

MUSIC IN WORLD CULTURES (B.S.) - RESIDENT

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2024 through summer 2025. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

General Education/Foundational Skills Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Communication & Information Literacy ¹		
ENGL 101	Composition and Rhetoric	3
	Communications Elective	3
	Information Literacy Elective	3
	Information Literacy Elective	3
Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning ¹		
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1
	Math Elective MATH 114 or higher	3
	Technology Competency ²	0-3
Critical Thinking ¹		
RLGN 105	Introduction to Biblical Worldview ³	2
	Critical Thinking Elective	3
Civic & Global Engagement ¹		
EVAN 101	Evangelism and the Christian Life ³	2
	Cultural Studies Elective	3
Social & Scientific Inquiry ¹		
	Natural Science Elective	3
	Social Science Elective	3
Christianity & Contexts ¹		
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2
THEO 201	Theology Survey I ³	2
THEO 202	Theology Survey II ³	2
Total Hours		40-43

¹ Refer to the list of approved general education electives before enrolling in foundational skill requirements
² All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course
³ Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 and EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 and THEO 202 waived

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Major Foundational Courses		
GLST 220	Intercultural Communication and Engagement ¹	3
GLST 290	Cultural Anthropology ¹	3
MUSC 200	Music, Art, Worship and Culture ¹	3

Code	Title	Hours
MUSC 314	Music in World Cultures	3
Total Hours		12

¹ Course may fulfill select general education requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Major Core		
GLST 200	Introduction to Global Studies	3
GLST 385	Career Preparation for Global Workers	3
MUSC 105	Harmonic Practices and Theory I	3
MUSC 106	Harmonic Practices and Theory II	3
MUSC 107	Musicianship I	1
MUSC 108	Musicianship II	1
MUSC 202	Old and New Testament Music and Worship	3
MUSC 313	History of Music and Worship	3
MUSC 392	Ethnic Music Program	1
MUSC 402	Ethnic Music Theory	3
MUSC 423	Congregational Contextualization and Leadership	1
MUSC 424	Arts in Global Outreach	3
MUSC 440	Ethnic Music Seminar	3
MUSC 496	Senior Artist or Worship Program	1
MUSC 499	Internship	3
<i>Ensemble (Refer to chart)</i>		
MUSC 349	Ethnic Music Ensemble	1
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	Choose two credit hours of Ensemble courses	2
<i>Applied Music: Primary Instrument (Refer to chart)</i>		
	Choose six credit hours of Applied Music: Primary Instrument courses	6
<i>Applied Music: Secondary Instrument (Refer to chart)</i>		
	Choose two credit hours of Applied Music: Secondary Instrument courses	2
Total Hours		49

Code	Title	Hours
Free Electives		
	Choose 12-24 credit hours of Free Electives	12-24
Total Hours		12-24

Ensemble (2 hours)

Code	Title	Hours
Choose two credit hours of the following:		
MUSC 178	The Worship Choir I	1
MUSC 179	Classical Guitar Ensemble I	1
MUSC 180	University Chorale I	1
MUSC 181	Concert Choir I	1
MUSC 182	Chamber Singers I	1
MUSC 183	Jazz Ensemble I	1
MUSC 185	Symphony Orchestra I	1
MUSC 186	Brass Choir I	1

Code	Title	Hours
MUSC 187	University Band I	1
MUSC 188	Woodwind Choir I	1
MUSC 189	Celebration Choir	1
MUSC 192	Percussion Ensemble I	1
MUSC 194	Wind Symphony I	1
MUSC 285	The Worship Orchestra I	1
MUSC 286	The Gospel Choir I	1
MUSC 287	Jazz Guitar Ensemble I	1
MUSC 289	The Worship Choir II	1

Applied Music Studies (Primary Instrument - 6 hours)

Choose Voice, Piano or Guitar/Strings/Brass/Woodwinds or Percussion as the Primary Instrument.

Code	Title	Hours
<i>Voice Primary</i>		
MUSC 121	Voice (Freshman)	1
MUSC 221	Voice Sophomore	1
MUSC 222	Voice Sophomore	1
MUSC 321	Voice (Junior)	1
MUSC 322	Voice (Junior)	1
MUSC 421	Voice (Senior)	1
<i>Piano Primary</i>		
MUSC 141	Private Piano (Freshman)	1
MUSC 241	Private Piano Sophomore	1
MUSC 242	Private Piano Sophomore	1
MUSC 341	Private Piano (Junior)	1
MUSC 342	Private Piano (Junior)	1
MUSC 441	Private Piano Senior	1
<i>Guitar/Strings/Brass/Woodwinds/Percussion Primary</i>		
MUSC 151	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion Freshman	1
MUSC 251	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion Sophomore	1
MUSC 252	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion Sophomore	1
MUSC 351	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion Junior	1
MUSC 352	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion Junior	1
MUSC 451	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds Percussion (Senior)	1

Applied Music Studies (Secondary Instrument - 2 hours)

The Secondary Instrument cannot be the same as the Primary Instrument.

