**Bachelor of Arts in Music**

Any student accepted for admission to CSUSB can declare music as major and pursue the BA in Music degree. Examinations and auditions are available for advanced placement only, not as an entrance requirement.

Applied instruction is available only to declared music majors. Students interested in applied composition (MUS 246) will be required to complete one year of applied vocal or instrumental music instruction (MUS 140 and MUS 145) as a prerequisite. Students in applied music technology (MUS 348) will be required to complete two years of applied vocal or instrumental music instruction (MUS 140, MUS 145, MUS 240, MUS 245) as a prerequisite.

Students may enroll in a maximum of four units at any one collegiate level of applied instruction (MUS 140, MUS 145, MUS 240, MUS 246, MUS 340, MUS 348, MUS 440, MUS 448). After four semesters at one level, students unable to satisfy completion requirements for that level will be counseled to select a major in a different discipline and will be denied enrollment in any higher level of applied instruction.

All students enrolled as full-time music majors in the BA in Music are required to participate each semester until graduation in a major performing ensemble most appropriate to a student's applied emphasis. Participation in one of the major performance organizations most appropriate to the student's applied emphasis is required each semester in residence with a maximum of eight units being applied to the major.

Four units of:
- MUS 1000 Music Forum
- MUS 5980 Senior Project

1. MUS 3500 double counts for General Education's upper-division C-category requirement.

Total Units 53

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**Requirements (53 units)**

**Total units required for graduation: 120**

**Requirements for the B.A. in Music**

(Program Code: MUS_)

**Music Theory (20)**

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**Additional Requirements (21)**

Piano proficiency must be demonstrated by completing one of the following:

- MUS 2230 Class Piano IV 1
- Or successful completion of credit by examination administered by the department.
- MUS 2660 Electronic Music Production 3

Four units chosen from the student's area of study:

- MUS 1400-MUS 1450 (1000-level Applied Study) 4
- MUS 2400-MUS 2460 (2000-level Applied Study) 8

Eight units chosen from:

- MUS 2000 Large Music Ensemble
- MUS 3800 Symphony Orchestra
- MUS 3810 Symphonic Band
- MUS 3850 Concert Choir
- MUS 3880 Women's Chorus
- MUS 3860 Chamber Singers

Participation in one of the major performance organizations most appropriate to the student's applied emphasis is required each semester in residence with a maximum of eight units being applied to the major.

Four units of:

- MUS 1000 Music Forum 4
- MUS 5980 Senior Project 1

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Total Units 53