elective	3	_____	_____

#### Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)<sup>1</sup>

BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2	_____	_____
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2	_____	_____
THEO 201	Theology Survey I <sup>3</sup>	2	_____	_____
THEO 202	Theology Survey II <sup>3</sup>	2	_____	_____

#### Notes

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<sup>3</sup>Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 & EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 & THEO 202 waived

<sup>4</sup>Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.liberty.edu/gened](http://www.liberty.edu/gened)

<sup>5</sup>Choose one course from MUSC 213, 314 or 371.

<sup>6</sup>MUSC 314 or 371 is recommended

Suggested Course Sequence on third page

#### ADDITIONAL MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Keyboard Proficiency Exam	Date Completed: _____
Freshman Promotional Jury	Date Completed: _____
Sophomore Performance Review	Date Completed: _____
Attendance at 32 approved concerts and recitals	Met: _____

#### Graduation Requirements

122 Total Hours

2.0 Overall grade point average

30.5 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major

25% Of major and concentration taken through Liberty University

30.5 Hours must be completed through Liberty University

Grad App Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

CSER All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
<b>Major Foundational Courses (0-6 hours)</b>				
MUSC 200	Music, Art, Worship & Culture <sup>4</sup>	3	_____	_____
_____	Music Literature Elective <sup>4,5,6</sup>	3	_____	_____

#### MAJOR

##### Core (25 hours)

MUSC 105	Harmonic Practices & Theory I	3	_____	_____
MUSC 106	Harmonic Practices & Theory II	3	_____	_____
MUSC 107	Musicianship I	1	_____	_____
MUSC 108	Musicianship II	1	_____	_____
MUSC 203	Commercial Music Theory/Harmonic Pr. I	2	_____	_____
MUSC 204	Commercial Music Theory/Harmonic Pr. II	2	_____	_____
MUSC 207	Musicianship III	1	_____	_____
MUSC 208	Musicianship IV	1	_____	_____
MUSC 218	Fund. of Music Production & Audio Eng.	3	_____	_____
MUSC 330	Music Technology: Notation & DAW	3	_____	_____
MUSC 360	Commercial Improvisation Techniques	2	_____	_____
MUSC 372	Christian Music Community	3	_____	_____

##### Concentration (60 hours)

CMUS 437	Advanced Film Score Programming	2	_____	_____
MUSC 309	Orchestration	3	_____	_____
MUSC 310	Principles of Arranging	3	_____	_____
MUSC 311	Music History (Antiquity – 1750)	3	_____	_____
MUSC 312	Music History (Since 1750)	3	_____	_____
MUSC 315	Basic Conducting	2	_____	_____
MUSC 334	Music Technology: Logic & ProTools	_____	_____	_____
or CINE 271	Pro Tools Fundamentals I	3	_____	_____
MUSC 335	Introduction to Film Scoring	3	_____	_____
MUSC 336	Orchestration for Film & Media	3	_____	_____
MUSC 337	Scoring Techniques for Film & Media	3	_____	_____
MUSC 338	Groove Writing	2	_____	_____
MUSC 368	Junior Commercial Music Program	1	_____	_____
MUSC 468	Senior Commercial Music Program	1	_____	_____
MUSC 499	Internship	3	_____	_____

##### Ensemble (Refer to chart)

MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____

##### Applied Music Studies

MUSC 133	Contemporary Tech. in Composition I	1	_____	_____
MUSC 139	Contemporary Tech. in Composition II	1	_____	_____
MUSC 233	Private Composition (SO)	2	_____	_____
MUSC 239	Private Composition (SO)	2	_____	_____
MUSC 333	Private Composition (JR)	2	_____	_____
MUSC 339	Private Composition (JR)	1	_____	_____
MUSC 433	Private Composition (SR)	2	_____	_____
MUSC 439	Private Composition (SR)	1	_____	_____

##### Applied Music Studies: Primary Instrument (Refer to chart)

MUSC 398	Junior Recital	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	_____	1	_____	_____

