

Program of Study Bachelor of Music in Music Therapy

Music Studies – (46 credits)

MUS	1010	Student Recital Attendance (6 x 0 credit)	
MV_	131_	Applied Music	2
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MV_	232_	Applied Music	2
MV_	232_	Applied Music	2
MV_	333_	Applied Music (see notes)	2
MV_	333_	Applied Music (see notes)	2
MVK	1111	Class Piano	1
MVK	1111	Class Piano	1
MVK	2121	Class Piano	1
MVK	2121	Class Piano	1
MVV	1111	Class Voice	1
MVS	1116	Class Guitar	1
MVS	2126	Intermediate Class Guitar	1
MVS	2526	Guitar Repertory (section 04)	1
MUT	1111	Basic Theory I	3
MUT	1241L	Sightsinging I	1
MUT	1112	Basic Theory II	3
MUT	1242L	Sightsinging II	1
MUT	2116	Basic Theory III	3
MUT	2246L	Sightsinging III	1
MUT	2117	Basic Theory IV	3
MUT	2247L	Sightsinging IV	1
MUH	2512	World Music Cultures	(2)*
MUL	2110	Survey Music Lit	(2)*
MUH	3211	Music History I	(3)*
MUH	3212	Music History II	(3)*
MUS	2360	Intro to Technology in Music	1
MUE	3491	Choral Lit / Conducting	2
MUY	4611	Music Therapy Drumming	1
MUN	2__	Ensemble (3 x 1 credit)	3
MUN	4__	Ensemble (3 x 1 credit)	3

General Studies – (38 credits)

Liberal Studies:			
		1st Math	3
		2nd Math (or Statistics)	3
ENC	1101	1st English	3
ENC	2135	2nd English	3
PSY	2012	Social Science (General Psych.)	3
MUH	3211	Writing "W" (Music History I)	3*
MUH	3212	History (Music History II)	3*
PHI	2010	Ethics	3
MUL	2110	Humanities (Survey Music Lit)	2*
MUH	2512	Humanities (World Music)	2*
		Natural Science	3
PSB	2000	Natural Science (Brain/Behav.)	3
IDS	XXXX	E-Series (Approved Behavior/ Health/Science course)	3

Other Requirements:			
		Natural Science Lab	1
		Civic Literacy	(3)

Supportive Courses in Music – (39 credits)

MUE	3091	Orientation to Music Therapy	1
MUS	4651	Non-Verbal Communication	2
MUE	4092	Arts in Medicine	1
MUY	3601	Music Recreation Techniques	3
MUS	4611	Psychology of Music I	3
MUS	4612	Psychology of Music II	3
MUS	3934-4	Sr. Tutorial	1
MUY	4401	Music Therapy	3
MUY	4402	Music Therapy	3
MUY	4301	Anatomy for Music Therapy Practice	2
MUY	4940	Clinical Internship	10
CLP	4143	Abnormal Psychology	3
<i>Choose 1:</i>			
EEX	4770	Human Exceptionality	(3)
MUE	4391	Music in Special Education	(3)

Total Credits – 122

*Supportive courses in music that fulfill University requirements within the General (Liberal) Studies area.

Additional Notes: Bachelor of Music in Music Therapy

It is imperative that students be knowledgeable of curriculum and University requirements. Although faculty and full-time advisors are available for academic advisement, students must assume personal responsibility for academic progress and completion of program.

The FSU undergraduate degree program in music therapy is competency based; therefore, requisite skills and therapeutic personality characteristics must be proficiently demonstrated at each level: at admission, during course components and community practica, during pre-internship, and during internship.

The majority of music therapy courses require community practica in sites providing clinical services to vulnerable persons. Practica agencies require medical histories, fingerprinting, background checks, and drug analyses to screen students prior to participation in their sites and prior to interactions with their clients. Failure to pass such screening will result in immediate dismissal from the impacted courses, and possibly from the music therapy major. Additionally, students will be required to maintain liability insurance for classes with clinical practica. To ensure safety of students and community populations, students in the Music Therapy Program are required at all times to maintain programmatic, legal, professional, and ethical conduct and standards and to demonstrate sound judgment in interpersonal relationships. These requirements include, but are not limited to:

- Demonstration of effective communication skills and ability to develop appropriate interpersonal relationships with persons of all ages by responding to others' individual needs. This includes verbal and nonverbal skills such as directing, questioning, listening, eye contact, facial affect, managing behavior of large groups of clients, maintaining positive, professional relationships with faculty, staff, and other students, etc.
- Demonstration of proficient clinical musicianship skills on guitar, piano, voice and other instruments as required (e.g., percussion), as well as memorization of repertoire for persons of varied cultural backgrounds and ages.
- Demonstration of therapeutic values including nonjudgmental perception of others' beliefs and values, social concern, empathy, and congruence in relationships.
- Demonstration of cognitive ability to grasp, relate, transfer, synthesize, and apply academic knowledge in the field of music therapy
- Demonstration of personal and professional attributes of maturity, dependability, reasoned approach to problem solving, ability to perceive and adjust to situational realities, ability to cope with stress, and maintenance of healthy, balanced lifestyle.

