

# BA Music Degree - *Instrumental Emphasis*

## B.A. Music (General Concentration w/ Emphasis Groups)--Pre-M.A.E.

Modes of Inquiry--The modes are divided into two groups, Qualitative and Quantitative. Students must successfully complete three (3) of the four (4) Qualitative modes and three (3) of the four (4) Quantitative modes.

Music majors who successfully complete MUSI 339 Music Literature automatically fulfill the Aesthetic Fine Arts Mode of Inquiry, one of the Qualitative modes.

### Semester One

MUSI	130	Music Analysis I	3 hrs
MUSI	132	Aural Skills In Music I	1 hr
MUSI	279	Recital/Concert Att.	0 hrs
MUSI		Major Instrument, Lower	2 hrs
MUSI		Major Ensemble, Lower	1 hr
MUSI		WW <b>OR</b> String Class I	1 hr
MUSI		Keyboard Skills I^	1 hr
ENG	190	Writing As Crit.Thinking	3 hrs
LANG		Elem. Foreign Lang I	3 hrs
HLTH	195/196	Lifetime Hlth/ Fitns [1.5/.5]	2 hrs
		<b>OR</b>	
MS	100	Military Science Truman Week	1 hr 1 hr

### Semester Two

MUSI	131	Music Analysis II	3 hrs
MUSI	133	Aural Skills in Music II	1 hr
MUSI	279	Recital/Concert Att.	0 hrs
MUSI		Major Instrument, Lower	2 hrs
MUSI		Major Ensemble, Lower	1 hr
MUSI		WW <b>OR</b> String Class II	1 hr
MUSI		Keyboard Skills II	1 hr
MUSI	127	Pre-MAE Seminar	0 hr
		<b>MATH</b>	
		<b>Essential Skills course OR</b>	
		<b>Math Mode course*</b>	3 hrs
		<b>LANG</b>	
		Elem.Foreign Lang II	3 hrs
MS	101	Military Science	1 hr

Be sure to have TWO degree codes – MUSI BA and PSEC

Be sure to include two writing enhanced courses plus JINS. [Music History II and ED 389 are writing enhanced – “WE”]

^ In order to graduate with the BA degree and apply for admission to the MAE program all music majors are required to demonstrate basic piano proficiency in one of three ways: 1) pass the Piano Competency Exam 2) complete Keyboard Skills IV, or 3) complete the eight-week Advanced Keyboard Skills Class.

\* The minimum math requirement is Essential Skills--MATH 198 Elementary Functions (or MATH 156 College Algebra AND MATH 157 Plane Trigonometry). Check with your advisor to determine if you need to take a math course, and if so, which one(s). Satisfactory completion of a higher level Mathematics course in the Mathematical Mode of Inquiry fulfills the Essential Skills requirement.

Prepare your LAS Portfolio as an ongoing project and submit it the semester you graduate with the BA.

### (Summer) •

### Semester Three

MUSI	230	Analysis III	3 hrs
MUSI	232	Aural Skills III	1 hr
		<b>Aesthetic Mode: Fine Arts</b>	
MUSI	339	<b>Music Literature</b> +	3 hrs
MUSI	279	Recital/Concert Att.	0 hrs
MUSI		Major Instrument, Lower	2 hrs
MUSI		Major Ensemble	1 hr
MUSI		WW <b>OR</b> String Class I	1 hr
MUSI		Keyboard Skills III	1 hr
LANG		Interm. Foreign Lang. I	3 hrs
STAT	190	Statistics	3 hrs

### Semester Four

MUSI	231	Analysis IV	3 hrs
MUSI	233	Aural Skills IV	1 hr
MUSI		Keyboard Skills IV	1 hr
MUSI	279	Recital/Concert Att.	0 hrs
MUSI		Major Instrument, Lower	2 hrs
MUSI		Major Ensemble	1 hr
MUSI		WW <b>OR</b> String Class II	1 hr
SCI		Scientific Mode: Life Science	4 hrs
LANG		Interm. Foreign Lang. II	3 hrs
COMM	170	Public Speaking	3 hrs

