

Bachelor of Music – Saxophone

BM Degree Total 125 credits

Music Course Total

83 credits

Liberal Arts Course Total

36 credits

Unrestricted Music or Liberal Arts Credits¹ 6 credits

		Credits per Semester		Total Credits
Year One				
MUS 3010, 3010	Lessons ²	2	2	4
MUS 3011, 3011	Master Class	1	1	2
MUS 51X0, 51X0	Large Ensemble or Chamber Ensemble ³	1	1	2
MUS 1611, 1612	Foundations of Music: Theory I & II	2	2	4
MUS 1621, 1622	Foundations of Music: Aural Skills I & II	2	2	4
MUS 1631, 1632	Foundations of Music: Keyboard Skills I & II	2	2	4
MUS 1090, 1090	Performance Hour	0	0	0
MUS 5599	Intensive Arts Projects	1	-	1
ENG 1101, 1102	Composition I & II	3	3	6
MAT/SCI	Math or Science Elective	-	3	3
Year One Total		14	16	30
Year Two				
MUS 3010, 3010	Lessons ²	2	2	4
MUS 3011, 3011	Master Class	1	1	2
MUS 51X0, 51X0	Large Ensemble or Chamber Ensemble ³	1	1	2
MUS 2611, 2612	Foundations of Music: Theory III & IV	2	2	4
MUS 2621, 2622	Foundations of Music: Aural Skills III & IV	1	1	2
MUS 2631, 2632	Foundations of Music: Keyboard Skills III & IV	2	2	4
MUS 2711, 2712	History of Musical Styles I & II	3	3	6
MUS 1090, 1090	Performance Hour	0	0	0
MUS 5599	Intensive Arts Projects	1	-	1
HUM 2101	Self, Society and Cosmos	3	-	3
HUM 21XX	Paths to the Present (choose one course)	-	3	3
Year Two Total		16	15	31
Year Three				
MUS 3010, 3010	Lessons ²	2	2	4
MUS 3011, 3011	Master Class	1	1	2
MUS 51X0, 51X0	Large Ensemble or Chamber Ensemble	1	1	2
MUS 3320, 3320	Woodwind Repertoire & Pedagogy: Saxophone ⁴	1	1	2
MUS 361X or MUS 362X	Theory Analysis Elective	2	-	2
MUS 371X or MUS 372X	Music History/Literature Electives (choose 2 courses)	2	2	4
MUS 3301, 3302	Career Development Seminar I & II	1	1	2
MUS 1090, 1090	Performance Hour	0	0	0
MUS 5599	Intensive Arts Projects	1	-	1
HUM/HIS	Humanities or History Elective	3	-	3
WRI/LIT	Writing or Literature Elective	-	3	3
PSY/PHI	Psychology or Philosophy Elective	3	-	3
	Liberal Arts Elective ⁵	-	3	3
Year Three Total		17	14	31

Year Four				
MUS 3010, 3010	Lessons ²	2	2	4
MUS 3011, 3011	Master Class	1	1	2
MUS 4080	Graduation Recital	-	1	1
MUS 51X0, 51X0	Large Ensemble or Chamber Ensemble ³	1	1	2
MUS 3811, 3812	Orchestration I & II			
or	or	2	2	4
MUS 3821, 3822	Counterpoint I & II			
	Musical electives (total of 4 credits) ⁶	2	2	4
MUS 5599	Intensive Arts Projects	1	-	1
	Liberal Arts Electives (choose 2 courses) ⁴	3	3	6
	Liberal Arts Elective (choose 1 additional course) ⁴	3	-	3
Year Four Total		15	12	27

Unrestricted Music/Liberal Arts Credits¹ 6

¹ Unrestricted Music or Liberal Arts Credits may be fulfilled at any time during the four years of the program using any course offered through the School of Music or the Division of Liberal Arts.

² Lessons earn either 2 or 3 credits, determined by the concentration teacher with approval of the Dean of the School of Music (or designee).

³ All music students must perform in ensembles as assigned, even beyond the minimum. Minimum requirement: 3 semesters of Large Ensemble (MUS 51X0); 3 semesters of Chamber Ensemble (MUS 5180); 2 semesters of either Large or Chamber Ensemble (MUS 51X0 or MUS 5180). Large Ensemble assignments are made by the ensemble directors in consultation with the major teacher; Chamber Ensemble assignments are approved by the major teacher.

⁴ Woodwind majors except saxophonists take MUS 3310: Woodwind Repertoire & Pedagogy: Orchestral Winds; Saxophonists take MUS 3320: Woodwind Repertoire & Pedagogy: Saxophone.

⁵ Liberal Arts elective credits may be fulfilled using any course offered through the Division of Liberal Arts.

⁶ Music elective credits may be fulfilled using any course offered through the School of Music except for ensemble courses.