

**Concord University**  
**B.S. in Interdisciplinary Studies – Music**  
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2025-2026 Catalog

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120 Semester hours minimum for graduation with a 2.00 average overall  
56 hours from a four-year institution

Course	Title	HRS	GR	QP
<b>Written and Oral Communications (9 credit hours) Select one course from BGEN 205 or COMM 101</b>				
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric I	3		
ENGL 102	Composition & Rhetoric II	3		
BGEN 205 or COMM 101	Fundamentals of Business Communication or Fundamentals of Speech	3		
<b>Literature and Humanities (6 credit hours) Select one (1) course from Literature and one (1) course from History and Philosophy. *May be repeated for 3 credit hours.</b>				
	<b>ENGL</b> 203 or 204	3		
	<b>HIST</b> 101, 102, 203, 204, <b>PHIL</b> 101, 308, 316, or 361	3		
<b>Fine Arts– (3 credit hours) Select one (1) course from the following:</b>				
MUS 101	<b>ART</b> 101, 103, 105, 106, 204, 205, 216, 303, 304, 308, <b>MUS</b> 101, *451, *453A, or <b>THEA</b> 102	3	See Major	
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 credit hours) Select one (1) course from three different categories.</b>				
	<b>Category 1 - Business and Professional Studies</b> BGEN 105, ECON 203, ECON 204, FIN 200, HSP 100 or SOWK 161	3		
	<b>Category 2 - Geography</b> GEO 100 or 221	3		
	<b>Category 3 - Political Science</b> POSC 101, 104, or 202	3		
	<b>Category 4 - Psychology</b> PSY 101 or 200			
	<b>Category 5 - Sociology</b> SOC 101, 201, or 301			
<b>Natural Sciences (7-8 credit hours) Select one (1) course from two different categories.</b>				
	<b>Category 1-Biological Science</b> BIOL 101, 102, 121, or 122	4		
	<b>Category 2-Earth &amp; Space Science</b> GEO 101, GEO 140 or 150, GEO 200, PHSC 104, or PHYS 105	3-4		
	<b>Category 3-Physical Science</b> CHEM 100, CHEM 101/111, PHSC 103, PHYS 101, or PHYS 201			
<b>Mathematics (3 credit hours) Select one (1) Mathematics course numbered 100 or higher.</b>				
		3		
<b>Physical Wellness (2 credit hours) Select one or more courses listed below for a total of at least two hours.</b>				
	<b>HS</b> 120, 304, <b>P ED</b> 101M, 117, or 118	2-3		
<b>Modern/Classical Language – (Optional 6 credit hours) Select two courses within the same Modern/Classical Language for substitution purposes.</b>				
	May not substitute Modern Language for ENGL 101, ENGL 102, the 3 hour Mathematics requirement or the 4-hour lab science requirement.			

<b>Music Core (2.50 GPA Required for Discipline) (30 Credit Hours)</b>				
MUS 101	Introduction to Music	3		
MUS 106	Music Theory I	3		
MUS 106A	Aural Theory I	1		
MUS 107	Music Theory II	3		
MUS 107A	Aural Theory II	1		
MUS 161	Class Piano I	1		
MUS 162	Class Piano II	1		
MUS 206	Music Theory III	3		
MUS 206A	Aural Theory III	1		
MUS 302	History and Analysis of Music I	3		
MUS 306	History and Analysis of Music II	3		
MUS 329	Music Theory IV: Scoring and Arranging	3		
MUS 329A	Aural Theory IV	1		
	<b>Choose from one of the following courses:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MUS 303 Music Education I - General</li> <li>• MUS 304 Music Education II – Choral</li> <li>• MUS 305 Music Education III – Instrumental</li> <li>• MUS 410 Conducting and Rehearsal Techniques</li> </ul>	3		
<b>Applied Music Lessons (4 credit hours total)</b>				
	<b>4 credit hours from the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MUS 310 High Brass</li> <li>• MUS 312 Low Brass</li> <li>• MUS 317 Woodwinds</li> <li>• MUS 318 Percussion</li> <li>• MUS 321 Piano*</li> <li>• MUS 322 Organ</li> <li>• MUS 323 Voice*</li> <li>• MUS 324 Fretted Instruments</li> <li>• MUS 325 Carillon</li> </ul>	1		
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<b>Note: Students who choose piano as their applied concentration are required to take two semesters of <b>MUS 323, Applied Music, Voice.</b></b>				
<b>Major Ensemble (6 credit hours total)</b>				
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	<b>6 credit hours from the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MUS 451 Collegiate Singers</li> <li>• MUS 453A Marching Band</li> <li>• MUS 453B Concert Band</li> </ul>	1		
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	(May be repeated)	1		
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Choose one or two additional disciplines below. Students have the option of developing additional areas of studies (must have a minimum of 12 credit hours of upper level courses).

<b>Option 1 (18 Credit Hours)</b> Business Administration (2.50 GPA Required for Discipline)				
ACCT 205	Principles of Accounting I	3		
FIN 311	Principles of Managerial Finance	3		
MGT 305	Principles of Management	3		
MGT 308	Human Resource Management	3		
MGT 314	Entrepreneurship I**	3		
MKT 305	Principles of Marketing	3		

\*\*Students are encouraged to also complete *MGT 400, Entrepreneurship II*

<b>Option 3 (18 Credit Hours)</b> Choice of Discipline (2.50 GPA Required for Discipline)				
	Students have the option of developing additional areas of studies. It must have a minimum of 12 credit hours of 300 or 400 level courses.	3		
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**RESIDENCE CREDIT:**

36 hours at Concord  
 16 of last 32 hours at Concord  
 Note: In some degree programs, this is prior to entering professional training.  
 9 hours in Major, Teaching Fields

**TOTAL MINIMUM REQUIRED CREDITS: 120**

**PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS: 58**

**GENERAL EDUCATION CREDITS: 36-38**

**ELECTIVE CREDITS: 24-26**

<b>Option 2 (18 Credit Hours)</b> Theatre Minor (2.50 GPA Required for Discipline)				
THEA 102	Introduction to Theatre	3		
THEA 316	Acting	3		
THEA	300 – 400 level	3		
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	Theatre Choice Course	3		
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