

# Bachelor of Arts in Music - Composition

2026-2028 Undergraduate Catalog

Suggested Arrangement of Courses

120 Credit Hours

credit hours	YEAR ONE		YEAR TWO		YEAR THREE		YEAR FOUR	
	fall	spring	fall	spring	fall	spring	fall	spring
1	MUS 201M**	MUS 201N**	MUS 411A	ENSEMBLE	MUS 224G	MUS 224G	MUS 224J or 224L	MUS 224J or 224L
2				MUS 224G				
3	MUS 605A	MUS 312C (VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS)	MUS 612A	ELECTIVE*	UPPER-DIV MUS	UPPER-DIV MUS	UPPER-DIV MUS	UPPER-DIV MUS
4								
5								
6	ENSEMBLE	MUS 605B	MUS 214C	ADDITIONAL HUMANITIES	FOREIGN LANGUAGE	ELECTIVE*	ELECTIVE*	ELECTIVE*
7	ELECTIVE*		ENSEMBLE					
8	COMMUNICATION (RHE 306)	ENSEMBLE	MUSIC LITERATURE	NAT SCIENCE/TECH I	NAT SCIENCE/TECH II	ADDITIONAL VISUAL, PERFORMING & APPLIED ARTS	HUMANITIES (E 316L/M/N/P)	GOVERNMENT (GOV 312L/P)
9		ELECTIVE*						
10		MATH						
11	SIGNATURE (UGS 302/303)	MATH	NAT SCIENCE/TECH I	U.S. HISTORY	NAT SCIENCE/TECH II	ADDITIONAL SOCIAL/BEHAV SCI	GOVERNMENT (GOV 310L)	WRITING
12								
13	F A 101F	SOCIAL/BEHAV SCI	U.S. HISTORY					
14								
15								
16								
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## KEY

### Fixed Courses

Should be taken no later than the semester prescribed above; consult with your advisor if adjustments are needed or desired.

### University and College Core

May be taken in any order; the Signature Course (UGS 302 or 303) must be taken in the first year; Communication (RHE 306) should be taken prior to Core Humanities (E 316L/M/N/P) or Core Writing.

### Other Requirements

May be taken in any order, though generally after most essential major courses and University Core requirements have been completed; see Notes.

## NOTES

\*The number of required electives can vary according to other chosen courses (e.g., satisfying multiple requirements with a single course, credit disparities in language or science sequences, etc.).

\*\*Not required for students whose principal instrument is piano.

Be sure to track your progress with your Academic Advisor or Interactive Degree Audit (IDA): <https://utdirect.utexas.edu/apps/degree/audits/>