

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2021 through summer 2022. 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 (44-47 hours)

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication & Information Literacy (13 hours)¹			
ENGL 101 Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____	_____
INQR 101 Inquiry 101	1	_____	_____
_____ Communications Elective	3	_____	_____
_____ Information Literacy Elective	3	_____	_____
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Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours)¹

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

Critical Thinking (8 hours)¹

RLGN 105 Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues ³	2	_____	_____
RSCH 201 Research 201	3	_____	_____
_____ Critical Thinking Elective	3	_____	_____

Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours)¹

EVAN 101 Evangelism & Christian Life ³	2	_____	_____
_____ Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____	_____

Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)¹

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

Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)¹

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

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Major Foundational Courses (0-9 hours)			
MUSC 200 Music, Art, Worship & Culture ⁴	3	_____	_____
MUSC 312 Music History (Since 1750) ⁴	3	_____	_____
_____ Music Literature Elective ^{4,5}	3	_____	_____

MAJOR

Core (47-48 hours)			
MUSC 498 Senior Recital	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____ ⁶	3	_____	_____
Primary Instrument (Refer to chart)			
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
Ensemble (Refer to chart)			
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
Musicianship			
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	2-3	_____	_____
or MUSC 205 Chromatic Harmony I		_____	_____
MUSC 207 Musicianship III	1	_____	_____
MUSC 310 Principles of Arranging	3	_____	_____
MUSC 311 Music History (Antiquity – 1750)	3	_____	_____
MUSC 315 Basic Conducting	2	_____	_____
MUSC 316 Choral Conducting	2	_____	_____
or MUSC 317 Instrumental Conducting		_____	_____
MUSC 330 Music Technology: Notation & DAW	3	_____	_____
MUSC 360 Commercial Improvisation Techniques	2	_____	_____
Secondary Instrument (Refer to chart)			
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____
MUSC _____	1	_____	_____

FREE ELECTIVES (16-29 hours)

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ADDITIONAL MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Keyboard Proficiency Exam	Date Completed: _____
Freshman Promotional Jury	Date Completed: _____
Sophomore Performance Review	Date Completed: _____
Attendance at 56 approved concerts and recitals	Met: _____

Graduation Requirements

- 120** Total Hours
- 2.0** Overall grade point average
- 30** 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 taken through Liberty University
- 30** 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

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

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²All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to www.liberty.edu/computerassessment for more information

³Students 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

⁴Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened

⁵Choose one course from MUSC 213, 314 or 371

⁶Choose from: MUSC 301, 304, 305, 308, 375, or 477

Suggested Course Sequence on third page

APPLIED MUSIC STUDIES (Primary Instrument – 7 hours)

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

Piano Primary

		Hrs
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
MUSC 441	Private Piano (Senior)	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
MUSC 451	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion (Senior)	1

APPLIED MUSIC STUDIES (Secondary Instrument – 2 hours)Voice Secondary

MUSC 120	Group Voice I	1
MUSC 220	Group Voice II	1

Piano Secondary*

MUSC 244	Group Piano IV	1
MUSC 345	Group Piano V	1

Guitar Secondary

MUSC 150	Group Guitar I	1
MUSC 250	Group Guitar II	1

Strings/Brass/Woodwinds/Percussion Secondary

MUSC 151	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion (Freshman)	1
MUSC 152	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion (Freshman)	1

*Recommended for students whose primary is not piano

ENSEMBLE (8 hours)* **

*Piano Students - Should take 3 credits of Choir Ensembles, 3 credits of Instrumental Chamber Ensembles, and 2 credits of Instrumental Major Ensembles.****

Choose three credits from:

		Hrs
MUSC 178	The Worship Choir I	1
MUSC 180	University Chorale I	1
MUSC 181	Concert Choir I	1
MUSC 182	Chamber Singers I	1
MUSC 189	Celebration Choir	1
MUSC 286	The Gospel Choir I	1
MUSC 289	The Worship Choir II	1
MUSC 386	The Gospel Choir II	1
MUSC 389	The Worship Choir III	1
MUSC 480	University Chorale II	1
MUSC 481	Concert Choir II	1
MUSC 482	Chamber Singers II	1
MUSC 489	Supervised Praise & Worship Ensemble	1

Choose three credits from:

