FINE ARTS, JAZZ STUDIES OR MUSIC, ASSOCIATE IN FINE ARTS

JAZZ,MUSC

Knight Campus, Warwick; Day Program Only

CCRI is a member of the
National Association of Schools of Music (https://nasm.arts-accredit.org/)
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The Music and Jazz Studies concentrations prepare students for transfer to four-year colleges or universities. The two-year curriculum at CCRI is designed to provide music courses appropriate to the freshman and sophomore years in four-year bachelor's degree programs in music and jazz studies. The CCRI program helps prepare students for careers in professional performance, private music instruction, arranging (Jazz Studies) or music education in the classroom. The curriculum is sequential, and students enrolled in the degree program should work closely with an adviser from the Music faculty who is familiar with the program and its transfer requirements. CCRI Music and Jazz Studies graduates have transferred successfully to four-year colleges and universities both locally and nationally.

Note: Many courses require prerequisites, corequisites and/or testing. See course descriptions for details (https://catalog.ccri.edu/course-descriptions/).

Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
General Education Requirements		
ENGL 1010	Composition I (or ENGL 1010A)	3
ENGL 1040	World Literature to 16th Century	3
or ENGL 2040	World Literature from 16th Century	
Humanities Electives (https://catalog.ccri.edu/academic-information/general-education/course-attributes/#humngened/)		6
HIST 1010	Survey of Western Civilization I	3
HIST 1020	Survey of Western Civilization II	3
MATH 1139	Mathematics for Liberal Arts Students (or MATH 1139C)	3
Subtotal		21
Major Core Requirements (All Students)		
MUSC 1700	Music Theory I	3
MUSC 1710	Sight Singing and Ear Training I	1
MUSC	Applied Music [1]	8
MUSC 1030	Voice Class (Spring only) [2]	3
or MUSC 1130	String Class I	
MUSC 1800	Music Theory II	3
MUSC 1810	Sight Singing and Ear Training II	1
MUSC 1140	Piano Class I [3]	2
MUSC 1060	Music After 1750 (Fall only)	3
Piano Proficiency	Administered by the department (Must be passed)	
Concert Attendance [4]		
Subtotal		24
Concentration Requirements		
Select one of the following concentrations:		15-17
Jazz Studies Concentration		
Music Concentration		
Subtotal		15-17
Total Hours		**60-62**

1. 4 semesters of Major Instrument/Voice 1–4 at 2 credits/semester
Initial audition required
Additional fees apply for private lessons. Contact Performing Arts Department for audition information (cgmcclintock@ccri.edu?subject=Audition_Information).
2. Only one of these courses is required.
3. Keyboard majors may substitute a music elective.
4. Students attend five CCRI Music events on campus or CCRI Music field trips each semester or concerts at other nearby college/universities.

Please Note:

The requirements below are for the Music and Jazz Studies concentrations, Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) degree. *Where possible, take courses in the order they appear starting with the 1000 level and moving up to the 2000 level. Take a balance of fine arts and humanities courses each semester. Studio courses are demanding and require additional practice, so plan accordingly.* For detailed information, students should refer to this page *(*https://www.ccri.edu/performingarts/music/*).*

Music Concentration Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Select one of the following: [1]		4
MUSC 1200	Chamber Ensemble (Band)	
MUSC 1210	Chorus	
MUSC 1220	Chamber Singers^	
MUSC 1050	Music Before 1750	3
MUSC 2700	Music Theory III	3
MUSC 2710	Sight Singing and Ear Training III	1
MUSC 2800	Chromatic and Modern Music Theory IV	3
MUSC 2810	Sight Singing and Ear Training IV	1
Subtotal		15
Total Hours		**15**

1. Four semesters required – one credit each.

Total Music Program Credits 60

Jazz Studies Concentration Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
MUSC 1110	Jazz History	3
MUSC 1180	Jazz Ensemble [1]	4
MUSC 2070	Jazz Harmony I	2

MUSC 2090	Jazz Improvisation I	3
MUSC 2080	Jazz Harmony II	2
MUSC 2100	Jazz Improvisation II	3
Subtotal		17
Total Hours		**17**

