



College of Music

B.M. Performance (Specialization: Voice)

2025-2026

This four-year plan provides a model for on-time completion of this UNT program. Texas Common Course Numbering System (TCCNS) show how course transfers apply to UNT degree requirements. The four-year plan also shows the first point when no TCCNS options are available for this program. See the current [Undergraduate Catalog](#) for course prerequisites. Course availability at UNT is subject to change, and the plan shown below may change based on updates to UNT's course offerings

First Year Fall		First Year Spring	
UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
UNT Core: Mathematics	See list of approved courses	ENGL 1320 or TECM 2700	ENGL 1302 or 2311
ENGL 1310	ENGL 1301	FREN 1010	FREN 1411
ITAL 1010	ITAL 1411	MUAG 1014	N/A
MUAG 1013	N/A	MUAG 1909	N/A
MUAG 1905	N/A	MUAM 1503	N/A
MUAM 1503	N/A	MULB 18xx ¹	N/A
MULB 18xx ¹	N/A	MUTH 1500	MUSI 1312
MUTH 1400	MUSI 1311	MUTH 1510	MUSI 1117
MUTH 1410	MUSI 1116	Elective	Consult UNT advisor

Second Year Fall		Second Year Spring	
UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
UNT Core: Life & Physical Sciences	See list of approved courses	MUAG 1907	N/A
GERM 1010	GERM 1411	MUAM 1503	N/A
MUAG 1906	N/A	MULB 18xx ¹	N/A
MUAM 1503	N/A	MUTH 2500	MUSI 2312
MULB 18xx ¹	N/A	MUTH 2510	MUSI 2117 or 2217
MUTH 2400	MUSI 2311	PHYS 1270	N/A
MUTH 2410	MUSI 2116 or 2216	Music Communication & Literature Course ²	MUSI 1307
Elective	Consult UNT advisor	Elective	Consult UNT advisor

¹ Up to 4 hours of **MULB** (music laboratory) can be received in transfer, no TCCNS values established. This degree requires a minimum of 8 semesters of **MULB** credit. Select from **MULB** 1801, 1802, 1803, 1815, or 1816 at UNT. All vocal performance majors must complete a choir placement audition for the academic year and participate in a choir determined by the choral studies faculty through the eighth semester of study. Students will remain in the ensemble into which they place for the entire academic year, pending the ensemble director's approval or graduation. Beginning with the ninth semester, assuming the mandated eight semesters of auditioned choral **MULB** participation has been complete for the degree, vocal performance majors may instead enroll in one of the following **MULB/MUEN** to fulfill the **MULB** requirement, pending approval of the director for each lab or ensemble: **MULB** 1811, 1820, **MUEN** 2626, 3040, 4530, 4585, or 4595 (all at UNT only). For the purpose of planning, students returning for a ninth semester will be asked, at the end of the eighth semester, to notify the Director of Choral Studies if they do not plan to return to their current auditioned choir.

² Select from **MUMH** 1610, 2050, 2060, 3100, or 3200.

Must pass the Piano Proficiency Exam or continue enrolling in secondary piano each long term/semester until the proficiency is passed.

*Must pass the Upper Division Exam to continue in applied study at the **MUAM** 3500 level.*



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MUAG 3800	N/A	UNT Core: Social & Behavioral Sciences	See list of approved courses
MUAM 3503	N/A	MUAG 4250	N/A
MUEN 3040	N/A	MUAM 3503	N/A
MULB 18xx ¹	N/A	MUMH 3510	N/A
MUMH 3500	N/A	MUEN 3040	N/A
MUTH 3410 or 3420	N/A	MULB 18xx ¹	N/A
PSCI 2305	GOVT 2305	PSCI 2306	GOVT 2306

Fourth Year Fall		Fourth Year Spring	
UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
UNT Core: American History	See list of approved courses	UNT Core: American History	See list of approved courses
MUAG 4300	N/A	MUAG 4210	N/A
MUAM 3503	N/A	MUAG 4712	N/A
MUCE 4000	N/A	MULB 18xx ¹	N/A
MUET 3030	N/A	Music History Course ³ (Advanced)	N/A
MULB 18xx ¹	N/A	Senior Vocal Course ⁴	N/A

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³ Select from **MUAG** 4070, 4072, or 4225 (all at UNT only).

⁴ Complete 3 hours from **MUAG** 4070, 4072, 4225, 4250, 4610, 4660 or **MUEN** 3040 (all at UNT only). This requirement cannot overlap with other vocal requirements and must be new hours (this may be more than one class).



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All students applying for the Performance degree in the College of Music must audition and be accepted on their major performing instrument (or voice). Auditions are held early in the spring semester for the following year's admittance. Lessons from any other school are not automatically equivalent to UNT lessons.

All Performance majors are required to pass the UNT Piano Proficiency exam for graduation. The lower-level courses in piano at UNT are designed to prepare students directly for this examination. Students who transfer in these courses are responsible for all content covered in UNT courses.

Performance majors also must pass the Upper Divisional exam in the principal instrument or voice.

Courses Recommended for Transfer

The UNT Core requirements are shown with Texas Common Course Numbering System values only when UNT offers equivalent courses. There may be other courses in transfer that apply toward the specific degree requirement, but those listed are known to apply.