**ENSEMBLE (6 hours)****Choose two of the following:**

	<u>Hrs</u>
MUSC 178 The Worship Choir I	1
MUSC 179 Classical Guitar Ensemble I	1
MUSC 180 University Chorale I	1
MUSC 181 Concert Choir I	1
MUSC 182 Chamber Singers I	1
MUSC 183 Jazz Ensemble I	1
MUSC 185 Symphony Orchestra I	1
MUSC 189 Celebration Choir	1
MUSC 194 Wind Symphony I	1

**Choose four of the following:**

MUSC 479 Classical Guitar Ensemble II	1
MUSC 480 University Chorale II	1
MUSC 481 Concert Choir II	1
MUSC 482 Chamber Singers II	1
MUSC 483 Jazz Ensemble II	1
MUSC 485 Symphony Orchestra II	1
MUSC 494 Wind Symphony II	1

**APPLIED MUSIC STUDIES (Primary Instrument – 6 hours)**

*Students must choose Voice, Piano or Guitar/Strings/Brass/Woodwinds/Percussion as their Primary Instrument.*

Voice Primary

	<u>Hrs</u>
MUSC 121 Voice (Freshman)	1
MUSC 122 Voice (Freshman)	1
MUSC 221 Voice (Sophomore)	1
MUSC 222 Voice (Sophomore)	1
MUSC 321 Voice (Junior)	1
MUSC 322 Voice (Junior)	1

Piano Primary

MUSC 141 Private Piano (Freshman)	1
MUSC 142 Private Piano (Freshman)	1
MUSC 241 Private Piano (Sophomore)	1
MUSC 242 Private Piano (Sophomore)	1
MUSC 341 Private Piano (Junior)	1
MUSC 342 Private Piano (Junior)	1

Guitar/Strings/Brass/Woodwinds/Percussion Primary

MUSC 151 Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion (Freshman)	1
MUSC 152 Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion (Freshman)	1
MUSC 251 Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion (Sophomore)	1
MUSC 252 Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion (Sophomore)	1
MUSC 351 Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion (Junior)	1
MUSC 352 Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion (Junior)	1

## SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

### FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
ENGL 101	3	Information Literacy Elective [MUSC 200] <sup>1</sup>	3
RLGN 105	2	Technology Competency <sup>4</sup>	0-3
UNIV 101	1	MUSC 106	3
Communications Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	MUSC 108	1
MUSC 105	3	MUSC 330	3
MUSC 107	1	MUSC 139	1
MUSC 133	1	Ensemble <sup>2</sup>	1
Ensemble <sup>2</sup>	1	Primary Instrument <sup>3</sup>	1
Primary Instrument <sup>3</sup>	1	CSER	0
CSER	0	Total	13-16
Total	16		

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

MUSC 203	2	BIBL 105	2
MUSC 207	1	MUSC 204	2
MUSC 218	3	MUSC 208	1
MUSC 233	2	MUSC 239	2
MUSC 334 or CINE 271	3	MUSC 310	3
Ensemble <sup>2</sup>	1	MUSC 315	2
Primary Instrument <sup>3</sup>	1	MUSC 360	2
CSER	0	Ensemble <sup>2</sup>	1
Total	13	Primary Instrument <sup>3</sup>	1
		CSER	0
		Total	16

### JUNIOR YEAR

Critical Thinking Elective [MUSC 213, 314, 371] <sup>1,5</sup>	3	BIBL 110	2
MUSC 309	3	EVAN 101	2
MUSC 311	3	MUSC 312	3
MUSC 333	2	MUSC 336	3
MUSC 335	3	MUSC 338	2
Ensemble <sup>2</sup>	1	MUSC 339	1
Primary Instrument <sup>3</sup>	1	MUSC 368	1
CSER	0	Ensemble <sup>2</sup>	1
Total	16	Primary Instrument <sup>3</sup>	1
		CSER	0
		Total	16

### SUMMER TERM

MUSC 499 Internship	3
Total	3

### SENIOR YEAR

THEO 201	2	THEO 202	2
Cultural Studies Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	Natural Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
Math Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	CMUS 437	2
Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	MUSC 372	3
MUSC 337	3	MUSC 439	1
MUSC 398	1	MUSC 468	1
MUSC 433	2	CSER	0
CSER	0	Total	12
Total	17		

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