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 UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA											
University of Montana Four-Year Academic Plan 2024-2025 College of the Arts and Media Bachelor of Arts in Applied Studies											
This is a suggested academic plan. Students should meet with an academic advisor prior to registration to formulate their own plan.											
Year 1			Year 2			Year 3			Year 4		
Fall			Fall			Fall			Fall		
8	Music Theory I (MUSI 105)	2	Music Theory III (MUSI 205)	2	Applied Music III - Lessons (MUSI 395)	1	Applied Music IV - Lessons (MUSI 495)	1			
9	Aural Perception I (MUSI 140)	2	Aural Perception III (MUSI 240)	2	Upper-Division Ensemble (see advisor for acceptable courses)	1	Upper-Division Ensemble (see advisor for acceptable courses)	1			
10	Keyboard Skills I (MUSI 135A)	1	Music History I (MUSI 301H)	3	Form and Analysis (MUSI 356)	2	Advanced Writing Music History Course (MUSI 415, 416, or 417)	3			
11	Applied Music I - Lessons - (MUSI 195)	1	Applied Music II - Lessons - (MUSI 295)	1	Modern and Classical Languages and Literature I (recommended)	4	General Education Course or Elective	3			
12	Lower-Division Ensemble (see advisor for acceptable courses)	1	Lower-Division Ensemble (see advisor for acceptable courses)	1	General Education Course or Elective	2	General Education Course or Elective	3			
13	General Education Course (WRIT 101 is recommended)	3	Humanities Requirement I (choose any course in the humanities)	3	General Education Course or Elective	2	General Education Course or Elective	3			
14	General Education Course or Elective	3	General Education Course or Elective	3	General Education Course or Elective	3					
15	Music Freshman Seminar (MUSI 194) - optional but highly recommended	1									
16	Credits	14	Credits	15	Credits	15	Credits	14			
Spring			Spring			Spring			Spring		
18	Music Theory II (MUSI 106)	2	Music Theory IV (MUSI 206)	2	Applied Music III - Lessons (MUSI 395)	1	Applied Music IV - Lessons (MUSI 495)	1			
19	Aural Perception II (MUSI 141)	2	Aural Perception IV (MUSI 241)	2	Upper-Division Ensemble (see advisor for acceptable courses)	1	Upper-Division Ensemble (see advisor for acceptable courses)	1			
20	Keyboard Skills II (MUSI 136A)	1	Applied Music II - Lessons - (MUSI 295)	1	Advanced Topics in Music Theory (MUSI 418)	2	Concert Attendance (MUSI 388)	0			
21	Applied Music I - Lessons - (MUSI 195)	1	Music History II (MUSI 302H)	3	Modern and Classical Languages and Literature II (recommended)	4	General Education Course or Elective	3			
22	Lower-Division Ensemble (see advisor for acceptable courses)	1	Lower-Division Ensemble (see advisor for acceptable courses)	1	General Education Course or Elective	2	General Education Course or Elective	3			
23	Music Literature Course (101L, 130L, 132L, 133L, 134L, or 202L)	3	Upper-Division Required Performance (MUSI 296)	0	General Education Course or Elective	3	General Education Course or Elective	3			
24	General Education Course or Elective	3	Humanities Requirement I (choose any course in the humanities)	3	General Education Course or Elective	3	General Education Course or Elective	4			
25	General Education Course or Elective	3	General Education Course or Elective	3							
26	Credits	16	Credits	15	Credits	16	Credits	15			
Summer			Summer			Summer			Summer		
28	This plan does not factor in summer courses.		Summer is a great time to take general education courses,		or to catch up on anything you've missed.						
29	Credits	0	Credits	0	Credits	0	Credits	0			
30	Total Credits	30	Total Credits	60	Total Credits	91	Total Credits	120			
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32	Notes and Additional Information:										
33	All music students must attend 100 concerts or recitals to complete MUSI 388										
34	All music students must complete Upper-Division Required Performance (MUSI 296) to proceed to 300-level courses and above										
35	All students must obtain 39 upper-division credits (300+ level)										
36	BA students need 51 credits of non-music courses, with 36 of those in the College of Humanities and Sciences										
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38	The following general education requirements are satisfied in the Music degree:					The following general education requirements are NOT satisfied in the Music degree:					
39	Literary and Artistic Studies (L): MUSI 101L, 130L, 132L, 133L, 134L, 202L					Introductory Writing (WRIT 101 or 201)					
40	Historical Studies (H): MUSI 301H					Mathematics					
41	Democracy and Citizenship (Y): MUSI 302					Social Sciences					
42	Expressive Arts (A): Ensembles					Ethics and Human Values					
43	Cultural and International Diversity (X): 207X					Natural Sciences					
44	Intermediate writing: MUSI 302H					Natural Sciences (plus laboratory experience)					
45	Advanced Writing: MUSI 415, 416, or 417										

ElevateU Career Readiness Plan

GRADUATE CAREER-READY BY GETTING INVOLVED IN THE BELOW ACTIVITIES WHILE AT UM.

Discover how your strengths, values, and interests relate to career and education pathways.

- Take the Strong Interest Inventory or other career assessments to see what careers may be a good fit for you.*
- Download the Handshake app and activate your account to explore jobs*
- Attend “careers and opportunities” fairs and join a First Time at the Fair tour*
- Join student groups that align with your interests*
- Explore career options at What Can I Do With This Major? (click on “Major Exploration”)*
- Learn about specific occupations on O*Net Online
- Schedule an appointment for Career Planning and Major Exploration

EXPLORE
Pathways for you

Participate in experiential (hands-on) learning to refine your interests and goals.

- Seek and apply for internships or part-time jobs on Handshake*
- Participate in Volunteer Programs*
- Consider studying abroad or at another US university for a semester or year*
- Consider an internship abroad*
- Conduct undergraduate research at UM*
 - Secure a paid micro-internship
 - Participate in the Griz Career Skills Program
 - Schedule an appointment for Internship Search, International Internship Search, National Student Exchange, Job Search Strategies, and Handshake How-To

EXPERIENCE
and Grow

- Meet employers at career fairs and events*
- Develop a stellar resume and cover letter*
- Practice interview skills
- Learn how to negotiate your salary and benefits package
- Fine-tune your LinkedIn profile
- Apply for jobs, graduate/professional school, or national service
- Schedule an appointment for Resume, Cover letter, Interview Prep, Personal Statement, LinkedIn, Graduate School Planning

ELEVATE
to Your Career

Refine your personal brand and develop stand-out application materials to achieve your goals

EMBRACE
Your Goals

- Strengthen relationships with faculty and supervisors who can guide and recommend you*
 - Connect with alumni in fields or companies of interest through the Griz Career Network
 - Expand your network to gain insights and support through LinkedIn
 - Conduct career conversations with professionals in fields of interest
 - Gain industry and company-specific skills through free Forage job simulations
 - Schedule an appointment to discuss Networking Strategies, LinkedIn, Graduate School Planning
- Develop skills and network to help you pursue your goals**

YOUR CAREER SUPPORT OFFICES AT UM

Experiential Learning & Career Success (ELCS) is for all UM students!

Students in the following Schools and Colleges have additional access to the following career services:

- College of Business Career Development Center
- Career Trailhead professional readiness program
- College of Humanities and Sciences Career Planning Center
- Davidson Honors College Career Development Program
- School of Law Career Development Office
- Missoula College Career Services

