The University of Texas at Austin
College of Fine Arts

BM, MUSIC EDUCATION (INSTRUMENTAL)
2026-2028 CATALOG
AT-A-GLANCE

UNIVERSITY CORE

ID First Year Signature Course

C1 Composition

HU Humanities

GO GO American & Texas Government

HI HI U.S. History

↘ Social & Behavioral Sciences
fulfilled by required course in PDS (PSY 301)

MA Mathematics

N1 N1 Natural Science & Technology-I

N2 Natural Science & Technology-II

↘ Visual & Performing Arts
fulfilled by required course in major (MUS 312C)

C1 Writing
Coursework applied elsewhere in the University Core cannot also apply toward the Writing requirement

MAJOR

THEORY: MUS 605A, 605B, 411A, 612A, and 612B

LOWER-DIVISION LESSONS: 4 semesters of Principal Instrument 210

UPPER-DIVISION LESSONS: 2 semesters of Principal Instrument 260
A student majoring in Music Education must also make one recital appearance during the last semester of study on his/her principal instrument

ENSEMBLE: 6 semesters of approved ensemble

CLASS PIANO: MUS 201M and 201F

( ) LITERATURE: MUS 312C and 3 hours chosen from MUS 303M, 303N, 303P, 307, 213M, 213N, 230L, 334, 337, 342, 343J, or 379K (Topic 11 or Topic 17)

EDUCATION: MUS 210C, 354C, and 356J

FUNDAMENTALS: 4 hours chosen from MUS 115D, 115E, 115F, 218J, 354D, 255M, 155S, or 178M

TECHNIQUES: MUS 155C, 255D, 255E, and 255F

CONDUCTING: MUS 222J and 222K

- Minimum 20 hours in the major completed in residence
- Minimum 2.0 GPA on all coursework counted toward major requirements
- Minimum C- grade in each course counted toward the major (CR if course is offered on the pass/fail basis only or earned through credit by examination)

UTEACH

PSY 301

3 hours selected from the following: PSY 304, 309; HDF 313 & HDF 113L; EDP 350G

EDC 331S, 332S, 370S

EDC 951W

- Minimum 6 hours upper-division courses in the major completed in residence
- Minimum 3.0 GPA for all coursework in the major and Professional Development Sequence
- Minimum UT Austin GPA of 3.0

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Additional elective hours may be needed to complete the following degree requirements.

- Minimum 60 hours in residence
- Minimum UT Austin GPA of 2.0
- Minimum 120 total hours