

2024 --- WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY --- CURRICULUM CONTRACT --- 2024**423 Minor in Music (24 hours)**Advisor: Dr. Emily Britton – FAC 333 – (270) 745-3751- emily.britton@wku.edu

To declare a Minor in Music students must follow the procedures defined below:

1. **Apply to the Music Program** by completing the online application at: <https://www.wku.edu/music/music-app.php> Please select “Music Minor” in the drop down menu titled “Intended College Major”.
2. **Select/Arrange an Audition Date.** Auditions for the upcoming Fall semester usually take place in February and are noted in the application. If you are already on campus and are submitting your application in the Fall Semester, the dates on the application may not apply; Email the advisor for alternate audition date options.
3. **Receive Audition Outcomes** (score and applied music eligibility). Audition outcomes will determine if you will or will not be accepted into the music minor. Note: music minor auditions are not as rigorously evaluated as music major auditions. They serve to assess the student’s readiness for minor level applied lessons.
4. Upon acceptance, **meet with the Music Minor advisor** (listed on the following page) and complete the Change of Major/Minor form on TopNet.
5. **Register** for music course(s), ensembles(s), and lessons as advised.

REQUIRED MUSIC COURSES

MUS 102 Music Theory I for Non-Majors	3
MUS 103 Music Theory II for Non-Majors	3
MUS 120 Music Appreciation	3
MUS 150 Applied Secondary Lessons	1
MUS 350 Applied Secondary Lessons	1
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MUS 34 Ensemble	1
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TOTAL REQUIRED MUSIC COURSES	15

ELECTIVE HOURS

Music Elective 300-400 level	
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TOTAL REQUIRED ELECTIVE COURSES	9

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MINOR TOTAL	24

*Any MUS course will count as an elective, but only 2 of the 9 hours may be at the 100-200 level. Elective classes can include ensembles, applied lessons, theory, composition, music history, literature, conducting, methods, or techniques.

** One-half of the required 24 hours must be at the upper division level (300-400)