# Unofficial Degree Planning Worksheet Catalog Year: 2023 – 2024

# Major: BA in Music - Instrumentalist

This worksheet is designed to help you plan and track your progress toward your degree. It lists all graduation requirements. Course descriptions are available in the current catalog. More detailed descriptions of the program can be found in the [2023 – 2024 catalog](https://ut.smartcatalogiq.com/current/catalog/).

## University Graduation Requirements

Students must earn 124 hours to be eligible for graduation.

Students must maintain an overall minimum GPA of 2.0 to be eligible for graduation.

Students must maintain a major minimum GPA of 2.0 to be eligible for graduation.

Students must complete 31 credit hours in residency at UT to be eligible for graduation.

Students must complete 15 credit hours in residency at UT in their major coursework.

## Spartan Studies Requirements

### First-Year

| **First-year Requirement** | **Course Taken** | **Semester Taken** |
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| UTAMPA 101 (1cr)/102 (1cr) – First-Year seminar two semester sequence **or** UTAMPA 103 (2cr) – Transfer student seminar  **or** UTAMPA 104 (2cr) Veteran student seminar  – must be taken in residency |  |  |
| AWR 101 (4cr) - Reading Locally & Globally  **or** AWR 110 (5cr) – Academic Writing for Multilingual Students |  |  |
| Math (4cr) Requirement (choose one):  MAT 155, MAT 160, MAT 170, MAT 201, MAT 225, MAT 260, MAT 261 |  |  |

### Core

| **Core Requirement** | **Course Taken** | **Semester Taken** |
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| AWR 201 (4cr) – Writing and Research: The Local and the Global  *Pre-requisite (one of the following): AWR 101, AWR 110, or equivalent* |  |  |
| [Core Humanities](https://www.ut.edu/uploadedFiles/Academics/Provost/SpartanStudies/SpartanStudies_CoreHumanitiesLink.pdf) (4cr) – must be taken in residency, AWR 201 is a prerequisite or must be taken concurrently |  |  |
| [Core Social Science](https://www.ut.edu/uploadedFiles/Academics/Provost/SpartanStudies/SpartanStudies_CoreSocialSciencesLink.pdf) (4cr) – must be taken in residency, AWR 201 is a prerequisite or must be taken concurrently |  |  |
| UTAMPA 200 (1cr) Digital Literacy: Coding  **or** one of the following: CSC 101, ITM 251, MAT 285, PHY 180 |  |  |
| UTAMPA 201 (0cr) Career Readiness |  |  |
| Spartan Studies Culminating Experience (4cr)  – must be taken in residency  *Pre-requisite: Spartan Studies First-year and Core Requirements(UTAMPA 101/02 or UTAMPA 103 or UTAMPA 104, AWR 101, Math, AWR 201, UTAMPA 200, UTAMPA 201, Core Humanities, Core Social Science); individual courses may have additional pre-requisites* |  |  |

### Distribution Requirements

Note that **one** of the distribution requirements may also be used to meet requirements in the major if there is overlap.

| **Distribution Requirement** | **Course Taken** | **Semester Taken** |
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| [Social or Behavioral Science](https://www.ut.edu/uploadedFiles/Academics/Provost/SpartanStudies/SpartanStudies_SocialScienceDistributionLink.pdf) (4cr) |  |  |
| [Visual and Performing Arts](https://www.ut.edu/uploadedFiles/Academics/Provost/SpartanStudies/SpartanStudies_VisualandPerformingArtsLink.pdf) (3cr) | Studio Lessons |  |
| [Text-Based Humanities](https://www.ut.edu/uploadedFiles/Academics/Provost/SpartanStudies/SpartanStudies_Text-BasedHumanitiesDistributionLink.pdf) (4cr) |  |  |
| [Natural Science](https://www.ut.edu/uploadedFiles/Academics/Provost/SpartanStudies/Spartanstudies_NaturalScienceDistributionLink.pdf) (4cr) |  |  |

## Music - Instrumentalist Requirements (45-48 Credits)

A successful music audition on a primary applied instrument is required for admission to the General concentration - Instrumentalist track of the Bachelor of Arts in Music degree. Audition requirements and an audition application are available at [www.ut.edu/music/prospective/](https://www.ut.edu/academics/college-of-arts-and-letters/department-of-music/prospective-music-students). For assistance and additional information contact [music.audition@ut.edu](mailto:music.audition@ut.edu).

