

MUSIC THERAPY (BM)



This program was approved for students entering the university in the Summer 2025-Spring 2026 catalog year. For more information about catalog year, go to Catalog Year Information (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/university-wide-unit-specific-policies/catalog-year/>).

Bachelor of Music with Emphasis in Music Therapy

Unit: Music (<http://www.louisville.edu/music/>)
 Academic Plan Code(s): See Track Requirements tab

Program Information

The music therapy program is designed for students who want to provide therapeutic services to people using music. Students must be strong musicians and find satisfaction in using music to help with non-music areas and skills, rather than as a goal in itself. Students' music skills will expand during their music therapy course work from performing on their principal instrument to also including functional piano, guitar, and voice skills, using other accompanying instruments such as the Q-chord and autoharp, and developing skill in using percussion instruments. The music therapy program requires good intellectual skills as music therapists are required to use analytical skills in determining clinical goals and writing skills in documentation.

Music therapy majors may work with any age group and with people with a variety of disabilities. As a member of a therapeutic team or private practitioner, the music therapist participates in the analysis of individual problems and the establishment of treatment goals before planning and carrying out music-related treatment. Music therapists may also do administration in various health-related settings and, with advanced degrees, may become university faculty.

Degree Summary

Emphasis in Music Therapy (MUTHBM)

Code	Title	Hours
	General Education Requirements (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) ¹	31
	College/School Requirements	47
	Program/Major Requirements	28
	Supporting Courses	24
	Minimum Total Hours	130

Emphasis in Music Therapy with track in Jazz Studies (MUTHBMJAZ)

Code	Title	Hours
	General Education Requirements (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) ¹	31
	College/School Requirements	47
	Program/Major Requirements (including track course work)	27
	Supporting Area and Track Courses	38
	Minimum Total Hours	143

¹ While not included in the School or Program coursework requirements, students are expected to take MUH 214 and MUH 205 to satisfy some of the General Education requirements. COMM 115 is suggested for satisfying the Oral Communication requirement.

Specific coursework information can be found on the Degree Requirements tab.

Departmental Admission Requirements

Students in this unit are admitted directly into their degree program.

Degree Requirements

The Music Therapy curriculum meets the competency requirements of the American Music Therapy Association (AMTA). Students must complete a minimum of 1200 hours of clinical training which includes at least 180 hours in pre-internship experiences and at least 900 hours in internship experiences. Students completing the Music Therapy curriculum are eligible to take the examination to become a Board Certified Music Therapist, offered by the Certification Board for Music Therapists.

A person who already has a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution and who wishes to become a music therapist may take the courses not already taken that are required for music therapy certification, known as "equivalency" courses since they provide the equivalent of an undergraduate degree. The music therapy equivalency program leads to eligibility to apply to become a Board Certified Music Therapist but does not lead to a degree. Specific course requirements, based on the student's transcript and experiences, are determined in conjunction with the Director of Music Therapy.

Students must demonstrate experience and competence in the use of percussion instruments and in the use of computers and music as appropriate for music therapists.

General Education Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
	General Education Requirements (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) ^{1,2}	31
The following courses are required by this program and should be used to fulfill the respective General Education Requirement:		
MUH 214	African-American Music - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	

MUH 205	Music in World Cultures - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)
COMM 115	Interpersonal Skills - OC (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) (suggested)

All degrees require the completion of the University-wide General Education Program (link provided above). Some General Education requirements may be met in the requirements for the major or supporting coursework, in which case additional electives may be required to complete the minimum hours for the degree.

