



# BACHELOR OF MUSIC PERFORMANCE VOCAL CONCENTRATION AT EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

## GENERAL REQUIREMENTS: 40 HRS

### LANGUAGE: 9 HRS

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
<b>ENG 1001G</b> Composition & Language	3		
<b>ENG 1002G</b> Composition & Literature	3		
<b>CMN 1310G</b> Intro. to Speech Comm.	3		

### HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS: 9 HRS

One course must be Culturally Diverse. **MUS 3562** Non-Western Music Recommended as a Fine Arts General Education Course.

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
<b>MUS 3553G</b> Musical Masterworks	3		
Humanities Gen Ed	3		
Humanities / Fine Arts Gen Ed	3		

### SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE: 9 HRS

Must be from two different disciplines.

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
	3		
	3		
	3		

## MUSIC REQUIREMENTS: 87 HRS

(84 CREDIT HOURS + 3 DUPLICATE GENERAL EDUCATION HOURS)

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
<b>MUS 1102</b> Navigating the Music Major	1		

### MUSIC THEORY: 19 HRS

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
<b>MUS 1501</b> Comp. Musicianship I	4		
<b>MUS 1502</b> Comp. Musicianship II	4		
<b>MUS 2501</b> Comp. Musicianship III	4		
<b>MUS 2502</b> Comp. Musicianship IV	4		
<b>MUS 3542</b> Music Analysis: Post Tonal	3		

### MUSIC HISTORY: 9 HRS

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
<b>MUS 3553G</b> Musical Masterworks	3*		
<b>MUS 3584</b> Music History & Literature I	3		
<b>MUS 3585</b> Music History & Literature II	3		

### ADDITIONAL COURSES: 14 HRS

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
<b>MUS 2155</b> Conducting I	2		
<b>MUS 1070</b> Intro. to Music Technology	2		
<b>MUS 2203</b> Functional Skills in Piano I	1		
<b>MUS 2204</b> Functional Skills in Piano II	1		
<b>MUS 2205</b> Functional Skills in Piano III	1		
<b>MUS 2206</b> Functional Skills in Piano IV	1		
<b>MUS 2141</b> Vocal Diction I	1		
<b>MUS 2142</b> Vocal Diction II	1		
<b>MUS 4770</b> Vocal Literature	2		
<b>MUS 4601</b> Ind. Study in Ped. and Lit.	2		

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:

<input type="checkbox"/>	120 Semester Hours (SH)
<input type="checkbox"/>	40 SH of upper division courses (3000+)
<input type="checkbox"/>	42 SH in residence at EIU
<input type="checkbox"/>	32 SH junior-senior residency
<input type="checkbox"/>	12 SH senior residency
<input type="checkbox"/>	2.00 Cumulative GPA

## SCIENCE AWARENESS: 7 HRS

One biological and one physical science course, one of which must involve a lab. Four-credit PHY SCI is recommended.

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
<b>BIO</b> _____	3		
	4		

## MATHEMATICS: 3 HRS

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
	3		

## SENIOR SEMINAR: 3 HRS

After completion of 75 credits.

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
<b>EIU</b> _____	3		

## FOREIGN LANGUAGE: 0-8 HRS

Exempt if 2 yrs in high school with "C" average.

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER

## RECITAL ATTENDANCE: 2-4 SEMESTERS

Transfer students with 29 or fewer hours must complete **MUS 1103** (4) times; 30-59 transfer hours must complete **MUS 1103** (3) times; 60 or more transfer hours must complete **MUS 1103** (2) times.

SEMESTER	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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## APPLIED STUDY: 28 HRS OVER 8 SEMESTERS

All majors must enroll in Intermediate Applied Study. By the end of the sixth semester they must pass the Advanced Study Jury. Applied Study then continues at the advanced level.

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## ENSEMBLE: 8 HRS OVER 8 SEMESTERS

Choose from: **MUS 0230R, OR MUS 0231R**

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## RECITALS

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER
<b>MUS 2101</b> Sophomore Recital	AU		
<b>MUS 3101</b> Junior Recital	AU		
<b>MUS 4101</b> Senior Recital	AU		

## FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT: 8 HRS

This requirement is separate from the General Education Foreign Language Requirement.

COURSE	HOURS	GRADE	SEMESTER

\*duplicate hours from General Requirements

<input type="checkbox"/>	2.00 Major GPA
<input type="checkbox"/>	Senior Seminar (after 75 SH)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cultural Diversity
<input type="checkbox"/>	Application for Graduation (First semester junior year)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Electronic Writing Portfolio <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
	See <a href="http://www.eiu.edu/~assess/">www.eiu.edu/~assess/</a> for requirements

NAME	
E NUMBER	
CATALOG	
AS/AA/AFA DEGREE	
TRANSFER HOURS	

2025-2026

# BACHELOR OF MUSIC

## PERFORMANCE VOCAL CONCENTRATION

### SUGGESTED 4-YEAR SEQUENCE (CATALOG YEAR 2025-2026)

This is a generic semester-by-semester guide to completing your degree requirements. Please consult your academic advisor to determine whether this plan meets your particular academic needs and interests.

