**B. A. Music (MUS)**

**College: Arts & Sciences**  
Jazz and Commercial Option

Course requirements for all UNCW degrees include: (1) University Studies, (2) specific major requirements, and (3) sufficient elective hours for a combined total of a minimum of 124 hours.

### MAJOR REQUIREMENTS - MUS (Minimum 57 hours)

**Core Courses:** (21 hours)
- **MUS 110** Introduction to Music Technology (1) Pre/Corequisite: MUS *111
- **+MUS 111** Theory I (2), Aural Skills and Sight-Singing I Lab (1) Prereq: Theory Placement Test required
- **+*MUS 112** Theory II (2), Aural Skills and Sight-Singing II Lab (1) Prereq: MUS 111 with a “C-“ or better
- **+*MUS 211** Theory III (2), Aura Skills and Sight-Singing III Lab (1) Prerequisite: MUS 112
- **MUS 285** Conducting I (2) Prerequisite: MUS 300 and passing piano proficiency exam  
  (Meets Oral Communication)
- **+*MUS 300** Theory IV: Apps of Music Theory (2), Aural Skills & Sight-Singing IV Lab (1) Prereq: MUS 211
- **+MUS 351** Introduction to Music History I (3) Prerequisite: MUS 150 or consent of instructor
- **+MUS 352** Introduction to Music History II (3) Prerequisite: MUS 150 or consent of instructor

**Collateral Courses:** (3 hours)
- **FNA 101** Cultures of the World Through Music and Dance (3)

**General Music Courses:** (13 hours)
- **MUS 242** Class Piano IV (1) Pre-requisite: MUS 241 with grade of C- or better. Piano majors may substitute a secondary applied in lieu of MUS 242.
- **MUS** Complete 4 hours of applied music (MUS 196) in the principle area and demonstrate upper level proficiency in the applied area.

**Jazz Studies Courses:** (20 hours)
- **MUS 136** Jazz, Theory and Keyboard (2) Prerequisite: MUS 111
- **MUS 189** Jazz Combo (5 semesters@ 1 credit hour per semester)
- **MUS 235** Jazz Improvisation I (2) Prerequisites: MUS 111, 112 or consent of instructor
- **MUS 236** Jazz Improvisation II (2) Prerequisites: MUS 235 or consent of instructor
- **MUS 308** Jazz Arranging (2) Prerequisites: MUS 236 and MUS 300
- **MUS 325** Jazz Ensemble Techniques (1) Prerequisites: MUS 285
- **MUS 396** Upper Level Applied Music, Private Lessons (4 semesters@ 1 credit hour per semester)  
  By audition
- **MUS 393** Junior Recital (1) Prerequisite: Consent of faculty
- **MUS 493** Senior Recital (1) Prerequisite: Consent of faculty

To satisfy the **Applied Learning Requirement**, a student must successfully complete either MUS 493 or MUS 496.

**NOTE:** No credit toward music major requirements will be granted for MUS 105, +106 and/or +115.

A minimum final grade of “C-“ (2.00) is required in each music course and a cumulative GPA of 2.00 or better is required for graduation.

*These courses require a lab
+May also be used to satisfy University Studies Foundations & Approaches and Perspectives requirements

Requirements to declare MUS: Completion of 24 hours. Satisfactory audition, completion of application, and consent of faculty. For further information, see the MUS website: [http://www.uncw.edu/music](http://www.uncw.edu/music) and [http://catalogue.uncw.edu](http://catalogue.uncw.edu).

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