College/School Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
<i>School of Music Program Courses</i>		
Music Theory ³		16
MUS 141	Theory I	
MUS 142	Theory II	
MUS 241	Musicianship III	
MUS 242	Musicianship IV	
MUS 248	Theory Modules I ¹¹	
MUS 249	Theory Modules II ¹²	
Music Literature		9
MUS 361	Introduction to Musicologies	
MUS 362	Applying Musicologies	
MUS 363	Engaging Musicologies	
Principal Ensemble (eight 1-hour courses) ⁴		8
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	
Applied Lessons		8
<i>(Eight 1-hour courses, four 2-hour courses, or a combination of the two)</i>		
1-hour courses:		
MUSA 125	Arts Instrument	
& MUSA 126	Arts Instrument	
& MUSA 225	Arts Instrument	
& MUSA 226	Arts Instrument	
& MUSA 325	Arts Instrument	
& MUSA 326	Arts Instrument	
& MUSA 425	Arts Instrument	
& MUSA 426	Arts Instrument	
- and/or -		
2-hour courses:		
MUSA 111	Principal Applied Study	
& MUSA 112	Principal Applied Study	
& MUSA 211	Principal Applied Study	
& MUSA 212	Principal Applied Study	
- and/or - FOR STUDENTS WITH A TRACK IN JAZZ STUDIES		
2-hour courses:		
MUSA 105	Jazz Applied	
& MUSA 106	Jazz Applied	
& MUSA 205	Jazz Applied	
& MUSA 206	Jazz Applied	
Piano Class (three 1-hour courses) ^{5,6}		3

MUS 131	Piano Class	
& MUS 132	Piano Class	
& MUS 231	Piano Class III	
MUS 97	Recital Attendance (four semesters of "S" required, non-credit)	0
MUS 347	Analysis I (MUS 349 for Jazz Track students)	2
or MUS 349	Jazz Analysis	
MUS 100	Introduction to Music Study	1
MUS 297	Piano Proficiency	0
Minimum Total Hours		47

Program/Major Requirements

Music Therapy

Academic Plan Code(s): MUTHBM

Code	Title	Hours
<i>Music Therapy Requirements</i>		
MUTH 101	Introduction to Music Therapy	1
MUTH 201	Music Therapy Techniques I	6
& MUTH 202	Music Therapy Techniques II	
MUTH 113	Clinical Applications I-Music & Leadership	2
& MUTH 213	Techniques	
& MUTH 214	Clinical Applications II-Clinical Repertoire: Group	
& MUTH 313	Clinical Applications III-Clinical Repertoire: Individual	
	Clinical Applications IV-Advanced	
MUTH 301	Psychology of Music	3
MUTH 311	Improvisation for Music Therapy I	1
MUTH 321	Practicum I-Treatment Planning	4
& MUTH 322	Practicum II-Assessment and Outcomes	
& MUTH 421	Practicum III-Professional Development	
& MUTH 422	Practicum IV-Seminar	
MUTH 431	Principles and Practices of Music Therapy I	6
& MUTH 432	Principles and Practices of Music Therapy II	
MUTH 302	Introduction to Research in Music Therapy	3
MUTH 325	Music Therapy Training Group I	2
& MUTH 326	Music Therapy Training Group II	
MUTH 451	Music Therapy Internship - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) (CUE) ⁷	0
Minimum Total Hours		28

Code	Title	Hours
Supporting Courses ⁸		
MUS 217	Class Guitar I for Music Therapy	4
& MUS 218	Class Guitar II for Music Therapy (&)	
MUSA 133	Functional Study	2
& MUSA 134	Functional Study (&)	
MUS 219	Class Ukulele	1
MUS 227	Voice Class ^{9,10}	1
or MUS 123	Diction	
PSYC 201	Introduction to Psychology - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
PSYC 306	Life Span Developmental Psychology	3
PSYC 308	Foundations of Psychopathology	3

MUTH 328	Anatomy & Physiology for Music Therapy	3
MUED 406	Fundamentals of Music Technology for Teaching and Learning	1
or MUED 506	Fundamentals of Music Technology for Teaching and Learning	
EDSP 240	Introduction to Exceptional Children	3
Minimum Total Hours		24

Upper Division Assessment

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Additional specific elements and standards appropriate to specific degree programs in jazz studies (including jazz performance, music education and music therapy with tracks in jazz studies, and the BA in jazz studies), music composition, music education, music history, instrumental and vocal performance, pedagogy, music theory, and music therapy are required of students in order to achieve Upper Division status and to continue in the degree program. Specific degree requirements are determined by the concentration and area faculties and are outlined in the *Undergraduate Student Handbook*.

