

NC Community College Four-Year Pathway Plan

Schedule for Full-Time Students

Pursuing AFA Degree & transfer into Music (BM in Music Education, Guitar/Keyboard/Vocal) at UNCW.
(Placed Out of All Developmental Courses)

North Carolina Community College classes are listed below in bold with (AFA Requirement Sections). The UNCW degree requirements fulfilled listed next to the classes.

The University of North Carolina at Wilmington **strongly recommends** students complete their Associate's degree prior to transferring to UNCW. Pathways are structured for students who have completed all requirements for their Associate's degree and qualify for the CAA. UNCW recommends that transfer students complete the Foreign Language Requirements prior to enrolling at UNCW.

NC COMMUNITY COLLEGE- FIRST YEAR					
Fall Semester		Credit	Spring Semester		Credit
ENG 111 (English Composition) – ENG 101		3	ENG 112 (English Composition) – ENG 201		3
Communications (Required Courses)⁶		3	SOC 201 or PSY 150 – SOC 105 or PSY 105		3
MAT 143 (Mathematics) - MAT 101		3	MUS 122 (Requirement) – MUS 112		3
ACA 122 (Academic Transition) – Elective		1	MUS 126 (Requirement) – MUSL 112		1
MUS 121 (Requirement) – MUS 111		3	MUS 162 (Requirement) – MUS 196		2
MUS 125 (Requirement) – MUSL 111		1	MUS Ensemble		1
MUS 161 (Requirement) – MUS 196		2	HIS 111(Social/Behavioral Science I) – HIS 101		3
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		16	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		16

UNCW recommends that transfer students complete the Foreign Language Requirements prior to enrolling at UNCW. A student who chooses to wait on the FL requirement should consult with their advisor about satisfying the FL requirement at UNCW. Students may also elect to take these courses during the summer, pending availability.

NC COMMUNITY COLLEGE- SECOND YEAR					
Fall Semester		Credit	Spring Semester		Credit
MUS 112 (Arts/Humanities III) - MUS 116		3	BIO 110 (SANS) – Bio 105		4
MUS 221 (Elective) – MUS 211		3	MUS 222 (Elective) – MUS 300		3
MUS 225 (Elective) – MUSL 211		1	MUS 226 (Elective) – MUSL 300		1
MUS 261 (Requirement) – MUS 196		2	MUS 262 (Requirement) – MUS 196		2
MUS Ensemble		1	MUS Ensemble		1
MUS 151 (Requirement) – MUS 141		1	MUS 152 (Elective) – MUS 142		1
MUS 271 (Elective) – MUS 115		3	MUS 272 (Elective) – MUS 150		3
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		14	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		15

Highlighted courses are recommended to complete the degree requirements efficiently, as indicated on this sheet. **THIS SHEET IS FOR ADVISING PURPOSES ONLY.** Students should work with their Advisor to determine course selections that will result in the greatest transferrable credit, for the intended program, upon transfer to the four-year school. Please remember that C-'s do not transfer to UNCW.

Recommended Applied Music and Ensemble

Four semesters of applied and/or ensemble are recommended. Students should plan to enroll in two additional hours of either at UNCW if unable to complete four of each within the AFA degree.

Proficiencies in Music Theory, Piano and Applied Music

Incoming transfer students will take proficiency exams in music theory, and piano in order to determine placement level, if necessary. Students will be advised following the entrance audition and theory placement exam, if a lower level applied, and/or repeating lower level music theory is recommended.



Schedule of Courses for the Music (BM) – Music Education: Guitar/Keyboard/Vocal

Minimum Credit Hours Required for Graduation	126
Hours Remaining in UNCW Degree	65

UNCW- JUNIOR YEAR					
Fall Semester		Credit	Spring Semester		Credit
Music Ensemble ¹		1	Music Ensemble ¹		1
MUS 110		1	MUS 242 or MUS 195 02-23 for piano majors		1
MUS 272 or 273		2	MUS 396 and MUS LAB		1
MUS 285		2	MUS 286		2
MUS 306		2	MUS 352		3
MUS 351*		3	MUS 373 & MUSL 373		4
MUS 396 and MUS LAB		1	EDN 200 & EDNL 200		4
University Studies (SANW)		3	MUS 331		1
EDN 203 (UHIB)		3			
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		18	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		17

* MUS 351 Pre-requisite is required (i.e., MUS 272 during AFA or MUS 150 at UNCW)

Students are encouraged to complete Foreign Language requirements during the AFA or in summer, pending availability.

UNCW- SENIOR YEAR					
Fall Semester		Credit	Spring Semester		Credit
Music Ensemble ¹		1	EDN 409		12
FNA 101		3			
MUS 396 and MUS LAB		1			
MUS 326 & MUSL 326		4			
MUS 393		1			
MUS 370		3			
EDN 356		3			
PED 101		2			
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		18	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		12

¹ Ensembles – appropriate to student's option MUS 180, 183 – 187. Keyboard and guitar may substitute up to 4 hours from MUS 130 or 182.

- Students should seek academic advising to determine the best courses and sequence to meet their educational goals and degree requirements.
- Following the Pathway to Degree does not guarantee admission to UNCW or guarantee an AA degree or BA degree will be conferred.
- Please refer to University of North Carolina Wilmington Admissions for more information on admission to UNCW and the transfer of credits to UNCW: <https://uncw.edu/admissions/trreqs.html>