UNT Core: Communication

ENGL 1301; and **ENGL 1302** or **2311**

A grade of 'C' or higher is required on courses applied toward this requirement.

ENGL 1301 and 1302 are recommended.

UNT Core: Mathematics

One course chosen from: **BUSI 2305**; **MATH 1324, 1325, 1332, 1342, 2312** or **2412, 2313** or **2413**

MATH 1332 is recommended.

UNT Core: Life and Physical Sciences

One course for this requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.M. Performance (Voice) major requirements. In addition, complete one course from the list below (Consult UNT advisor for more options).

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| • ANTH 2401 or 2301/2101 | • GEOL 1403 or 1303/1103 |
| • ASTR 1403 or 1303/1103 | • PHYS 1403 or 1303/1103 |
| • ASTR 1404 or 1304/1104 | • PHYS 1404 or 1304/1104 |
| • BIOL 1408 or 1308/1108 | • PHYS 1410 or 1310/1110 |
| • BIOL 2406 or 2306/2106 | • PHYS 1415 or 1315/1115 |
| • GEOL 1401 or 1301/1101 | |

UNT Core: American History

Two courses chosen from: **HIST 1301, 1302, 2301**

UNT Core: Government/Political Science

GOVT 2305 and **2306**

UNT Core: Creative Arts

This requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.M. Performance (Voice) major requirements.

UNT Core: Language, Philosophy and Culture

This requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.M. Performance (Voice) major requirements.

UNT Core: Social and Behavioral Sciences

One course chosen from: **ANTH 2346, 2351**; **BUSI 1307**; **COMM 1307**; **CRIJ 1301**; **ECON 2301** or **2302**; **GEOG 1303**; **PSYC 2301**; **SOCI 1301**; **SOCW 2361**; **SPCH 1318**; **TECA 1354**

UNT Core: Core Option Courses

This requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.M. Performance (Voice) major requirements.

Performance (Voice): Major Requirements

TCCNS options:

- **FREN 1411**
- **GERM 1411**
- **ITAL 1411**
- **MUSI 1116**
- **MUSI 1117**
- **MUSI 1307** (also fulfills the Creative Arts core requirement)
- **MUSI 1311**
- **MUSI 1312**
- **MUSI 2116** or **2216**
- **MUSI 2117** or **2217**
- **MUSI 2311**
- **MUSI 2312**

Courses listed above are TCCNS options and do not include all courses required for the B.M. Performance (Voice) major.

Performance (Voice): Additional Requirements

All non-keyboard majors must enroll in secondary piano each long term/semester until proficiency is passed.

Prior to the fifth term/semester, the student must have completed diction courses in English, Italian, German, and French, and one year of foreign language.

Presentation of a junior recital (one-half length).

Presentation of a senior recital that includes at least one piece in English, German, French, and Italian, and an aria from opera or oratorio.

Proficiency Exams:

- Piano Proficiency Examination
- Successful completion of the Upper Division Examination in applied lessons

Performance (Voice): Graduation Requirements

Completion of 20–32 hours in the major instrument/voice (the number of hours varies according to the instrument).

Completion of 6–16 hours supplementing the major instrument (literature, pedagogy, diction, chamber music, advanced conducting).

Demonstration of proficiency in solo playing in public recitals, and in ensemble and chamber music, as appropriate.

Presentation of all senior recital capstone requirements, content approved in advance and public performance graded by faculty. All proficiencies (including piano and the Upper Division Examination) must be met the semester before applying for the senior recital capstone.

Completion of 6–12 hours in upper-level **MUTH, MUMH, MUAG, MUET, MUCE, MUCP** and/or **MUJS**. Credit hours and courses vary by performance area.

Other music and general elective hours (see program outlines below for specific recommendations).

A total of 121–132 hours are required.



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College of Music: Admission Requirements

Admission to the College of Music is contingent on clear admission to the university. Those students who intend to be Performance majors must qualify by audition on their principal instrument or voice. Preference will be given to applications received by December 1 for fall admission. For additional procedures and opportunities, please contact the College of Music.

Students unable to audition in person may submit a recording representative of their performance abilities.

All students will have the opportunity to take a placement examination in piano after attending orientation.

Special Notes

Hours Required and General/College Requirements: A minimum of 130 semester hours, of which 42 must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Music degree as specified in the General University Requirements section of the UNT catalog and the College of Music requirements.

UNT Core Curriculum/Transfer of Core Curriculum: UNT complies with the mandate of the Texas Legislature regarding [Core requirements](#) for state-assisted institutions. Students who successfully complete the common core curriculum (in whole or in part) at a Texas state-assisted institution of higher education are eligible to transfer as “core complete” for those categories in the UNT University Core Curriculum.

Individual academic programs may require courses contained in parts of the University Core Curriculum. Students who wish to take courses that will fulfill both core and major/program requirements simultaneously should check with academic advisors for assistance in selecting core courses.

Choice of Catalog: Any student transferring directly from a Texas public community college to UNT shall have the same choice of catalog designating degree requirements as the student would have had if the dates of attendance at the university had been the same as the dates of attendance at the community college.

The College of Music required curriculum and policies are located in the [undergraduate catalog](#) under the corresponding catalog year.

For additional program and contact information, visit the College of Music Student Advising website at <https://music.unt.edu/advising>.