Code	Title	Hours
Culminating Undergraduate Experience (Graduation requirement)		
Requirement fulfilled by completing:		
MUTH 451	Music Therapy Internship - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
Code		Hours
Minimum Total Hours, BM with Emphasis in Music Therapy		130

Music Therapy with a Track in Jazz Studies

Academic Plan Code(s): MUTHBM_JAZ

Code	Title	Hours
<i>Music Therapy Requirements</i>		
MUTH 101	Introduction to Music Therapy	1
MUTH 201 & MUTH 202	Music Therapy Techniques I & Music Therapy Techniques II	6
MUTH 113 & MUTH 213	Clinical Applications I-Music & Leadership Techniques	2
& MUTH 214 & MUTH 313	Clinical Applications II-Clinical Repertoire: Group & MUTH 313 Clinical Applications III-Clinical Repertoire: Individual & MUTH 313 Clinical Applications IV-Advanced	

MUTH 301	Psychology of Music	3
MUTH 321 & MUTH 322	Practicum I-Treatment Planning & MUTH 322 Practicum II-Assessment and Outcomes	4
& MUTH 421 & MUTH 422	Practicum III-Professional Development & MUTH 422 Practicum IV-Seminar	
MUTH 431 & MUTH 432	Principles and Practices of Music Therapy I & MUTH 432 Principles and Practices of Music Therapy II	6
MUTH 302	Introduction to Research in Music Therapy	3
MUTH 325 & MUTH 326	Music Therapy Training Group I & MUTH 326 Music Therapy Training Group II	2
MUTH 451	Music Therapy Internship - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) (CUE) ⁷	0

Minimum Total Hours 27

Code	Title	Hours
Supporting Area; Track Courses⁸		
MUS 130	Jazz Piano Class	1
MUS 198	Jazz Piano Proficiency	0
MUS 138 & MUS 340	Jazz Improvisation & Jazz Improvisation II (&)	4
MUS 217 & MUS 218	Class Guitar I for Music Therapy & MUTH 218 Class Guitar II for Music Therapy (&)	4
MUSA 133 & MUSA 134	Functional Study & MUSA 134 Functional Study (Functional Guitar)	2
MUS 219	Class Ukulele	1
MUS 227 or MUS 123	Voice Class ^{9, 10} & Diction	1
MUS 351	Jazz Style & Analysis	2
MUS 356	Jazz Theory	2
MUS 352	Jazz Repertoire	2
MUS 355	The Evolution of Jazz	3
PSYC 201	Introduction to Psychology - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
PSYC 306	Life Span Developmental Psychology (previously PSYC 363)	3
PSYC 308	Foundations of Psychopathology (previously PSYC 385)	3
MUTH 328	Anatomy & Physiology for Music Therapy	3
EDSP 240	Introduction to Exceptional Children	3
MUED 406	Fundamentals of Music Technology for Teaching and Learning	1

Minimum Total Hours 38

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participation; cumulative 2.5 GPA (good standing); minimum of 48 credit hours completed; pass ENGL 101 or ENGL 105; and 3 additional Gen Ed courses.

Additional specific elements and standards appropriate to specific degree programs in jazz studies, music composition, music education, music history, instrumental and vocal performance, pedagogy, music theory, and music therapy are required of students in order to achieve Upper Division status and to continue in the degree program. Specific degree requirements are determined by the division and area faculties and are outlined in the *Music Student Handbook* and the various Division handbooks.

Code	Title	Hours
Culminating Undergraduate Experience (Graduation requirement)		
Requirement fulfilled by completing:		
MUTH 451	Music Therapy Internship - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	

Code	Title	Hours
Minimum Total Hours, BM with Emphasis in Music Therapy with a track in Jazz Studies		143

- Students are required to take MUH 214 African-American Music - AH (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/>), D1 (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/>) and MUH 205 Music in World Cultures - D2 (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/>), SB (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/>). In addition, Music Therapy majors should consider COMM 115 Interpersonal Skills - OC (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/>) to satisfy the Oral Communication content.
- Students majoring in music may take MUH courses as music electives with the exception of the cardinal core courses MUH 205 / MUH 214 and MUH 204.
- Students who do not pass the computer-based Fundamentals Test prior to the beginning of the fall semester are required to enroll in MUS 91 Fundamentals of Music I for 0 credit concurrently with MUS 141 Theory I. Students who do not pass MUS 141, and students who enter the School of Music in January and do not place into MUS 142 Theory II, must enroll in MUS 92 Musicianship I for the spring semester. Credits for MUS 92 do not count toward the degree.
- Strings take Section 01, others solely dependent on the ensemble audition. Jazz Studies track students take six 1-hour courses of Jazz Ensemble plus two 1-hour courses of other Major Ensemble.
- If the Applied Principal is piano, Piano Class is replaced with 3 hours of electives.
- Students will take the Piano Proficiency Examination at the end of MUS 231. Any student not completing the Piano Proficiency Examination will be required to take MUS 232 until the proficiency exam requirement is complete. Students must be enrolled continuously in Piano Class until their requirement has been completed. Those who pass the Piano Proficiency Examination before the end of the third semester of Piano Class may replace the requirement with electives or with secondary piano if faculty load permits. Entering students who have a background in piano may register for MUS 297 Piano Proficiency for one semester with approval of the Keyboard Area.
- The internship is done after all other music therapy course work has been completed. The American Music Therapy Association requires

- that a student receive a grade of C- or better in all music therapy courses in order to be eligible for the internship. It must be completed within 24 months of completion of music therapy course work. However, the School of Music will not accept work below a C (not a C-minus) in a major subject.
- Music Therapy students will require a C (not C-minus) grade in order to pass Supportive Area courses.
 - Music Therapy degree students may substitute Voice study at the functional level, MUSA 133, for MUS 227 Voice Class at the discretion of the voice faculty.
 - MUS 123 Diction is required for all applied voice students.
 - Students must complete a 1-credit hour module in Term 1 and a 1-credit hour module in Term 2 the same semester that they are registered for MUS 241 Musicianship III
 - Students must complete a 1-credit hour module in Term 1 and a 1-credit hour module in Term 2 the same semester that they are registered for MUS 242 Musicianship 4.

Flight Plan, BM in Music Therapy

Flight Plans for the tracks in Jazz Studies are on the following tabs (Jazz Flight Plans, Even and Jazz Flight Plans, Odd).

Music Therapy

Academic Plan Code(s): MUTHBM

Year 1		Hours
Fall		
MUS 100	Introduction to Music Study	1
MUSA 111	Principal Applied Study	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 141	Theory I	4
MUS 97	Recital Attendance	0
MUS 131	Piano Class	1
MUS 217	Class Guitar I for Music Therapy	2
MUTH 101	Introduction to Music Therapy	1
ENGL 101	Introduction to College Writing - WC (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
Hours		15
Spring		
MUSA 112	Principal Applied Study	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 142	Theory II	4
MUS 97	Recital Attendance	0
MUS 132	Piano Class	1
MUS 218	Class Guitar II for Music Therapy	2
MUTH 113	Clinical Applications I-Music & Leadership Techniques	0.5
ENGL 102	Intermediate College Writing - WC (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Quantitative Reasoning - QR		3
Hours		16.5
Year 2		
Fall		
MUSA 211	Principal Applied Study	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 241	Musicianship III	2
MUS 248	Theory Modules I	2
MUS 97	Recital Attendance	0
MUS 231	Piano Class III (or Music Elective)	1
MUS 297	Piano Proficiency	0

MUTH 201	Music Therapy Techniques I	3
MUTH 213	Clinical Applications II-Clinical Repertoire: Group	0.5
MUS 123 or MUS 227	Diction or Voice Class	1
PSYC 201	Introduction to Psychology - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
Hours		15.5
Year 3		
Fall		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 362	Applying Musicologies	3
MUS 347	Analysis I	2
MUTH 301	Psychology of Music	3
MUTH 313	Clinical Applications IV-Advanced	0.5
MUTH 321	Practicum I-Treatment Planning	1
MUTH 325	Music Therapy Training Group I	1
PSYC 306	Life Span Developmental Psychology	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Social & Behavioral Sciences Historical Perspective - SBH		3
Hours		17.5
Spring		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 363	Engaging Musicologies	3
MUTH 302	Introduction to Research in Music Therapy	3
MUTH 322	Practicum II-Assessment and Outcomes	1
MUTH 326	Music Therapy Training Group II	1
MUH 205	Music in World Cultures - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
MUS 219	Class Ukulele	1
PSYC 308	Foundations of Psychopathology	3
MUTH 311	Improvisation for Music Therapy I	1
Hours		17
Year 4		
Fall		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUTH 431	Principles and Practices of Music Therapy I	3
MUTH 421	Practicum III-Professional Development	1
MUSA 133	Functional Study (Guitar)	1
EDSP 240	Introduction to Exceptional Children	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences - S		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences Lab - SL		1
General Education: Cardinal Core Arts & Humanities - AH		3
Hours		16
Spring		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUTH 328	Anatomy & Physiology for Music Therapy	3
MUTH 422	Practicum IV-Seminar	1

MUTH 432	Principles and Practices of Music Therapy II	3
MUSA 134	Functional Study (Guitar)	1
MUED 406 or MUED 506	Fundamentals of Music Technology for Teaching and Learning or Fundamentals of Music Technology for Teaching and Learning	1
MUH 214	African-American Music - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences - S		3
Hours		16
Year 5		
Fall		
MUTH 451	Music Therapy Internship - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	0
Hours		0
Minimum Total Hours		130

The Flight Plan outlined above is intended to demonstrate one possible path to completing the degree within four years. Course selection and placement within the program may vary depending on course offerings and schedule, elective preferences, and other factors (study abroad, internship availability, etc.). Please consult your advisor for additional information about building a flight plan that works for you.

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Flight Plan, BM in Music Therapy, Track in Jazz Studies, Even-Year Starts

A four-year Flight Plan without a track in Jazz Studies is on the preceding tab (Flight Plan).

The four-year plan of study listed below is applicable for students who begin their academic programs in the fall semester of even-numbered

years (e.g., 2020, 2022, 2024, etc.). Students starting in odd-numbered years should refer to the Jazz Flight Plan, Odd tab.

Music Therapy with a track in Jazz Studies

Academic Plan Code(s): MUTHBM_JAZ

The four-year plan of study listed below is applicable for students who begin their academic programs in the fall semester of even-numbered years (e.g., 2020, 2022, 2024, etc.).

Course	Title	Hours
Year 1		
Fall		
MUS 100	Introduction to Music Study	1
MUSA 105	Jazz Applied	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 141	Theory I	4
MUS 97	Recital Attendance (MUS 97-06)	0
MUS 131	Piano Class (or Music Elective)	1
MUTH 101	Introduction to Music Therapy	1
ENGL 101	Introduction to College Writing - WC	3
MUS 217	Class Guitar I for Music Therapy	2
Hours		15
Spring		
MUSA 105	Jazz Applied	2
MUSA 106	Jazz Applied	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 142	Theory II	4
MUS 97	Recital Attendance (MUS 97-06)	0
MUS 132	Piano Class (or Music Elective)	1
MUS 138	Jazz Improvisation	2
MUTH 113	Clinical Applications I-Music & Leadership Techniques	0.5
ENGL 102	Intermediate College Writing - WC	3
MUS 218	Class Guitar II for Music Therapy	2
Hours		17.5
Year 2		
Fall		
MUSA 205	Jazz Applied	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 241	Musicianship III	2
MUS 97	Recital Attendance (MUS 97-06)	0
MUS 231	Piano Class III (or Music Elective)	1
MUS 297	Piano Proficiency	0
MUTH 201	Music Therapy Techniques I	3
MUTH 213	Clinical Applications II-Clinical Repertoire: Group	0.5
MUS 227	Voice Class	1
MUS 340	Jazz Improvisation II	2
General Education: Cardinal Core Quantitative Reasoning - QR		3
Hours		15.5
Spring		
MUSA 206	Jazz Applied	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 242	Musicianship IV	2
MUS 361	Introduction to Musicologies	3
MUS 97	Recital Attendance (MUS 97-06)	0
MUTH 202	Music Therapy Techniques II	3
MUTH 214	Clinical Applications III-Clinical Repertoire: Individual	0.5
PSYC 201	Introduction to Psychology - SB	3
Hours		14.5

