BUTLER UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MUSIC • JORDAN COLLEGE OF THE ARTS

Bachelor of Music (BM) in Performance (Voice Major)

Summary of Degree Requirements

REQUIRED COURSES IN MUSIC

Course Title	Course Number	Credit Hours
Voice Major	AM 221/421	16 credits
Voice Studio Class (every semester)	AM 222/422	0 credits
Keyboard Skills 3, 4	AM 023, 024	2 credits (1,1)
Upper Divisional Examination	AM 299	0 credits
Recital (Junior and Senior)	AM 300, 400	0 credits
University Choir, Chorale, or Spectra	ES _	8 credits
Butler Opera Theatre	ES 110/310	4 credits
Acting for the Lyric Stage	ME 210	2 credits
Self-Representation for Musicians	ME 330	1 credit
Voice Pedagogy 1	ME 403	2 credits
E-Portfolio Capstone	ME 430	0 credits
Technology Elective	ME 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, or 440	1 credit
Music History and Literature 1, 2, 3	MH 305, 306, 307	8 credits
Music in Global Contexts	MH 308-SJD*	3 credits
Art Song 1	MH 412	3 credits
Vocal Repertoire Elective	MH 440, 441, or 442	3 credits
Diction	ML 206, 306, 308	6 credits (2,2,2)
Music Theory 1, 2, 3, 4	MT 101, 102, 201, 202	12 credits
Aural Skills 1, 2, 3, 4	MT 111, 112, 211, 212	4 credits
Basic Conducting	MT 311	2 credits
Form and Analysis	MT 413	3 credits
Dance Elective**	DA or WB	1 credit
	TOTAL REQUIRED COURSES IN MUSIC AND DANCE	81 credits

SUPPORTIVE COURSES IN THE ARTS AND LANGUAGES

10 credits

10 credit hours chosen from the following (must include at least 4 credits of language study and 2 credits in music): AM 112/312; ES 313; MH 440, 441, 442; additional DA/WB; or courses in French, German, or Italian

UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM

Course Title	Course Number	Credit Hours
First Year Seminar	FYS 101, 102	6 credits (3,3)
Global and Historical Studies (two courses)	GHS _	6 credits (3,3)
Analytic Reasoning	AR _	3 credits
The Natural World	NW _	5 credits
The Social World	SW _	3 credits
Texts and Ideas	TI_	3 credits
Well-Being (may be Marching Band)	WB _	<u>1 credit</u>
	TOTAL CORE CURRICULUM	27 credits

FREE ELECTIVES (includes AM 021 and AM 022, if needed)

6 credits

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS

124 credits

- *MH 308-SJD fulfills the Social Justice and Diversity requirement of the University Core Curriculum; students must fulfill the Indianapolis Community Requirement (ICR). Music majors are exempt from both the Perspectives in the Creative Arts requirement (because they take 9 credit hours in the arts) and the Butler Cultural Requirement (BCR).
- **Must be one of the following: WB 101 (Ballroom Dance), DA 103/WB 103 (Beginning Ballet), DA 104/WB 104 (Beginning Jazz), DA 106/WB 105 (Intermediate/Advanced Jazz), DA 108/WB 106 (Modern Dance for non-majors). In addition, this is required only if the WB under "Core Curriculum" has been fulfilled with a non-dance WB course.
- Music students must attend 16 arts events per year; for students who are student teaching, studying abroad, or in full-time internships during the academic year, only 8 events are required for that year. See the School of Music website for distribution requirements.
- Courses in italics are offered in alternating years.
- A grade of C or higher is required for all Music courses.

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Suggested Sequence of Courses

Year	One
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Fall – 15 credits			Spring – 14 credits		
Keyboard Skills 1*	AM 021	1 credit	Keyboard Skills 2*	AM 022	1 credit
Voice Major	AM 221	2 credits	Voice Major	AM 221	2 credits
Voice Studio Class	AM 222	0 credits	Voice Studio Class	AM 222	0 credits
Choir, Chorale, or Spectra		1 credit			1 credit
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Acting for the Lyric Stage	ME 210	2 credits	Music Theory 2	MT 102	3 credits
English/Italian Diction	ML 206	2 credits	Aural Skills 2	MT 112	1 credit
Music Theory 1	MT 101	3 credits	First Year Seminar	FYS 102	3 credits
Aural Skills 1	MT 111	1 credit	Analytic Reasoning	AR _	3 credits
First Year Seminar	FYS 101	3 credits			
Year Two					
Fall – 17 credits			Spring – 16 credits		
	444022	4	Keyboard Skills 4	AM 024	1 credit
Keyboard Skills 3	AM 023	1 credit	Voice Major	AM 221	2 credits
Voice Major	AM 221	2 credits	Voice Studio Class	AM 222	
Voice Studio Class	AM 222	0 credits			0 credits
Choir, Chorale, or Spectra	ES _	1 credit	Upper Divisional Examination	AM 299	0 credits
Self-Representation for Music	ME 330	1 credit	Choir, Chorale, or Spectra	ES_	1 credit
Music in Global Contexts	MH 308-SJD	3 credits	Music History & Literature 1	MH 305	2 credits
German Diction	ML 306	2 credits	Music Theory 4	MT 202	3 credits
Music Theory 3	MT 201	3 credits	Aural Skills 4	MT 212	1 credit
Aural Skills 3	MT 211	1 credit	Dance Elective	DA/WB _	1 credit
Global & Historical Studies	GHS	3 credits	Supportive Courses		2 credits
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Year Three					
Fall – 15 credits			Spring – 16 credits		
Voice Major	AM 421	2 credits	Voice Major	AM 421	2 credits
Voice Studio Class	AM 422	0 credits	Voice Studio Class	AM 422	0 credits
Butler Opera Theatre	ES 310	1 credit	Recital	AM 300	0 credits
Choir, Chorale, or Spectra	ES_	1 credit	Butler Opera Theatre	ES 310	1 credit
	MH 306	3 credits	Choir, Chorale, or Spectra		1 credit
Music History & Literature 2		2 credits		ES_	
French Diction	ML 308		Technology Elective	ME_	1 credit
Basic Conducting	MT 311	2 credits	Music History & Literature 3	MH 307	3 credits
Form and Analysis	MT 413	3 credits	The Natural World	NW _	5 credits
Well-Being (if needed)	WB_	1 credit	The Social World	SW _	3 credits
Year Four					
Fall – 16 credits			Spring – 15 credits		
Voice Major	AM 421	2 credits	Voice Major	AM 421	2 credits
Voice Studio Class	AM 422	0 credits	Voice Studio Class	AM 422	0 credits
Butler Opera Theatre	ES 310	1 credit	Recital	AM 400	0 credits
Choir, Chorale, or Spectra	ES_	1 credit	Butler Opera Theatre	ES 310	1 credit
Vocal Repertoire Elective	MH_	3 credits	Choir, Chorale, or Spectra	ES_	1 credit
Texts and Ideas	TI_	3 credits	Voice Pedagogy 1	ME 403	2 credits
	''-	4 credits	E-Portfolio Capstone	ME 430	0 credits
Supportive Courses		2 credits	'		
Free Electives		z credits	Art Song 1	MH 412	3 credits
			Supportive Courses		4 credits
			Free Electives		2 credits

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 124

- *The keyboard placement exam determines the need for AM 021 and AM 022, which are considered prerequisite courses and do not fulfill the keyboard requirements for a music degree; they count as elective credits.
- Courses in italics are offered in alternating years.