MUSC 179	Classical Guitar Ensemble I	1
MUSC 186	Brass Choir I	1
MUSC 188	Woodwind Choir I	1
MUSC 192	Percussion Ensemble I	1
MUSC 193	Chamber Music Ensemble I	1
MUSC 479	Classical Guitar Ensemble II	1
MUSC 486	Brass Choir II	1
MUSC 488	Woodwind Choir II	1
MUSC 492	Percussion Ensemble II	1
MUSC 493	Chamber Music Ensemble II	1

Choose two credits from:

MUSC 183	Jazz Ensemble I	1
MUSC 185	Symphony Orchestra I	1
MUSC 194	Wind Symphony I	1
MUSC 483	Jazz Ensemble II	1
MUSC 485	Symphony Orchestra II	1
MUSC 494	Wind Symphony II	1

*String Students - Should take 8 credits of Symphony Orchestra Ensembles.****

Choose eight credits from:

MUSC 185	Symphony Orchestra I	1
MUSC 485	Symphony Orchestra II	1

*Guitar Students - Should take 2 credits of Choir Ensembles and 6 credits of Guitar Ensembles.****

Choose two credits from:

MUSC 178	The Worship Choir I	1
MUSC 180	University Chorale I	1
MUSC 181	Concert Choir I	1
MUSC 182	Chamber Singers I	1
MUSC 189	Celebration Choir	1
MUSC 286	The Gospel Choir I	1
MUSC 289	The Worship Choir II	1
MUSC 386	The Gospel Choir II	1
MUSC 389	The Worship Choir III	1
MUSC 480	University Chorale II	1
MUSC 481	Concert Choir II	1
MUSC 482	Chamber Singers II	1
MUSC 489	Supervised Praise & Worship Ensemble	1

Choose six credits from:

MUSC 179	Classical Guitar Ensemble I	1
MUSC 479	Classical Guitar Ensemble II	1

Brass, Woodwind or Percussion Students - Should take 8 credits of Instrumental Major Ensembles

Choose four credits from:

MUSC 183	Jazz Ensemble I	1
MUSC 185	Symphony Orchestra I	1
MUSC 194	Wind Symphony I	1

Choose four credits from:

MUSC 483	Jazz Ensemble II	1
MUSC 485	Symphony Orchestra II	1
MUSC 494	Wind Symphony II	1

*Students may choose to take the same ensemble more than once

**Students must take at least one ensemble per semester

***Three credits must be upper-level

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIBL 105	2	INQR 101	1
ENGL 101	3	Information Literacy Elective [MUSC 200] ³	3
EVAN 101	2	Math Elective (114 or higher) ³	3
RLGN 105	2	Technology Competency ^{3,4}	0-3
UNIV 101	1	MUSC 106	3
MUSC 105	3	MUSC 108	1
MUSC 107	1	Ensemble ¹	1
Ensemble ¹	1	Primary Instrument ²	1
Primary Instrument ²	1	Secondary Instrument ^{2,5}	1
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total	16	Total	14-17

SOPHOMORE YEAR

RSCH 201	3	BIBL 110	2
Communications Elective ³	3	Natural Science Elective ³	3
MUSC 203 or 205	2-3	Social Science Elective ³	3
MUSC 207	1	MUSC 315	2
Ensemble ¹	1	Ensemble ¹	1
Primary Instrument ²	1	Primary Instrument ²	1
Secondary Instrument ^{2,5}	1	Elective	3
Elective	3	CSER	<u>0</u>
CSER	<u>0</u>	Total	15
Total	15-16		

JUNIOR YEAR

MUSC 311	3	THEO 201	2
MUSC 330	3	Information Literacy Elective ³	3
MUSC 316 or 317	2	Ensemble ¹	1
MUSC 360	2	Primary Instrument ²	1
MUSC Elective ⁶	3	Elective	3
Ensemble ¹	1	Elective	3
Primary Instrument ²	1	CSER	<u>0</u>
CSER	<u>0</u>	Total	13
Total	15		

SENIOR YEAR

THEO 202	2	Critical Thinking Elective [MUSC 213, 314, 371] ³	3
Cultural Studies Elective [MUSC 312] ³	3	MUSC 498	1
MUSC 310	3	Ensemble ¹	1
Ensemble ¹	1	Elective	3
Primary Instrument ²	1	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	3	CSER	<u>0</u>
CSER	<u>0</u>	Total	14
Total	16		

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