

Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) Degree Requirements – Music Option

Semester Credits in General Education Core Curriculum: ~~44~~ **28-32**

Music Option Requirements: ~~54~~ **31-35 Semester Credits**

Total semester credits Required: ~~404~~ **64-68.**

IAI numbers given when available. For other courses, new numbers needed. This list will be verified against the final submissions and additions of IAI-approved courses and semester conversion course numbers in each category.

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS: ~~40~~ **28-29 semester credits**
All courses used to fulfill General Education Core Curriculum Requirements must be IAI-approved.

Communication: ~~44~~ **9 semester credits**

Written (~~9~~ **6 semester credits**): English IAI C1 900 and IAI C1 901R. Grade of "C" or higher required for all three courses.

Oral (~~5~~ **3 semester credits**): IAI C2 900. A grade of "C" or higher is required.

Physical/Life Sciences: ~~40~~ **7-8 semester credits**

Select one course from Life Sciences and one course from Physical Sciences. Choose only one course from the list of same IAI numbers for general education credit. Additional courses with the same IAI number will count as elective credit toward your degree.

At least one course must have a laboratory component. Students with sufficient preparation may select from IAI science majors courses. Check with www.itransfer.org.

Life Sciences: Laboratory courses: Anatomy and Physiology IAI L1 904L; Biology IAI L1 900L, IAI L1 905L, Botany IAI L1 901L; Microbiology IAI L1 903L;

Non-laboratory courses: IAI L1 906

Physical Sciences: Laboratory courses: Chemistry IAI P1 902L, IAI P1 903L; Earth Science IAI P1 905L, IAI P1 906L, IAI P1 907L; Non-laboratory courses: P1 905

Physics Laboratory courses IAI P1 900L, IAI P2 900L

Mathematics: ~~5~~ **3-5 semester credits**

Mathematics IAI M1 900, IAI M1 900-1, IAI M1 900-2, IAI M1 900-3, IAI M1 901, IAI M1 902*, IAI M1 903, IAI M1 904, IAI M1 905, M1 906; Psychology M1902*; Sociology M1902*.

*Only one of these courses may count toward overall degree requirement credit.

Humanities/Fine Arts: ~~40~~ **6-7 semester credits**

Select at least one course from Humanities and at least one course from Fine Arts.

Humanities: Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Russian, or Spanish IAI H1 900; English IAI H3 900, IAI H3 901, IAI H3 902, IAI H3 903, IAI H3 905, IAI H3 907, IAI H3 910D, IAI H3 911D, IAI H3 912, IAI H3 913, IAI H3 914, IAI H3 915, IAI H5 901, IAI H9 901, IAI HF 908; German IAI H3 909; History IAI H2 901, IAI H2 902, IAI H2 903N; Humanities IAI H9 900, IAI HF 904N, IAI HF 906D; Philosophy IAI H4 900, IAI H4 901, IAI H4 904, IAI H4 905, IAI H4 906, IAI H5 904N; Religious Studies IAI H4 903N, IAI H5 900, IAI H5 901, IAI H5 904N.

Fine Arts: *Fine Arts:* Art IAI F2 900, IAI F2 901, IAI F2 902, IAI F2 903N; English IAI F2 905, IAI F2 908, IAI HF 908; Humanities IAI F9 900, IAI HF 904N, IAI HF 906D; Theater IAI F1 907.

Social and Behavioral Sciences: 5 3 semester credits

Anthropology IAI S1 901N, IAI S1 902, S1 903, IAI S1 904D; Economics IAI S3 901, IAI S902; Geography IAI S4 900N, IAI S4 901, IAI S4 903N, IAI S4 903N; History IAI S2 900, IAI S2 901, IAI S2907N, IAI S2 916N; Political Science IAI S5 900, IAI S5 903, IAI S5 904N, IAI S5 905; Psychology IAI S6 900, IAI S6 902, IAI S6 903, IAI S6 904, IAI S6 905, IAI S8 900; Sociology IAI S7 900, IAI S7 901, IAI S7 902, IAI S7 903D, IAI S7 904D.

ADDITIONAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Human Relations: Complete one course.

Anthropology IAI S1 901N, IAI S1 904D; Education 101, 105, 110; English 160, 165; Humanities IAI HF 906D; Management 220; Office Technology Information 285 (O); Philosophy IAI H4 904, 112, 114; Psychology IAI S8 900, IAI S6 905, 150; Sociology IAI S7 900, IAI S7 903D, IAI S7 904D; Speech 120, 250.

Complete one course from the Contemporary Life Skills OR ~~International/Intercultural~~ **Global/Multicultural** Studies categories.