Year 3		
Fall		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 362	Applying Musicologies	3
MUS 347	Analysis I	2
or MUS 349	or Jazz Analysis	
MUTH 301	Psychology of Music	3
MUTH 313	Clinical Applications IV-Advanced	0.5
MUTH 321	Practicum I-Treatment Planning	1
MUTH 325	Music Therapy Training Group I	1
MUS 356	Jazz Theory	2
General Education: Cardinal Core Oral Communication - OC		3
Hours		16.5
Spring		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 363	Engaging Musicologies	3
MUTH 302	Introduction to Research in Music Therapy	3
MUTH 322	Practicum II-Assessment and Outcomes	1
MUTH 326	Music Therapy Training Group II	1
MUS 219	Class Ukulele	1
MUS 351	Jazz Style & Analysis (MUS 351-01 Jazz Style and Analysis)	2
PSYC 308	Foundations of Psychopathology	3
Hours		15
Year 4		
Fall		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 130	Jazz Piano Class	1
MUS 198	Jazz Piano Proficiency	0
MUTH 431	Principles and Practices of Music Therapy I	3
MUTH 421	Practicum III-Professional Development	1
MUS 352	Jazz Repertoire	2
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences - S		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences Lab - SL		1
General Education: Cardinal Core Social & Behavioral Sciences Historical Perspective - SBH		3
Hours		15
Spring		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUTH 328	Anatomy & Physiology for Music Therapy	3
MUTH 422	Practicum IV-Seminar	1
MUTH 432	Principles and Practices of Music Therapy II	3
MUSA 133	Functional Study	1
MUSA 206	Jazz Applied	2
MUED 406	Fundamentals of Music Technology for Teaching and Learning	1
or MUED 506	or Fundamentals of Music Technology for Teaching and Learning	
MUH 214	African-American Music - D1, AH	3
PSYC 306	Life Span Developmental Psychology	3
Hours		18
Year 5		
Fall		
MUSA 134	Functional Study	1
MUS 355	The Evolution of Jazz	3
EDSP 240	Introduction to Exceptional Children	3
MUH 205	Music in World Cultures - D2, SB	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences - S		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Arts & Humanities - AH		3
Hours		16

Spring		
MUTH 451	Music Therapy Internship - CUE	0
Hours		0
Minimum Total Hours		143

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Music Therapy with a track in Jazz Studies

Academic Plan Code(s): MUTHBM_JAZ

The four-year plan of study listed below is applicable for students who begin their academic programs in the fall semester of odd-numbered years (e.g., 2021, 2023, 2025, etc.).

Course	Title	Hours
Year 1		
Fall		
MUS 100	Introduction to Music Study	1

MUSA 105	Jazz Applied	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 141	Theory I	4
MUS 97	Recital Attendance (MUS 97-06)	0
MUS 131	Piano Class (or Music Elective)	1
MUTH 101	Introduction to Music Therapy	1
ENGL 101	Introduction to College Writing - WC	3
MUS 217	Class Guitar I for Music Therapy	2
Hours		15

Spring		
MUSA 106	Jazz Applied	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 142	Theory II	4
MUS 97	Recital Attendance (MUS 97-06)	0
MUS 132	Piano Class (or Music Elective)	1
MUS 138	Jazz Improvisation	2
MUTH 113	Clinical Applications I-Music & Leadership Techniques	0.5
ENGL 102	Intermediate College Writing - WC	3
MUS 218	Class Guitar II for Music Therapy	2
Hours		15.5

Year 2		
Fall		
MUSA 205	Jazz Applied	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 241	Musicianship III	2
MUS 97	Recital Attendance (MUS 97-06)	0
MUS 231	Piano Class III (or Music Elective)	1
MUS 297	Piano Proficiency	0
MUTH 201	Music Therapy Techniques I	3
MUTH 213	Clinical Applications II-Clinical Repertoire: Group	0.5
MUS 227	Voice Class	1
MUS 340	Jazz Improvisation II	2
General Education: Cardinal Core Quantitative Reasoning - QR		3
Hours		15.5