[1] Four semesters – one credit each

Total Jazz Studies Program Credits: 62

Recommended Course Sequence - Jazz Studies Concentration

Course	Title	Hours
Year 1		
Semester 1		
MUSC 1700	Music Theory I [1]	3
MUSC 1710	Sight Singing and Ear Training I [1]	1
MUSC 1030	Voice Class [2]	3
MUSC	Applied Music Course	2
MUSC 1180	Jazz Ensemble [5]	1
ENGL 1010	Composition I (or ENGL 1010A)	3
MUSC 1110	Jazz History	3
	Hours	**13**
Semester 2		
MUSC 1800	Music Theory II [3]	3
MUSC 1810	Sight Singing and Ear Training II [3]	1
MUSC 1140	Piano Class I	2
MUSC 1180	Jazz Ensemble [5]	1
MUSC	Applied Music Course	2
ENGL 1040 or ENGL 2040	World Literature to 16th Century or World Literature from 16th Century	3
HIST 1010	Survey of Western Civilization I	3
	Hours	**15**
Year 2		
Semester 1		
MUSC 2070	Jazz Harmony I [1]	2
MUSC 2090	Jazz Improvisation I [1]	3
MUSC 1060	Music After 1750 [1]	3
MUSC 1180	Jazz Ensemble [5]	1
HIST 1020	Survey of Western Civilization II	3
MUSC	Applied Music Course	2
Humanities Elective (https://catalog.ccri.edu/academic-information/general-education/course-attributes/#humngened/)		3
	Hours	**17**
Semester 2		
MUSC 2080	Jazz Harmony II [3]	2
MUSC 2100	Jazz Improvisation II [3]	3
MUSC 1130	String Class I [4]	3
MUSC 1180	Jazz Ensemble [5]	1
MUSC	Applied Music Course	2
MATH 1139	Mathematics for Liberal Arts Students (or MATH 1139C)	3
Humanities Elective (https://catalog.ccri.edu/academic-information/general-education/course-attributes/#humngened/)		3
	Hours	**17**
	Total Hours	**62**

[1] Fall only.
[2] or String Class I (MUSC 1130) can be taken later
[3] Spring only
[4] if Voice Class (MUSC 1030) was not taken. Spring only.
[5] By audition, first week of classes.

Non-credit Requirements (Consult Music Faculty)

- Piano proficiency (https://catalog.ccri.edu/course-descriptions/) | Administered by the department; Must be passed
- Concert Attendance (https://catalog.ccri.edu/course-descriptions/) | Students attend five CCRI Music events on campus or CCRI Music field trips each semester or concerts at other nearby college/ universities.

Recommended Course Sequence - Music Concentration

Course	Title	Hours
Year 1		
Semester 1		
MUSC 1700	Music Theory I [1]	3
MUSC 1710	Sight Singing and Ear Training I [1]	1
MUSC 1030	Voice Class [2]	3
Select one of the following:		1
MUSC 1200	Chamber Ensemble (Band) [5]	
MUSC 1210	Chorus [5]	
MUSC 1220	Chamber Singers [5]	
MUSC	Applied Music Course	2
ENGL 1010	Composition I (or ENGL 1010A)	3
HIST 1010	Survey of Western Civilization I	3
	Hours	**13**
Semester 2		
MUSC 1800	Music Theory II [3]	3
MUSC 1810	Sight Singing and Ear Training II [3]	1
MUSC 1140	Piano Class I	2
Select one of the following:		1
MUSC 1200	Chamber Ensemble (Band) [5]	
MUSC 1210	Chorus [5]	
MUSC 1220	Chamber Singers [5]	
MUSC	Applied Music Course	2
ENGL 1040 or ENGL 2040	World Literature to 16th Century or World Literature from 16th Century	3
MUSC 1050	Music Before 1750	3
	Hours	**15**
Year 2		
Semester 1		
MUSC 2700	Music Theory III [1]	3
MUSC 2710	Sight Singing and Ear Training III [1]	1
MUSC 1060	Music After 1750 [1]	3

Select one of the following:		1
MUSC 1200	Chamber Ensemble (Band) [5]	
MUSC 1210	Chorus [5]	
MUSC 1220	Chamber Singers [5]	
MUSC	Applied Music Course	2
HIST 1020	Survey of Western Civilization II	3
Humanities Elective (https://catalog.ccri.edu/academic-information/general-education/course-attributes/#humngened/)		3
	Hours	**16**
Semester 2		
MUSC 2800	Chromatic and Modern Music Theory IV [3]	3
MUSC 2810	Sight Singing and Ear Training IV [3]	1
MUSC 1130	String Class I [4]	3
Select one of the following:		1
MUSC 1200	Chamber Ensemble (Band) [5]	
MUSC 1210	Chorus [5]	
MUSC 1220	Chamber Singers [5]	
MUSC	Applied Music Course	2
MATH 1139	Mathematics for Liberal Arts Students (or MATH 1139C)	3
Humanities Elective (https://catalog.ccri.edu/academic-information/general-education/course-attributes/#humngened/)		3
	Hours	**16**
	Total Hours	**60**

[1] Fall only
[2] or String Class I (MUSC 1130) later
[3] Spring only
[4] if Voice Class (MUSC 1030) was not taken
[5] By audition, first week of classes.

Transfer

If you are interested in earning a bachelor's degree, please meet with an Academic Advisor (https://ccri.edu/advising/) who can help you select the courses that best prepare you for transfer to a four-year college or university.

If you are interested in transferring to Rhode Island College or the University of Rhode Island, check out the Joint Admissions Agreement (https://ccri.edu/jaa/). Transfer information, events and articulations can be found on the Transfer Center website (https://ccri.edu/oes/transfer_center/).