BUTLER UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MUSIC • JORDAN COLLEGE OF THE ARTS

Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Music as a Secondary Major

Summary of Degree Requirements

REQUIRED COURSES IN MUSIC

Course Title	Course Number	Credit Hours
Keyboard Skills 3 ¹ , 4 or Piano Major: Keyboard Skills 1, 2	AM 023, 024 or AM 031, 032	2 credits (1,1)
Major Instrument or Voice	AM _	8 credits
Major Ensemble ²	ES _	6 credits
Self-Representation for Musicians	ME 330	1 credit
E-Portfolio Capstone	ME 430	0 credits
Music History and Literature 1, 2, 3	MH 305, 306, 307	8 credits
Music in Global Contexts	MH 308-SJD**	3 credits
Music Theory 1 ³ , 2, 3, 4	MT 101, 102, 201, 202	12 credits
Aural Skills 1, 2, 3, 4	MT 111, 112, 211, 212	4 credits
	TOTAL REQUIRED COURSES IN MUSIC	44 credits

¹A placement test is required prior to enrollment in AM 023. Many students will need to take AM 021 and 022, Keyboard Skills 1 and 2, which are considered prerequisite courses and do not fulfill the keyboard skills requirement; they are considered elective credits. Contact the School of Music office for more information at music@butler.edu.

²For students whose major instrument is piano or guitar, four semesters of this requirement may be satisfied with pianorelated or guitar-related ensembles, including ES 101/301 (Chamber Music), ES 102/302 (Guitar Ensemble), ES 313 (Accompanying), ES 423 (Two-Piano Ensemble), ES 124/324 (Jazz Ensemble), ES 127/327 (Jazz Combo), AM 127/128 (Voice Class 1/2), or ES 108/308 (New Music Ensemble; one semester only), in consultation with their Music advisor and major teacher.

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- An audition is required for acceptance into the music program. Contact the School of Music office at music@butler.edu for more information and to arrange an audition time.
- A grade of C or higher is required for all Music courses.
- The equivalent of six semesters of the School of Music arts event attendance requirement must be completed prior to graduation; this is 48 events. See the School of Music website for distribution requirements for music majors.