

**WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY**  
 COLLEGE OF FINE, PERFORMING AND COMMUNICATION ARTS  
 DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

### Four-Year Sample Plan for Jazz Studies

The following sample plan is for reference only. WSU students are provided with a personalized plan of work that is designed in consultation with their assigned advisor. Please refer to the curriculum guide for a list of requirements.

#### First Year – FALL Semester

Course #	Title	Cr
MUA 1795	Piano Skills 1	2
MUT 1140*	Theory 1	3
MUT 1150*	Ear Training 1	1
MUA 0900	General Lectures & Concerts	0
MUP 13X1	Jazz Principal Applied Music	1
MUA 2820/2822	Major Ensemble	1
MUA 2826	Jazz Combos	1
ENG 1020*	Intro College Writing (BC)	3
FPC 1010	Math for the Arts (QE)	3
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

#### First Year – WINTER Semester

Course #	Title	Cr
MUA 2795	Piano Skills 2	2
MUT 1160	Theory 2	3
MUT 1170	Ear Training 2	1
MUA 0900	General Lectures & Concerts	0
MUP 13X2	Jazz Principal Applied Music	1
MUA 2820/2822	Major Ensemble	1
MUA 2826	Jazz Combos	1
MUH 1345	Music Cultures (GL)	3
ENG 3010	Intermediate Writing (IC)	3
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

*\*Courses marked with an asterisk require placement or a pre-requisite course.*

#### Second Year – FALL Semester

Course #	Title	Cr
MUH 3310	Music History & Literature 1	3
MUT 2140	Theory 3	3
MUT 2150	Ear Training 3	1
MUA 0900	General Lectures & Concerts	0
MUP 13X3	Jazz Principal Applied Music	1
MUA 2820/2822	Major Ensemble	1
SOC 1010	Understanding Hum. Soc. (SS)	3
MUT 2885	Jazz Improvisation 1	1
MUA 3795	Advanced Piano Skills	2
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

#### Second Year – WINTER Semester

Course #	Title	Cr
MUH 3320	Music History & Literature 2	3
MUT 2160	Theory 4	3
MUT 2170	Ear Training 4	1
MUT 2120	Jazz Theory and Harmony	3
MUA 0900	General Lectures & Concerts	0
MUP 13X4	Jazz Principal Applied Music	1
MUA 2820/2822	Major Ensemble	1
MUT 2887	Jazz Improvisation 2	1
COM 1010	Oral Communication (OC)	3
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>16</b>

## