

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS IN MUSIC FOR TRANSFER

Through study in Music and through completion of the college's Associate in Arts in Music for Transfer degree (AA-T), this degree program prepares the student to transfer to a California State University Music Program. Completing this degree along with the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or the California State University General Education – Breadth Requirements to total 60 units with a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 and a C in all classes assigned to the major will satisfy the requirements for transfer into corresponding departments at CSUs. Priority admission with junior status to the CSU system will be granted. Students completing this degree are exempt from Mendocino College Institutional Requirements. Please check with a counselor for more specific transfer information.

Required Courses – Major:

		Units
MUS 201A	Music Theory/Musicianship I	4
MUS 201B	Music Theory/Musicianship II	4
MUS 202A	Music Theory/Musicianship III	4
MUS 202B	Music Theory/Musicianship IV	4
MUS 250	Applied Music – Individual Instruction	4

(Applied Music must be taken four times for a total of four units)

Plus 4 additional units selected from the following repeatable courses:

		Units
MUS 256	Jazz Band	1
MUS 272	Symphonic Band	1
MUS 276	Chamber Orchestra	1
MUS 278	Symphony Orchestra	1
MUS 280	Masters Chorale	1
MUS 281	Concert Choir I	1
MUS 285	Vocal Jazz Ensemble	1

Total Major Units

24

Total Degree Units

60

Program Level Student Learning Outcomes:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of the fundamental melodic, harmonic, and rhythmic structure of music through Music Theory.
2. Demonstrate fluency with the language of music in written and aural form through Musicianship.
3. Perform on their instrument (or voice) at college sophomore level.
4. Perform effectively in a musical ensemble through their major performing ensemble.

Career Opportunities in MUSIC

Completing baccalaureate degree or graduate level work can lead to a variety of opportunities including choir director, teacher, vocalist, entertainer, composer, lyricist, music therapist, music librarian, entertainer, arranger, composer or accompanist.

Associate Degree for Transfer Requirements:

- Completion of 60 semester units or 90 quarter units of degree-applicable courses,
- Minimum overall grade point average of 2.0,
- Minimum grade of “C” (or “P”) for each course in the major, and
- Completion of IGETC and/or CSU GE-Breadth.