YEAR 1					
FALL			SPRING		
# <b>APPLIED STUDY</b>	Intermediate	2	# <b>APPLIED STUDY</b>	Intermediate	2
# <b>MUS 023XR</b>	Choral Ensemble	1	# <b>MUS 023XR</b>	Choral Ensemble	1
<b>MUS 1501</b>	Comprehensive Musicianship I	4	<b>MUS 1502</b>	Comprehensive Musicianship II	4
<b>MUS 1102</b>	Navigating the Music Major	1	<b>MUS 1103</b>	Recital Attendance	AU
<b>MUS 1070</b>	Introduction to Music Technology	2	^ <b>MUS 3553G</b>	Musical Masterworks	3
<b>ENG 1001G</b>	Composition and Language	3	<b>ENG 1002G</b>	Composition and Literature	3
			<b>CMN 1310G</b>	Introduction to Speech Communication	3
		Total	13	Total	
				Total	16
YEAR 2					
FALL			SPRING		
# <b>APPLIED STUDY</b>	Intermediate	4	# <b>APPLIED STUDY</b>	Intermediate	4
# <b>MUS 023XR</b>	Choral Ensemble	1	# <b>MUS 023XR</b>	Choral Ensemble	1
<b>MUS 1103</b>	Recital Attendance	AU	<b>MUS 1103</b>	Recital Attendance	AU
<b>MUS 2141</b>	<b>Vocal Diction I</b>	1	<b>MUS 2142</b>	<b>Vocal Diction II</b>	1
<b>MUS 2203</b>	Functional Skills in Piano I	1	<b>MUS 2204</b>	Functional Skills in Piano II	1
<b>MUS 2501</b>	Comprehensive Musicianship III	4	<b>MUS 2502</b>	Comprehensive Musicianship IV	4
<b>GEN XXXX</b>	Science (3-credit Bio. Science Recommended)	3	<b>MUS 3585/95</b>	Music History & Literature II	3
<b>MUS 3584/94</b>	Music History & Literature I	3	<b>MUS 2101</b>	Sophomore Recital	AU
		Total	17	Total	
				Total	14
YEAR 3					
FALL			SPRING		
# <b>APPLIED STUDY</b>	Intermediate or Advanced	4	# <b>APPLIED STUDY</b>	Intermediate or Advanced	4
# <b>MUS 023XR</b>	Choral Ensemble	1	# <b>MUS 020XR</b>	Choral Ensemble	1
<b>MUS 1103</b>	Recital Attendance	AU	<b>MUS 3101</b>	Junior Recital	AU
<b>MUS 2155</b>	Conducting I	2	<b>MUS 2206</b>	Functional Skills in Piano IV	1
<b>MUS 2205</b>	Functional Skills in Piano III	1	<b>WLX XXXX</b>	Foreign Language	4
<b>MUS 3542</b>	<b>Music Analysis: Post Tonal</b>	3	§ <b>GEN XXXX</b>	Humanities	3
<b>WLX XXXX</b>	Foreign Language	4	§ <b>GEN XXXX</b>	Humanities/Fine Arts	3
<b>GEN XXXX</b>	Mathematics	3			
		Total	18	Total	
				Total	16
YEAR 4					
FALL			SPRING		
# <b>APPLIED STUDY</b>	Advanced	4	# <b>APPLIED STUDY</b>	Advanced	4
# <b>MUS 023XR</b>	Choral Ensemble	1	# <b>MUS 023XR</b>	Choral Ensemble	1
<b>MUS 4770</b>	Vocal Literature	2	<b>MUS 4101</b>	Senior Recital	AU
~ <b>GEN XXXX</b>	Science (4-credit Physical Sci. Recommend.)	4	§ <b>GEN XXXX</b>	Social and Behavioral Sciences	3
§ <b>GEN XXXX</b>	Social and Behavioral Sciences	3	<b>MUS 4601</b>	Independent Study in Ped. and Lit.	2
§ <b>GEN XXXX</b>	Social and Behavioral Sciences	3	<b>EIU XXXX</b>	Senior Seminar	3
		Total	17	Total	
				Total	13

### TOTAL CREDITS:124 HRS

# Students must take applied study and an instrumental ensemble each semester in residence. Eight ensemble hours are required from MUS 0230R or MUS 0231.

Only required music ensembles may count towards graduation.

~ At least one biological and one physical science course, one of which must involve a lab.

§ At least one Cultural Diversity course is required. (MUS 3562G Non-Western Music is recommended.)

^ Also serves as Fine Arts General Education Course

**Courses in bold print are offered in alternate years.**

In order to graduate with an option in performance, students must earn a "C" or better in all music courses except those that are taken as electives. A failed music course may be repeated once to receive a passing grade as required by the degree program. Permission for a third attempt to pass the course may be granted upon approval of the instructor, advisor, and the department chair.