Students whose personal issues impede their ability to contribute to therapeutic change in clients or whose personal conduct does not meet minimal standards for perceived safety of vulnerable clients in clinical settings will be dismissed from the Music Therapy Program at any point in their program of studies. Students with personal issues that prevent demonstration of these basic competencies will be counseled to select other majors.

Applied Music

A total of 19 credits of Applied Music are required. 2 years of principal lessons with passing juries must be completed (registration in principal applied lessons required each term until the 2nd jury has been passed). Class Piano, Class Voice and Class Guitar make up 7 credits. Remaining credits required (4) can be completed with continuing principal lessons, beginning secondary lessons or enrollment in dance classes.

Ensembles

A minimum of 3 hours must be 4000 level.

Woodwind and brass freshmen and freshmen transfers must register for MUN 2460 during the first Spring and second Fall terms at FSU (string freshmen and freshmen transfers must register during first two Fall terms.) Other transfers in these areas must register for MUN 2460/4463 during first Fall term at FSU.

Recital Attendance

Transfers should consult the Undergraduate Handbook (http://music.fsu.edu/handbook/undergraduate.htm#_--_Student_Recital) concerning requirements for Student Recital attendance (MUS 1010).

Electives/Substitutions

EEX 4770 or MUE 4391 may be substituted with another course if approved by advisor. The Behavioral/Health/Natural Science elective is selected in consultation with advisor.

Course Prerequisites

MVV 1111 (Class Voice) is a pre or co-requisite to MVS 1116 (Beginning Class Guitar).

MUT 1112 is prerequisite to MUL 2110.

MUL 2110 and MUH 2512 are prerequisites to MUH 3211.

MUH 3211 is prerequisite to MUH 3212.

PSY 2012 is prerequisite to all Psychology courses and to MUS 4611.

MUT 1112 is prerequisite to MUS 4611.

MVS1116 is a prerequisite to MUY 3601.

MUE 3091 is a prerequisite or co-requisite to MVS 2126 (MT section) and MUE 4092.

MUY 3601 and MUY 4611 are prerequisites for MUS 3934.

MUS 4611, MUS 4612, MUY 4401, and MUY 4402 must be taken in this consecutive order.

MUE 3491 and MUS 4651 are offered only in Fall Terms, and typically at the same time, so students should take them in different years.

Students must have a grade of B or higher in each of MUY 3601, MUY 4611, MUS 4611, and MUS 4612 to enroll in MUY4401.

Registration Note

When registering for MUE 3491 (Conducting) and MVS 2126 (Intermediate Guitar) select the sections reserved for "*Music Therapy majors, only.*"

Internship Requirements

Students must complete each course that counts in the Behavioral/Health/Natural Science area with a grade of "C" or better to qualify for the internship.

Students must earn a "B" or higher in all Music Therapy courses (see Supportive Courses listing) and MVS 2526 and MUY 4611 (see Music Studies listing) to qualify for the internship.

Multicultural Requirement

One X (cross cultural) course and one Y (diversity) course are required. MUH 2512 (required for music majors) is an X course. Students should consider selecting an E-Series course that is also a Y course.

Scholarship in Practice

Two Scholarship in Practice courses (with different prefixes) are required. MUT 2116 (Music Theory III), Internships, Study Abroad, many E-Series courses, Applied Music Lessons plus a Recital in the same semester, and courses taken in the Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (UROP) may be used to satisfy the Scholarship in Practice requirement. Go to <http://liberalstudies.fsu.edu/Scholarship.html> for more information.

Liberal Studies

For details about Liberal Studies, including available courses in the various areas and descriptions of E-Series courses, visit <http://liberalstudies.fsu.edu/index.html> . Music Therapy students should choose an E-Series natural science or social science as approved by the Music Therapy Advisor.

Students in this major should take PSY 2012 to meet the Liberal Studies Social Science requirement, and should consider satisfying the Civic Literacy requirement by scoring at least 60% on the exemption test.

Music Therapy - Course sequencing concerns

Fall 1		Spring 1	
MUE 3091	1	MVS 1116-4	1
Fall 2		Spring 2	
MUS 4651 Nonverbal Communication* (FALL only—take within first two years)	2	MUS 4092 Arts in Medicine Service*	1
MVS 2126-1	1		
Fall 3		Spring 3	
MUS 4611 Psychology of Music I**	3	MUS 4612 Psychology of Music II**	3
MUE 3491 Choral Conducting* (offered FALL only, must take before senior year; time conflict with MUS4651)	2	MUE 4391 Music in Special Ed* (offered SPRING only)	3
		MUY 3601 Music Recreation Techniques*	3

Fall 4		Spring 4	
MUY4401 Music Therapy I**	3	MUY4402 Music Therapy II**	3

*Suggestions, but can be moved around if necessary

**Pass it this term or delay graduation.