### Musicianship Requirements

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| **Musicianship Requirements (31 credits)** | **Course Taken** | **Semester Taken** |
| MUS 112 (2cr) – Aural Skills I (1)  *Pre-requisite: MUS 100 (with a “C” or better) or a satisfactory score on the Music Department's Music Theory Placement Exam* |  |  |
| MUS 113 (2cr) – Aural Skills II (2)  *Pre-requisite: MUS 112 (with a “C” or better) or an equivalent course, or a score of 3 or better on the aural sub score of the AP Music Theory Exam* |  |  |
| MUS 122 (3cr) – Music Theory I (1)  *Pre-requisite: MUS 100 (with a “C” or better) or a satisfactory score on the Music Department's Music Theory Placement Exam* |  |  |
| MUS 123 (3cr) – Music Theory II (2)  *Pre-requisite: MUS 122 (with a “C” or better) or an equivalent course, or a score of 3 or better on the non-aural sub score of the AP Music Theory Exam* |  |  |
| MUS 210 (2cr) – Concert Recording Practicum |  |  |
| MUS 212 (2cr) – Aural Skills III (3)  *Pre-requisite: MUS 113* |  |  |
| MUS 222 (3cr) – Music Theory III (3)  *Pre-requisite: MUS 123* |  |  |
| MUS 223 (3cr) – Music Theory IV (4)  *Pre-requisite: MUS 222* |  |  |
| MUS 269 (0cr) – Recital/Concert Attendance  *Students in the Instrumentalist track of the Bachelor of Arts in Music degree must pass MUS 269 Recital/Concert Attendance based on the number of semesters they are in residency at UT as a music degree candidate.* |  |  |
| MUS 323 (2cr) – Arranging and Orchestration  *Pre-requisite: MUS 123* |  |  |
| MUS 380 (3cr) – Music History Survey I (1): Antiquity, Middle Ages, Renaissance and Baroque  *Pre-requisite: Music majors or permission of instructor* |  |  |
| MUS 381 (3cr) – Music History Survey II (2): 18th Century Classical Period and 19th Century Romanticism  *Pre-requisite: Music majors or permission of instructor* |  |  |
| MUS 480 (3cr) – Music History Survey III (3) – 1900 to Present Day  *Pre-requisite: Music majors or permission of instructor* |  |  |

### Studio Lesson Requirements

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| **Studio Lesson Requirements (8 credits)**  Please consult with the department on which studio lesson course to enroll in. (Can fulfill Spartan Studies Distribution Requirement) | **Course Taken** | **Semester Taken** |
| Studio Lesson Elective (2cr) |  |  |
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### Music Ensemble Requirements

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| **Music Ensemble Requirements (6 credits)**  Students must take at least six ensemble courses (MUS: 192, 246, 277-298). Ensemble courses may be repeated for additional credit. At least two of these courses must be different ensembles. Music scholarship students may have additional ensemble requirements | **Course Taken** | **Semester Taken** |
| Music Ensemble Elective (1cr) |  |  |
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### Capstone Project Requirements

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| **Capstone Project Requirements (0-3credit)** | **Course Taken** | **Semester Taken** |
| MUS 446 (0-1cr) – Senior Recital  *Co-requisite: Applied music study in the primary instrument/voice used for the recital.*  ***or*** *MUS 499 (3cr) – Senior Project in Music* |  |  |

### Recital/Concert Requirement

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| **Recital/Concert Requirement** |
| Students in the General concentration - Instrumentalist track of the Bachelor of Arts in Music degree must pass MUS 269 Recital/Concert Attendance based on the number of semesters they are in residency at UT as a music degree candidate:   * 8+ semesters at UT = 6 semesters passing MUS 269 * 7 semesters at UT = 5 semesters passing MUS 269 * 6 semesters at UT = 4 semesters passing MUS 269 * 5 semesters at UT = 3 semesters passing MUS 269 * 4 semesters at UT = 2 semesters passing MUS 269 * 3 semesters at UT = 1 semester passing MUS 269 * 2 semesters at UT = 1 semester passing MUS 269 |

### Minimum Grade Requirement

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| **Minimum Grade Requirement** |
| All Bachelor of Arts in Music degree candidates must receive a grade of “C” or better for any MUS course in order for it to be counted toward their music degree requirements. |

### Music Exit Exam Requirement

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| **Music Exit Exam Requirement** |
| Degree candidates for the General concentration - Instrumentalist track of the Bachelor of Arts in Music degree are required to complete the Music Exit Exam prior to graduation. Students must take the Music Exit Exam during their final semester of study. |