Spring		
MUSA 206	Jazz Applied	2
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 242	Musicianship IV	2
MUS 361	Introduction to Musicologies	3
MUS 97	Recital Attendance (MUS 97-06)	0
MUTH 202	Music Therapy Techniques II	3
MUTH 214	Clinical Applications III-Clinical Repertoire: Individual	0.5
PSYC 201	Introduction to Psychology - SB	3
Hours		14.5

Year 3		
Fall		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 362	Applying Musicologies	3
MUS 347 or MUS 349	Analysis I or Jazz Analysis	2
MUTH 301	Psychology of Music	3
MUTH 313	Clinical Applications IV-Advanced	0.5
MUTH 321	Practicum I-Treatment Planning	1
MUTH 325	Music Therapy Training Group I	1
MUS 356	Jazz Theory	2
General Education: Cardinal Core Oral Communication - OC		3
Hours		16.5

Spring		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 363	Engaging Musicologies	3
MUTH 302	Introduction to Research in Music Therapy	3
MUTH 322	Practicum II-Assessment and Outcomes	1

MUTH 326	Music Therapy Training Group II	1
MUS 219	Class Ukulele	1
MUS 351	Jazz Style & Analysis (MUS 351-01 Jazz Style and Analysis)	2
PSYC 308	Foundations of Psychopathology	3
Hours		15
Year 4		
Fall		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUS 130	Jazz Piano Class	1
MUS 198	Jazz Piano Proficiency	0
MUTH 431	Principles and Practices of Music Therapy I	3
MUTH 421	Practicum III-Professional Development	1
MUS 352	Jazz Repertoire	2
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences - S		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences Lab - SL		1
General Education: Cardinal Core Social & Behavioral Sciences Historical Perspective - SBH		3
Hours		15
Spring		
MUS 109	Major Ensembles	1
MUTH 328	Anatomy & Physiology for Music Therapy	3
MUTH 422	Practicum IV-Seminar	1
MUTH 432	Principles and Practices of Music Therapy II	3
MUSA 133	Functional Study	1
MUED 406 or MUED 506	Fundamentals of Music Technology for Teaching and Learning or Fundamentals of Music Technology for Teaching and Learning	1
MUH 214	African-American Music - D1, AH	3
PSYC 306	Life Span Developmental Psychology	3
Hours		16
Year 5		
Fall		
MUSA 134	Functional Study	1
MUS 355	The Evolution of Jazz	3
EDSP 240	Introduction to Exceptional Children	3
MUH 205	Music in World Cultures - D2, SB	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences - S		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Arts & Humanities - AH		3
Hours		16
Spring		
MUTH 451	Music Therapy Internship - CUE	0
Hours		0
Minimum Total Hours		139

The Flight Plan outlined above is intended to demonstrate one possible path to completing the degree within four years. Course selection and placement within the program may vary depending on course offerings and schedule, elective preferences, and other factors (study abroad, internship availability, etc.). Please consult your advisor for additional information about building a flight plan that works for you.

Degree Audit Report

Degree Audit reports illustrate how your completed courses fulfill the requirements of your academic plan, and which requirements are still outstanding. Degree audits also take transfer credits and test credits into account. "What-if" reports allow you to compare the courses you have completed in your current academic plan to the courses required in another academic plan. Should you have questions about either report, please consult with your academic advisor.

Flight Planner

The Flight Planner tool is available for you to create a personalized Flight Plan to graduation. Advisors have access to review your Flight Planner and can help you adjust it to ensure you remain on track to graduate in a timely manner.

To create these reports:

1. Log into your ULink account.
2. Click on the Academic Progress tile.
3. Select the appropriate report.
 - a. To run a Degree Audit report, click on "View my Degree Audit."
 - b. To create a What-if report, click on "What-if Advisement Report."
 - c. To run a Flight Planner report, click on "Use My Flight Planner."

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More information about certification or licensure is available at the following website: <https://louisville.edu/oapa/licensure-information> (<https://louisville.edu/oapa/licensure-information/>) (you may search by school or by the name of the program then click on 'View Details' to display the information).

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