

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

Summary of Degree Requirements

REQUIRED COURSES IN MUSIC

Course Title	Course Number	Credit Hours
<i>Piano Major: Keyboard Skills 1, 2</i>	AM 031, 032	2 credits
Piano Major	AM 212, 412	16 credits
Piano Studio Class (every semester)	AM 226, 426	0 credits
Upper Divisional Examination	AM 299	0 credits
Recital	AM 300	0 credits
Recital	AM 400	0 credits
Piano Teaching Internship	AM 430	1 credit
Advanced Performance Study (2,2)	AM 497	4 credits
Major Ensemble	ES	2 credits
Chamber Music	ES 101 or 301	1 credit
Accompanying (1,1)	ES 313	2 credits
Two-Piano Ensemble	ES 423	1 credits
Self-Representation for Musicians	ME 330	1 credit
<i>Piano Pedagogy 1</i>	ME 417	3 credits
<i>Piano Pedagogy 2</i>	ME 418	3 credits
E-Portfolio Capstone	ME 430	0 credits
Technology Elective (ME 340,341,342,343,344,440)	ME	1 credit
Music History and Literature 1, 2, 3	MH 305, 306, 307	8 credits
Music in Global Contexts	MH 308-SJD*	3 credits
<i>Piano Literature</i>	MH 415	3 credits
Upper-Level Music History Elective	MH	3 credits
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
Upper-Level Theory Elective	MT	3 credits
TOTAL REQUIRED COURSES IN MUSIC		78 credits

PIANO ELECTIVES

7 credits

7 credit hours chosen from the following: AM 123, AM 127/128, ES 101/301, ES 313, ES 127/327, ES 423, or other classes approved by the major teacher.

CORE CURRICULUM

Course Title	Course Number	Credit Hours
First Year Seminar (3,3)	FYS 101, 102	6 credits
Global and Historical Studies (3,3)	GHS	6 credits
Texts and Ideas	TI	3 credits
The Social World	SW	3 credits
The Natural World	NW	5 credits
Analytic Reasoning	AR	3 credits
Physical Well Being (may be Marching Band)	PWB	1 credit
TOTAL CORE CURRICULUM		27 credits

FREE ELECTIVES

12 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).

**Chamber Music (ES) requirements: Violin, Viola, Cello (6); Bass (4); Guitar (3); Woodwinds (4); Brass (4); Percussion (6)

Music students must attend 16 performances/events per year; for students who are student teaching, studying abroad, or in full-time internships during the academic year, only 8 performances are required for that year. See the School of Music website for distribution requirements.

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Suggested Sequence of Courses

Year One

Fall – 15 credits

<i>Piano Major: Keyboard Skills 1</i>	AM 031	1 credit
Piano Major	AM 212	2 credits
Piano Studio Class	AM 226	0 credits
Major Ensemble	ES	1 credit
First Year Seminar	FYS 101	3 credits
Music Theory 1	MT 101	3 credits
Aural Skills 1	MT 111	1 credit
Analytic Reasoning	AR	3 credits
Physical Well Being/March.Bnd	PWB	1 credit

Spring – 16 credits

<i>Piano Major: Keyboard Skills 2</i>	AM 032	1 credit
Piano Major	AM 212	2 credits
Piano Studio Class	AM 226	0 credits
Major Ensemble	ES	1 credit
First Year Seminar	FYS 102	3 credits
Music Theory 2	MT 102	3 credits
Aural Skills 2	MT 112	1 credit
The Natural World	NW	5 credits

Year Two

Fall – 17 credits

Piano Major	AM 212	2 credits
Piano Studio Class	AM 226	0 credits
Global and Historical Studies	GHS	3 credits
Music in Global Contexts	MH 308-SJD*	3 credits
Music Theory 3	MT 201	3 credits
Aural Skills 3	MT 211	1 credit
The Social World	SW	3 credits
Piano Elective		1 credit
Elective		1 credit

Spring – 16 credits

Piano Major	AM 212	2 credits
Piano Studio Class	AM 226	0 credits
Upper Divisional Examination	AM 299	0 credits
Chamber Music	ES 101	1 credit
Global and Historical Studies	GHS	3 credits
Self-Representation for Mus	ME 330	1 credit
Music History & Literature 1	MH 305	2 credits
Music Theory 4	MT 202	3 credits
Aural Skills 4	MT 212	1 credits
Texts and Ideas	TI	3 credits

Year Three

Fall – 15 credits

Piano Major	AM 412	2 credits
Piano Studio Class	AM 426	0 credits
Accompanying	ES 313	1 credit
<i>Piano Pedagogy 1</i>	ME 417	3 credits
Music History & Literature 2	MH 306	3 credits
Basic Conducting	MT 311	2 credits
Form & Analysis	MT 413	3 credits
Elective		1 credit

Spring – 15 credits

Recital	AM 300	0 credits
Piano Major	AM 412	2 credits
Piano Studio Class	AM 426	0 credits
Accompanying	ES 313	1 credit
Technology Elective	ME	1 credit
Music History & Literature 3	MH 307	3 credits
<i>Piano Literature</i>	MH 415	3 credits
Piano Electives		3 credits
Electives		2 credits

Year Four

Fall – 15 credits

Piano Major	AM 412	2 credits
Piano Studio Class	AM 426	0 credits
Advanced Performance Study	AM 497	2 credits
Two-Piano Ensemble	ES 423	1 credit
<i>Piano Pedagogy 2</i>	ME 418	3 credits
Upper-Level Music Hist. Electives	MH	3credits
Upper-Level Theory Electives	MT	3credits
Piano Elective		1 credit

Spring – 15 credits

Recital	AM 400	0 credits
Piano Major	AM 412	2 credits
Piano Studio Class	AM 426	0 credits
Piano Teaching Internship	AM 430	1 credit
Advanced Performance Study	AM 497	2 credits
E-Portfolio Capstone	ME 430	0 credits
Piano Electives		2 credits
Electives		8 credits

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