• LSP courses can be transferred from a two or four year college. Obtain the schedule from the college you wish to attend with course descriptions of classes you want to take. Meet with your academic advisor to fill out the Pre-Approval of Transfer Credit form. Do not plan to transfer courses in the music major or in Education. *Reminder: The last 28 hours of undergraduate credit for the BA Degree must be taken at Truman.*

+ May be used to fulfill Aesthetic Fine Arts Mode of Inquiry requirement

<b>(Interim)</b>	ED 389 Found of ED#	2 hrs
	ED 388 Field Exp Seminar#	1 hr

**Semester Five \***

MUSI	279	Recital/Concert Att.	0 hrs
MUSI		Major Instrument, Upper	2 hrs
MUSI		Major Ensemble, Upper	1 hr
MUSI	248	Brass Class I	1 hr
MUSI	340	Music History I	3 hrs
		<b>Scientific Mode:</b>	
SCI		<b>Physical Science with lab</b>	4 hrs
MUSI	388	Conducting ++	3 hrs
(ED	389	Found of Ed #	2 hrs)
(ED	388	Field Exp. Seminar#	1 hr)

**Semester Six [Take the GRE]**

MUSI	279	Recital/Concert Att.	0 hrs
MUSI		Major Instrument, Upper	2 hrs
MUSI		Major Ensemble, Upper	1 hr
MUSI	249	Brass Class II	1 hr
MUSI	331	Form & Analysis ^	2 hrs
MUSI	341	Music History II [WE]	3 hrs
		<b>Philosophical/Religious Mode</b>	
PHRE		[ 300+ level course] +	3 hrs
JINS		Writing Enhanced Jr. Sem.	3 hr
ED	393	Clinical Experiences ##	3 hrs

\* Check with the Assessment & Testing Center for GRE testing dates and additional information during semester five. **Take the GRE during semester five [recommended] or six**

# Take ED 389 & ED 388 together during the May interim prior to semester five or during semester six

^ MUSI 330 Counterpoint or MUSI 336 Composition could be taken, although MUSI 331 is preferred.

+ By choosing PHRE 346, PHRE 347, PHRE 351, PHRE 362, or PHRE 363 students will fulfill both the LSP Philosophy & Religion requirement and the LSP Intercultural requirement [listed in semester 8].

## Can be taken during May interim.

++ Offered spring semesters as well as fall semesters

**(Summer) • Take undergrad course[s] to lighten upcoming loads**

**Semester Seven •• [Apply to MAE]**

MUSI		Major Instrument, Upper	1 hr
MUSI		Major Ensemble Upper	1 hr
MUSI	247	Percussion Class I	1 hr
<b>HIST</b>		<b>Historical Mode</b>	3 hrs
		<b>Aesthetic Mode: Literature</b>	
AEST		Literature course	3 hrs
ED	593	Psych. Foundations	3 hrs
		<b>MAE Course[s]</b>	

**Semester Eight •• [Turn in LAS Portfolio]**

MUSI		Senior Recital	1 hr
MUSI	257	Percussion Class II	1 hr
MUSI		Music Electives [300+]	2 hrs
MUSI	332	Arranging	2 hrs
		<b>Social Scientific Mode:</b>	
SS		<b>Social Science course*</b>	3 hrs
INTR		Intercultural Experience	
		Missouri Statute	1-3 hrs
MUSI	687	Research in Music Ed	0 hr
		<b>MAE Course[s]</b>	

\* By choosing GEOG 211, SOAN 190 or SOAN 191, students will fulfill both the Social Science requirement and the LSP Intercultural requirement [listed in semester 8].

•• Consult the **MAE course sequence** which normally begins in the senior year most often **BEFORE** being formally admitted to the program. Certain undergraduate courses [6-8 hrs] need to be taken prior to the senior year (previous summer ?) in order to avoid an overload.