

This worksheet is for **PLANNING PURPOSES ONLY** and does not replace your CAPP report once you have declared your program. In the event of any discrepancy, your CAPP report and the academic calendar (September 2021) will be considered the authority.

Composition and Theory Major (BMus)

Faculty of Fine Arts, School of Music

Year 1

Course requirement	Units	Taken
One of AHVS 120, AHVS 121, ART 150, ART 151, FA 101, FA 245, THEA 102, THEA 111, WRIT 109, WRIT 120	1.5	
*ATWP 135, ENGL 146, ENGL 147	1.5	
*MUS 101A (see prerequisites)	1.5	
MUS 101B	1.5	
MUS 105	2.0	
MUS 116 & MUS 121	1.5/1.5	
MUS 140	2.0	
MUS 170A & MUS 170B	1.0/1.0	
MUS 181	1.0	
MUS 180A-G	1.0/1.0	

Year 2 (portfolio audition required)

Course requirement	Units	Taken
MUS 201A & MUS 201B	1.5/1.5	
MUS 220A & MUS 220B	1.5/1.5	
MUS 240	2.0	
MUS 270A & MUS 270B	1.0/1.0	
MUS 281	1.0	
MUS 280A-G	1.0/1.0	
MUS 205	1.5/1.5	

Years 3 & 4

Course requirement	Units	Taken
MUS 301A & MUS 301B	1.5/1.5	
MUS 305	3.0	
MUS 306, MUS 307, MUS 310, MUS 350A	6.0	
MUS 340, MUS 380A-G, MUS 381	2.0	
MUS 401A-D	3.0	
MUS 405	3.0	
MUS 440, MUS 480A-G, MUS 481	2.0	
Non-music electives	7.5	
Total units required for degree	63.5	

Proficiency at the keyboard is an important skill for all musicians and one that is required of all BMus students for graduation. Students can fulfill this requirement in two ways: (1) provide documentation of passing Royal Conservatory grade level 5 or higher; or (2) pass the School's keyboard proficiency test. Group piano classes, EDCI 208 and EDCI 308, are offered as a resource for students who need assistance. For those whose principal instrument is not keyboard, EDCI 308 can apply either as music or non-music elective.

Registration support:

musicadmin@uvic.ca for MUS courses

This worksheet is based on the **September 2021** calendar. It outlines a balanced four-year, full-time degree. Variations are possible, including part-time studies. Questions? Visit <https://www.uvic.ca/finearts/students/advising>

PROGRAM & COURSE NOTES

An asterisk (*) indicates associated details; consult the [program entry in the Academic Calendar](#) for more information. It is your responsibility to ensure you are informed about all supplemental information related to courses, as they apply to your program, **including prerequisites**.

FACULTY & UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

In addition to the listed courses, you must satisfy all [requirements for the Faculty of Fine Arts](#), as well as complete at least 30 of the minimum 60 required units at UVic. Within these 60 units, **21 units must be upper-level (300/400-level)** courses, and 18 of those 21 units must be taken at UVic.

ACADEMIC WRITING REQUIREMENT

If you have not already satisfied UVic's [Academic Writing Requirement \(AWR\)](#), you will need to complete one of ATWP 135, ENGL 146, ENGL 147, or another approved course. Your program may also list one or more of these courses as requirements. See above.

DECLARING YOUR PROGRAM

Request to declare your academic program at the end of first or second year.

Declared students have access to an **online degree evaluation (CAPP) report** for tracking graduation requirements.