~~International/Intercultural~~ Global/Multicultural Studies:

Anthropology IAI S1 901N, IAI S1 902, IAI S1 904D; Art IAI F2 903N; Business 150; Chinese 100, 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; Economics 220; English IAI H3 910D, IAI H3 907, 160; French 100, 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900, 290; Geography IAI S4 901, IAI S4 902N, IAI S4 903N, 222, 235; German 100, 101, 102, 103, IAI H3 909, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; History IAI H2 903N, IAI S2 907N, 212, 213, 222, 232; Human Services 121 (O); Humanities IAI HF 904N; Italian 100, 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; Japanese 100, 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; Korean 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; Philosophy IAI H5 904N; Political Science IAI S5 904N, IAI S5 905, 221; Religious Studies IAI H5 900, IAI H4 903N, IAI H5 904N; Russian 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; Sociology IAI S7 901, IAI S7 902, 260; Spanish 100, 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900, 290.

Contemporary Life Skills: Accounting 111 (O); Advertising, Design and Illustration 115 (O), 141 (O), 151 (O); Air Conditioning 100 (O); Allied Health 110 (O), 230 (O), 240 (O); Architectural Technology 105 (O), 121 (O); Architecture 100 (O); Art 101 (T), 151 (T), 221 (T), 231 (T), 266 (T); Automotive Service Technology 100 (O); Aviation 141 (O); Business 100 (T); Child Care 110 (O); Computer Information Systems 100 (T), 101 (O), 105 (O), 106 (O), 110 (T); Cooperative Education 271 (T), 272 (T), 273 (T); Criminal Justice 112 (O); DMT 121 (O), 131 (O); Economics 110 (T); Education 100 (T), 105 (T), 110 (T), 115 (T); English 251 (T), 252 (T), 253 (T), 261 (T); Electro-Mechanical Technology 100 (O), 101 (O), 112 (O), 130 (O); Engineering 110 (O); Foodservice Administration 110 (O); Graphic Arts Technology 100 (O), 101 (O), 180 (O); Human Services 113 (O), 115 (O), 135 (O); Journalism 100 (T), 110 (T), 210 (T); Interior Design 131 (O), 234 (O); Library Technology 101 (O); Manufacturing 105 (O), 171 (O), 180 (O), 190 (O), 280 (O); Multimedia Arts 100 (O); Office Technology Information 100 (O); Photography 100 (O); Physical Education 150 to 159 (T), 236 (T), 238 (T), 244 (T), 250 (T), 254 (T); Psychology 140 (T), 150 (T); Social Science 110 (T); Sociology 290 (T); Speech 120 (T).
(O) Occupational/Vocational credit
(T) General Elective credit

MUSIC REQUIREMENTS: ~~60~~ **31-35 semester** credits

Music Core Courses:

Theory, Keyboard, Aural Skills: ~~35~~ **16-20 semester** credits

IAI MUS 901 4-5 semester credits

IAI MUS 902 4-5 semester credits

IAI MUS 903 4-5 semester credits

IAI MUS 904 4-5 semester credits

Music Literature/History ~~5 credits~~ **3 semester** credits

IAI MUS 905.

Music Ensemble Courses: ~~Minimum 6 credits~~ **4 semester** credits

IAI MUS 908 Take one each term for a total of 4 semester hours

Applied Music Courses: ~~42~~ **8 semester** credits

IAI MUS 909 Take one each term for a total of 8 semester credits

ADDITIONAL SPECIFICATIONS:

Complete all requirements for all associate's degrees, including the AFA.

Earn no more than ~~40~~ **6 semester** credits in History in the Humanities and Social and Behavioral sciences categories combined for general education credit.

Earn no credit with a satisfactory/fail grade option.

Complete at least one course from the Human Relations list.

Complete at least one course from the Contemporary Life Skills or ~~International/Intercultural~~ **Global/Multicultural** categories.

~~Earn credits in the Communication, Physical/Life Sciences, Mathematics, Humanities, and Social and Behavioral Sciences categories only with a letter grade and not with a satisfactory/fail grade.~~

General Education Core Curriculum courses must be taken with a letter grade and not with a satisfactory/fail grade.

(Note: the Degree Requirements Committee believes that this wording clarifies the categories that must be taken with a letter grade.)

Earn no more than ~~65~~ **42 semester** credits for the Communication, Physical/Life Sciences, Mathematics, Humanities, and Social and Behavioral Sciences categories by demonstrated competence through the Advanced Placement Program (AP) , the subject examinations of the College Level Examination Program (CLEP) and the College of DuPage Proficiency Through an Instructor Program.

Show keyboarding proficiency by demonstrated competence through the College of DuPage Proficiency Through an Instructor Program. See a Music adviser for further information.

Notes: Although designed as a transfer degree, the AFA degree does not ~~meet~~ **complete** the requirements of the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) General Education Core Curriculum to meet all lower division general education requirements at participating schools.

Transfer admission is competitive. Students will need to fulfill the General Education requirements of the school to which they transfer. Completion of the AFA does not guarantee admission either to a baccalaureate program or to upper division music courses. Students may be required to demonstrate their skill level through audit, placement test or performance reviews. Students are encouraged to complete the AFA degree prior to transferring.