# PIANO PERFORMANCE

**Bachelor of Music - Music; Track:** Specialization in Piano Performance

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## College of Visual & Perf Arts

**Degree Specific Credits:** 87

**Required Cumulative GPA:** 2.75

**Catalog Year:** 2017-2018

**Note:** All degrees require 39 upper division credits.

## General Education Requirements

Information regarding these requirements can be found in the General Education Section ([http://catalog.umt.edu/academics/general-education-requirements](http://catalog.umt.edu/academics/general-education-requirements)) of the catalog.

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**Upper Division Writing Expectation**

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**Music Requirements for Literary & Artistic Studies**

- 3

**Music Requirements for Historic & Cultural Studies**

- 3

**Music Requirements for Indigenous & Global Perspectives**

- 3

**Music Requirements for Natural Sciences**

- 6

**Total Hours**

- 116-135

## 1st year

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** 1st year required: MUSI 195 2 credits each semester for a total of 4 credits first year.

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<td>MUSI 202L</td>
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**Total Hours**

- 15

**Minimum Required Grade:** C-

## 2nd year

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** 2nd year required:

- MUSI 295 3 credit each semester for a total of 6 credits first year.
- MUSI 102A is required for 1 credit each semester of the second year for a total of 2 credits.
- MUSI 296 Upper-Division Required Performance required to be completed to advance to upper division classes.

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<td>Performance Study (1 credit each semester)</td>
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<td>Music Theory III</td>
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<td>Aural Perception III</td>
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<td>MUSI 295</td>
<td>Applied Study II (3 credits each semester)</td>
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<td>MUSI 296</td>
<td>Piano Prof Assessment</td>
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<td>Music History I</td>
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**Total Hours**

- 22

**Minimum Required Grade:** C-

## 3rd year

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** 3rd year required:

- MUSI 395 4 credits each semester for a total of 8 credits third year.
- MUSI 335 or MUSI 336 for 2 credits.
- Piano principles must take MUSI 332 or MUSI 218 with PPA (at the discretion of Piano Faculty)

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<td>Advanced Functional Piano (piano principles must take or MUSI 218 with PPA)</td>
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<td>Practicum in Piano Pedagogy</td>
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<td>MUSI 335</td>
<td>Instrumental Conducting</td>
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<td>Form &amp; Analysis I</td>
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<td>MUSI 395</td>
<td>Applied Study III (4 credits each semester)</td>
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<td>MUSI 435</td>
<td>Piano Methods &amp; Materials I</td>
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**Upper-Division Course**

- 2

**Total Hours**

- 24-25

**Minimum Required Grade:** C-

## 4th year

**Rule:** All courses required

**Note:** 4th year required:

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Minimum Required Grade: C-
• MUSI 495 4 credits each semester for a total of 8 credits fourth year.
• MUSI 499 for two credits.
• MUSI 415, MUSI 416 or MUSI 417 Upper Division Writing Course for 3 credits,
• additional 2 credits upper division.

All students majoring in music are required to attend in a minimum of 100 approved recitals/concerts prior to graduation. During the 4th year in an undergraduate degree program and upon completion of this requirement, students should register for MUSI 388, 0 cr.

MUSI 388  Concert Attendance UM  0

Select one of the following:  3
  MUSI 415  Music 20th Century to Present
  MUSI 416  Topics in Music History
  MUSI 417  Cultural Studies in Music
  MUSI 432  Keyboard Literature
  MUSI 433  Keyboard Literature II
  MUSI 495  Applied Study IV (4 credits each semester)
  MUSI 499  Senior Recital/Capstone Pjt

Upper Division Course  2
Total Hours  21

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Upper Division Writing Expectation
Rule: One course for 3 credits

Select one of the following:  3
  MUSI 415  Music 20th Century to Present
  MUSI 416  Topics in Music History
  MUSI 417  Cultural Studies in Music

Total Hours  3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

1st and 2nd year Ensemble Requirements
Rule: One course each semester

All majors seeking an undergraduate degree in music and who are registered for 5 or more credits must participate in an ensemble specified by their degree curriculum each semester of residence of the regular school year. (See specific curricula for maximum ensemble credits applicable toward minimum degree requirements.)

MUSI 108A  Orchestra: UMSO  1
MUSI 112A  Choir  1
MUSI 114A  Band: UM Concert Band  1
MUSI 162A  Chamber Ensembles I  1
MUSI 191  Special / Experimental Courses (piano principals only)  1-9

Total Hours  5-13

Minimum Required Grade: C-

3rd and 4th year Ensemble Requirements
Rule: One course each semesterAll majors seeking an undergraduate degree in music and who are registered for 5 or more credits must participate in an ensemble specified by their degree curriculum each semester of residence of the regular school year. (See specific curricula for maximum ensemble credits applicable toward minimum degree requirements.)

MUSI 308  Orchestras II: UM  1
MUSI 362  Chmbr Ens III: UM  1
MUSI 391  Special / Experimental Courses (piano principals only)  1-9

Total Hours  3-11

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Music Requirements for Writing
Rule: All courses required

WRIT 101  College Writing I  3
Total Hours  3

Lower Division Writing Expectation
Rule: All courses required

MUSI 302H  Music History II  3
Total Hours  3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Music Requirements for Mathematics
Rule: Three credits required

Note: Mathematics - M Course 100 or above

Minimum Required Grade: C-

3 Total Credits Required

Music Requirements for Expressive Arts
Rule: See Commentary

Note: Expressive Arts - A Courses - (min. 3 credits) Ensembles and Sec. Lessons taken each semester satisfies this requirement.

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Music Requirements for Literary & Artistic Studies
Rule: See Commentary

Note: Literary and Artistic Studies - L Courses - (min. 3 credits) MUSI 202L taken in 1st year satisfies this requirement.

Minimum Required Grade: C-
Music Requirements for Historic & Cultural Studies
Minimum Required Grade: C-
3 Total Credits Required

Music Requirements for Indigenous & Global Perspectives
Rule: All courses required
Note: Indigenous and Global Perspectives - (min. 3 credits) Required
MUSI 207H

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<td>World Music (equiv to 307)</td>
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Total Hours 3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Music Requirements for Natural Sciences
Rule: All courses required
Note: Natural Science (for this perspective, 6 credits required and at least one course Must include a lab experience)
Minimum Required Grade: C-
6 Total Credits Required

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