



**KENNESAW STATE  
UNIVERSITY**

# BACHELOR OF MUSIC: Instrumental Performance Concentration

College, Department: College of the Arts, School of Music

Department Chair: Nathan Nabb

Program Description: This program of study offers a Bachelor of Music degree. Students audition for placement into one of six concentrations (Instrumental Performance, Jazz Performance, Piano Performance, Voice Performance, Composition, and Music Theory).

Year 1 - Fall	Prerequisites	Credits	Year 1 - Spring	Prerequisites	Credits
MUSI 1121: Music Theory I		2	MUSI 2122: Music Theory II	MUSI 1121	2
MUSI 1111: Aural Skills I		1	MUSI 2212: Aural Skills II	MUSI 1111	1
MUSI 1165: Class Piano I		1	MUSI 2165: Class Piano II	MUSI 1165	1
MUAP 2102: Applied Lessons		2	MUAP 2102: Applied Lessons		2
MUSI 3345/MUSI 3347/MUSI 3348: Large Ensemble		1	MUSI 3345/MUSI 3347/MUSI 3348: Large Ensemble		1
MUSI 32__: Small Ensemble*		1	MUSI 32__: Small Ensemble*		1
Upper Division Music Electives**		2	Upper Division Music Electives**		2
Communication in Writing: ENGL 1101 - Composition I		3	Communication in Writing: ENGL 1102 - Composition II	ENGL 1101	3
Technology, Mathematics, and Sciences:		3	Mathematics and Quantitative Skills course		3
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>		<b>16</b>
Year 2 - Fall	Prerequisites	Credits	Year 2 - Spring	Prerequisites	Credits
MUSI 3121: Music Theory III	MUSI 2122	2	MUSI 3122: Music Theory IV	MUSI 3121	2
MUSI 3111: Aural Skills III	MUSI 2212	1	MUSI 3112: Aural Skills IV	MUSI 3111	1
MUAP 2102: Applied Lessons		2	MUAP 2102: Applied Lessons		2
MUSI 3345/MUSI 3347/MUSI 3348: Large Ensemble		1	MUSI 3345/MUSI 3347/MUSI 3348: Large Ensemble		1
MUSI 32__: Small Ensemble*		1	MUSI 32__: Small Ensemble*		1
Upper Division Music Electives**		1	Upper Division Music Electives**		1
MUSI 2311: History of Music I	MUSI 2122	3	MUSI 2312: History of Music II	MUSI 2311	3
Arts, Humanities, and Ethics: Humanities course		3	Institutional Priority – Critical Thinking: ECON 1000 - Contemporary Economic Issues		2
Institutional Priority – Critical Thinking: Additional Critical Thinking Course		3	Arts, Humanities, and Ethics: Fine Arts course		3
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>		<b>17</b>	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>		<b>16</b>
Year 3 - Fall	Prerequisites	Credits	Year 3 - Spring	Prerequisites	Credits
MUAP 3102: Applied Lessons	MUAP 2102***	2	MUAP 3102: Applied Lessons		2
MUSI 3345/MUSI 3347/MUSI 3348: Large Ensemble		1	MUSI 3345/MUSI 3347/MUSI 3348: Large Ensemble		1
MUSI 3320: Form and Analysis	MUSI 3121	2	MUAP 3096: Junior Recital		0
MUSI 3332: Instrumental Conducting	MUSI 3121	2	Upper Division Music Electives**		2
MUSI 32__: Small Ensemble*		1	Social Sciences Course		3
MUSI 3390: Music Entrepreneurship	MUSI 3122	3	Technology, Mathematics, and Sciences: Science Course		4
MUSI 3000: Technology in Music	MUSI 2122	3	Political Science and U.S. History: HIST 2111/2112		3
Upper Division Music Electives**		2			
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>		<b>15</b>
Year 4 - Fall	Prerequisites	Credits	Year 4 - Spring	Prerequisites	Credits
MUAP 3102: Applied Lessons		2	MUAP 3102: Applied Lessons		2
MUSI 3345/MUSI 3347/MUSI 3348: Large Ensemble		1	MUSI 3345/MUSI 3347/MUSI 3348: Large Ensemble		1
Upper Division Music Electives**		3	MUSI 4435: Pedagogy and Literature	MUSI 3122	3
Political Science and U.S. History: POLS 1101		3	MUAP 4096: Senior Recital	MUAP 3096	0
Technology, Mathematics, and Sciences: Science Course		3	Upper Division Music Electives**		3
			Social Sciences: HIST 1000/1111/1112		3
<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>		<b>12</b>

\* Courses include MUSI 3210, MUSI 3211, MUSI 3212, MUSI 3220, MUSI 3221, MUSI 3222, MUSI 3223, and MUSI 3225. Percussionists must take Percussion Ensemble.

\*\* It is recommended that students enroll in a second large ensemble to fulfill several of these upper division elective requirements.

\*\*\* Enrollment in MUAP 3102 requires the successful completion of the upper-level jury at the end of the fourth semester of MUAP 2102.