



Transfer Guide
Appalachian State University:
All Music Majors

Transfer Guide for Associate in Fine Arts

Delivery Method: On-Campus

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Program Admissions Notes:

Students who wish to pursue a degree from the Hayes School of Music must audition before members of the appropriate applied music faculty for acceptance into the program in the semester prior to transferring. Music Industry Studies, Music Therapy, and Music Education have additional audition requirements. All students should refer to the “Prospective Students” tab on the Hayes School of Music website for more information about the audition process.

General Education Completion: It should be noted that completing the AFA does not guarantee general education requirements are met. If students complete general education courses, as listed in this transfer guide, they should have general education requirements met upon transferring to Appalachian

A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.25, from all college coursework, is required for admission to Appalachian. For complete transfer admission information and deadlines, please visit

<https://admissions.appstate.edu/apply/transfer-student>

College-Level Foreign Language Requirement:

Foreign language classes are not required for this major.

Major-Specific Course Recommendations: Students are encouraged to build the Community College course recommendations below into the associate degree to best prepare for the intended major.

Recommended CC Course	Credit Hours	University Equivalency	Associate Degree Requirement Fulfilled	University Requirement Fulfilled
MUS 151: Class Music I	1	MUS ELEC: MUS Elective Credit	Pre-Major/Elective	Required Course
MUS 121: Music Theory I	3	MUS ELEC: MUS Elective Credit	Pre-Major/Elective	Required Course
MUS 125: Aural Skills I	1	MUS ELEC: MUS Elective Credit	Pre-Major/Elective	Required Course
MUS 152: Class Music II	1	MUS ELEC: MUS Elective Credit	Pre-Major/Elective	Required Course
Ensemble Course	1	MUS ELEC: MUS Elective Credit	Pre-Major/Elective	Required Course

(Students must take 4 Ensemble Courses)				
MUS 122: Music Theory II	3	MUS ELEC: MUS Elective Credit	Pre-Major/Elective	Required Course
MUS 126: Aural Skills II	1	MUS ELEC: MUS Elective Credit	Pre-Major/Elective	Required Course
MUS 161: Applied Music I	2	MUS ELEC: MUS Elective Credit	Pre-Major/Elective	Required Course
MUS 162: Applied Music II	2	MUS ELEC: MUS Elective Credit	Pre-Major/Elective	Required Course

Remaining Associate Degree Requirements: In addition to major-specific course recommendations above, students should work with a community college advisor to select additional community college courses to fulfill the remaining associate degree requirements identified below.

Associate Degree Requirement	Credit Hours Needed	University Equivalency	University Requirement Fulfilled
ENG 111: Writing & Inquiry	3	R C 1000: Expository Writing	General Education
ENG 112: Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	R C 2001: Introduction to Writing Across the Curriculum	General Education
UGETC Math	4	ASU Equivalencies	General Education
UGETC Natural Science	8	ASU Equivalencies	General Education
UGETC Social/Behavioral Science (Choose ECO, POL, PSY, or SOC)	3	ASU Equivalencies	General Education
ART 114, ART 115, MUS 110, or MUS 112	3	ASU Equivalencies	General Education
SOC 213: Sociology of the Family	3	SOC 1110: Sociology of Intimate Relationships	General Education
COM 120: Interpersonal Communication	3	COM 2121: Interpersonal Communication	General Education
ACA 122: College Transfer Success	1	ELE CRED: ELECTIVE CREDIT	Elective
PED 110: Fit and Well for Life OR HEA 110: Personal Health & Wellness	2	PH 1105: Health and Fitness OR HPE 1000: Personal and Family Health	General Education
ENG 231, 232, 241, OR 242	3	ASU Equivalencies	General Education
HIS 111, 112, 131, OR 132	3	ASU Equivalencies	General Education
PSY 237: Social Psychology OR SOC 240: Social Psychology	3	PSY 2213: Survey of Social Psychology	General Education

Additional Information from University: *University can provide additional pertinent transfer information here. For example: preferred start semester at university, non-CAA course suggestions/options, notes about specific courses, etc.*

- Individual degree plans will be developed for each student majoring in a music degree.
- Transfer students should pursue opportunities that will allow them to continue their practice, so as to ensure preparedness for required audition and corresponding coursework.

Remaining Bachelor's Degree Requirements at University:

Junior & Senior years vary greatly from student to student. It is recommended that students contact the School of Music PRIOR to transferring for purposes of auditioning, advising, and course transfer.