Code	Title	Hours
<i>Voice Secondary</i>		
MUSC 120	Group Voice I	1
MUSC 220	Group Voice II	1
<i>Piano Secondary*</i>		
MUSC 244	Group Piano IV	1
MUSC 345	Group Piano V	1
<i>Guitar Secondary</i>		

Code	Title	Hours
MUSC 150	Group Guitar I	1
MUSC 250	Group Guitar II	1
<i>Strings/Brass/Woodwinds/Percussion Secondary</i>		
MUSC 151	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion Freshman	1
MUSC 152	Guitar, Strings, Brass, Woodwinds, Percussion Freshman	1

*Recommended for students whose primary is not piano

Additional Major Requirements

- Keyboard Proficiency Exam
- Freshman Promotional Jury
- Sophomore Performance Review
- Attendance at 32 approved concerts and recitals

All applicable prerequisites must be met

Graduation Requirements

- 120 Total hours
- 2.0 Overall grade point average
- 30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)
- **Grade of 'C'** Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major
- 25% Of major taken through Liberty University
- 30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University
- **Grad App** Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date
- **CSER** All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

Course Sequence

Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
First Semester		
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2
ENGL 101	Composition and Rhetoric	3
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1
GLST 200	Introduction to Global Studies	3
MUSC 105	Harmonic Practices and Theory I	3
MUSC 107	Musicianship I	1
MUSC 349	Ethnic Music Ensemble	1
Primary Instrument ³		1
CSER		0
Hours		15
Second Semester		
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2
RLGN 105	Introduction to Biblical Worldview	2
Composition Elective (MUSC 200) ¹		3
Technology Competency ⁴		0-3
MUSC 106	Harmonic Practices and Theory II	3
MUSC 108	Musicianship II	1
MUSC 349	Ethnic Music Ensemble	1
Primary Instrument ¹		1

Course	Title	Hours
CSER		0
Hours		13-16
Second Year		
First Semester		
Communications Elective (GLST 220) ¹		3
Math Elective (114 or higher) ¹		3
MUSC 202	Old and New Testament Music and Worship	3
Ensemble ²		1
Primary Instrument ³		1
Secondary Instrument ⁵		1
Elective		3
CSER		0
Hours		15
Second Semester		
EVAN 101	Evangelism and the Christian Life	2
Philosophy or Ethics Elective ¹		3
MUSC 313	History of Music and Worship	3
MUSC 314	Music in World Cultures	3
Ensemble ²		1
Primary Instrument ³		1
Secondary Instrument ⁵		1
Elective		1
CSER		0
Hours		15
Third Year		
First Semester		
THEO 201	Theology Survey I	2
Natural Science Elective ¹		3
MUSC 349	Ethnic Music Ensemble	1
MUSC 392	Ethnic Music Program	1
MUSC 402	Ethnic Music Theory	3
Primary Instrument ³		1
Elective		3
CSER		0
Hours		14
Second Semester		
THEO 202	Theology Survey II	2
Information Literacy Elective ¹		3
Social Science Elective ¹		3
GLST 385	Career Preparation for Global Workers	3
MUSC 349	Ethnic Music Ensemble	1
Primary Instrument ³		1
Elective		3
CSER		0
Hours		16
Fourth Year		
First Semester		
MUSC 423	Congregational Contextualization and Leadership	1
MUSC 424	Arts in Global Outreach	3
MUSC 496	Senior Artist or Worship Program	1

Course	Title	Hours
Elective		3
Elective		3
Elective		3
CSER		0
Hours		14
Second Semester		
Government or Cultural Studies Elective (GLST 290) ¹		3
MUSC 440	Ethnic Music Seminar	3
MUSC 499	Internship	3
Elective		3
Elective		3
Elective		3
CSER		0
Hours		18
Total Hours		120-123

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² See DCP for Ensemble options

³ See DCP for Primary Instrument options

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⁵ See DCP for Secondary Instrument options