Sample Four-year Plan for Bachelor of Music (Vocal Performance Concentration)

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Fall Semester – First Year (2023)		Spring Semester – First Year (2024)	
ENGL 103/104/105 - CCF Written Communications	3-4	ENGL 104/105/195 - CCF Written Communication	3-4
VUSM FVT – Franciscan Values and Traditions	3	MUSC 107 – Aural Skills II	1
DANC 110 – Fundamentals of Dance	1	MUSC 137/139 - Ensemble (CCWOT Artistic Engagement)	1
MUSC 105 – Piano Proficiency	1	MUSC 152 – Music Theory II	3
MUSC 106 – Aural Skills I	1	MUSC 205 – Piano Proficiency II	1
MUSC 137/139 – Ensemble (CCWOT Artistic Engagement)	1	MUSC 237 – Diction I	2
MUSC 151 – Music Theory I ¹	3	MUSC 265 – Conducting	2
MUVO 171 – Applied Voice Lessons	1	MUVO 171 – Applied Voice Lessons	1
MUVO 172 – Applied Vocal Coaching	1	MUVO 172 – Applied Vocal Coaching	1
TOTAL CREDITS	15-16	TOTAL CREDITS	15-16
Fall Semester – Second Year (2024)		Spring Semester - Second Year (2025)	
CCWOT (Recommend Theological Inquiry)	3	VUSM LDW – Living in a Diverse World	3
MUSC 137/139 – Ensemble (CCWOT Artistic Engagement)	1	CCWOT (Recommend Natural Science)	4
MUSC 206 – Piano Proficiency III	1	MUSC 137/139 – Ensemble	1
MUSC 207 – Aural Skills III	1	MUSC 238 – Diction II	2
MUSC 251 – Theory III (CCWOT Quantitative Literacy)	3	MUVO 171 – Applied Voice Lessons	1
MUVO 171 – Applied Voice Lessons	1	MUVO 172 – Applied Vocal Coaching	1
MUVO 172 – Applied Vocal Coaching	1	THTR 319 – Theatre Practicum	1
THTR 107 – Acting: Fundamentals	3	General Elective/Minor ²	3
TOTAL CREDITS	14	TOTAL CREDITS	16
Fall Semester – Third Year (2025)		Spring Semester – Third Year (2026)	
VUSM SJE – Social Justice and Equity	3	CCWOT (Recommend Integrating Faith and Practice)	3
CCWOT (Recommend Philosophical Inquiry)	3	CCWOT (Recommend Social Sciences)	3
MUSC 327 – Music History I (CCF Oral Communication)	3	CNSV 350 – Voice Half Recital	1
MUSC 337/339 – Ensemble	1	MUSC 328 – Music History II (CCF Written Communication II, CCWOT Historical Analysis)	3
MUSC 420 – Vocal Pedagogy	3	MUSC 337/339 – Ensemble	1
MUVO 371 – Applied Voice Lessons	1	MUVO 371 – Applied Voice Lessons	1
MUVO 372 – Applied Vocal Coaching	1	MUVO 372 – Applied Vocal Coaching	1
		THTR 319 – Theatre Practicum	1
		General Elective/Minor ²	2
TOTAL CREDITS	15	TOTAL CREDITS	16
Fall Semester – Fourth Year (2026)		Spring Semester - Fourth Year (2027)	
CCWOT (Recommend Literary Analysis)	3	VUSM TEL – The Ethical Life	3
MUSC 337/339 – Ensemble	1	CNSV 440 – Voice Full Recital	2
MUSC 332 – Survey of Song Literature	2	MUSC 337/339 – Ensemble	1
MUSC 453 – Arranging	2	MUSC 465 - Opera Literature	2
MUVO 371 – Applied Voice Lessons	1	MUTH 300 – Acting Through Song	3
MUVO 372 - Applied Vocal Coaching	1	MUVO 371 – Applied Voice Lessons	1
THTR 319 – Theatre Practicum	1	MUVO 372 – Applied Vocal Coaching	1
General Elective/Minor ²	3	General Elective/Minor ²	2

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Sample Four-year Plan for Bachelor of Music (Piano Performance Concentration)

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Fall Semester – First Year (2023)		Spring Semester – First Year (2024)	
ENGL 103/104/105 - CCF Written Communications	3-4	ENGL 104/105/195 - CCF Written Communication	3-4
VUSM FVT – Franciscan Values and Traditions	3	CCWOT (Recommend Natural Science)	4
CCWOT (Recommend Theological Inquiry)	3	MUSC 107 – Aural Skills II	1
MUSC 105 – Piano Proficiency	1	MUSC 137/139 – Ensemble (CCWOT Artistic Engagement)	1
MUSC 106 – Aural Skills I	1	MUSC 152 – Music Theory II	3
MUSC 137/139 – Ensemble (CCWOT Artistic Engagement)	1	MUSC 205 – Piano Proficiency II	1
MUSC 151 – Music Theory I ¹	3	MUSC 265 – Conducting	2
MUPI 171 – Applied Piano Lessons	1	MUPI 171 – Applied Piano Lessons	1
TOTAL CREDITS	16-17	TOTAL CREDITS	16-17
Fall Semester – Second Year (2024)		Spring Semester - Second Year (2025)	
VUSM LDW – Living in a Diverse World	3	CCWOT (Recommend Philosophical Inquiry)	3
CCWOT (Recommend Social Sciences)	3	MUSC 137/139 – Ensemble	1
MUSC 137/139 – Ensemble (CCWOT Artistic Engagement)	1	MUPI 171 – Applied Piano Lessons	1
MUSC 206 – Piano Proficiency III	1	General Elective/Minor ²	3
MUSC 207 – Aural Skills III	1	General Elective/Minor ²	3
MUSC 251 – Theory III (CCWOT Quantitative Literacy)	3	General Elective/Minor ²	3
MUPI 171 – Applied Piano Lessons	1		
General Elective/Minor ²	1		
TOTAL CREDITS	14	TOTAL CREDITS	14
Fall Semester – Third Year (2025)		Spring Semester – Third Year (2026)	_
VUSM SJE - Social Justice and Equity	3	CCWOT (Recommend Integrating Faith and Practice)	3
MUSC 308 – Piano & Harpsicord Accompanying	2	CNSV 355 - Piano Half Recital	1
MUSC 327 – Music History I (CCF Oral Communication)	3	MUSC 328 – Music History II (CCF Written Communication II, CCWOT Historical Analysis)	3
MUSC 337/339 – Ensemble	1	MUSC 333 – Keyboard Literature	3
MUPI 371 - Applied Piano Lessons	1	MUSC 337/339 – Ensemble	1
General Elective/Minor ²	3	MUPI 371 – Applied Piano Lessons	1
General Elective/Minor ²	3	General Elective/Minor ²	3
TOTAL CREDITS	16	TOTAL CREDITS	15
Fall Semester – Fourth Year (2026)		Spring Semester – Fourth Year (2027)	
CCWOT (Recommend Literary Analysis)	3	VUSM TEL – The Ethical Life	3
MUSC 337/339 – Ensemble	1	CNSV 455 - Piano Full Recital	2
MUSC 433 - Piano Pedagogy	3	MUSC 337/339 – Ensemble	1
MUSC 453 – Arranging	2	MUPI 371 – Applied Piano Lessons	1
MUPI 371 – Applied Piano Lessons	1	General Elective/Minor ²	3
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