

KATHRINE G. McGOVERN COLLEGE OF THE ARTS

Bachelor of Music

Percussion Performance

Four-Year Academic Map 2025-2026

YEAR 1	Semester 1 Fall			Semester 2 Spring			Total	
	MUSA 1350	Applied Lessons	3	MUSA 1350	Applied Lessons	3		
	MUSI 11xx	Large Ensemble	1	MUSI 11xx	Large Ensemble	1		
	MUSI 4120	Percussion Ensemble	1	MUSI 4120	Percussion Ensemble	1		
	MUSI 1311	Theory I*	3	MUSI 1312	Theory II**	3		
	MUSI 1116	Aural Skills I*	1	MUSI 1117	Aural Skills II**	1		
	MUSI 1181	Group Piano I	1	MUSI 1182	Group Piano II	1		
	ENGL 1301	First Year Writing I	3	ENGL 1302	First Year Writing II	3		
	CORE	Mathematics	3	CORE	Math Reasoning	3		
Semester Hours			16	Semester Hours			16	32

YEAR 2	Semester 1 Fall			Semester 2 Spring			Total	
	MUSA 2350	Applied Lessons	3	MUSA 2350	Applied Lessons	3		
	MUSI 11xx	Large Ensemble	1	MUSI 11xx	Large Ensemble	1		
	MUSI 4120	Percussion Ensemble	1	MUSI 4120	Percussion Ensemble	1		
	MUSI 2210	Theory III **	2	MUSI 2214	Tech. of Music Since 1900 **	2		
	MUSI 2116	Aural Skills III **	1	MUSI 2117	Aural Skills IV **	1		
	MUSI 2361	Music and Culture	3	MUSI 2362	History of Music I	3		
	CORE	Language, Philosophy & Culture	3	CORE	Life & Physical Science	3		
	CORE	Social & Behavioral Science	3	CORE	American History	3		
			Milestone	Sophomore Barrier Jury				
Semester Hours			17	Semester Hours			17	34

YEAR 3	Semester 1 Fall			Semester 2 Spring			Total	
	MUSA 3450	Applied Lessons ***	4	MUSA 3450	Applied Lessons	4		
	MUSI 11xx	Large Ensemble	1	MUSI 11xx	Large Ensemble	1		
	MUSI 1176	Applied Jazz Percussion	1	MUSI 1176	Applied Jazz Percussion	1		
	MUSI 4120	Percussion Ensemble	1	MUSI 4120	Percussion Ensemble	1		
	MUSI 3363	History of Music II	3	MUSI 3364	History of Music III	3		
	MUSI 3215	Intro to Large Forms **	2	MUSI 3216	Analysis	2		
	MUSI 4230	Instrumental Conducting	2	CORE	Writing in the Disciplines	3		
	CORE	Life & Physical Science	3	Milestone	Junior Recital			0
Semester Hours			17	Semester Hours			13	30

YEAR 4	Semester 1 Fall			Semester 2 Spring			Total	
	MUSA 4450	Applied Lessons	4	MUSA 4450	Applied Lessons	4		
	MUSI 11xx	Large Ensemble	1	MUSI 11xx	Large Ensemble	1		
	MUSI 4120	Percussion Ensemble	1	MUSI 4120	Percussion Ensemble	1		
	MUSI 43xx	Adv. Music Lit./Hist. Elec. +	3	MUSI 43xx	Adv. Mus./Music Theory Elec.+	3		
	MUSI 4298	Performance Pedagogy	2	MUSA 4189	Senior Recital	1		
	CORE	American History	3	MUSI 4198	Orchestral Repertoire	1		
	GOVT 2306	Texas Govt. & Politics	3	GOVT 2305	U.S. Govt. & Politics	3		
	Milestone			Apply for Graduation				
Semester Hours			17	Semester Hours			14	31
							127	

Students should meet with their academic advisor to formulate their own plan. Deviations from this plan should be approved by an advisor.

*Placement in Theory & Aural Skills is determined by diagnostic examination. Students may be placed at any level in the sequence, including MUSI 1301 (remedial Music Theory).

Students placed into MUSI 1301 must enroll in a summer trailer section of MUSI 1312 at UH, or graduation in four years is not an option. Please work with your academic advisor to determine how theory placement impacts your degree plan track. **Proficiency exam is a prerequisite for this course.

***Successful completion of sophomore barrier is required for enrollment in junior-level applied lessons.

+ A list of approved electives is published by academic affairs each semester.

Note: Students must also adhere to the catalog Recital Attendance Policy in order to graduate.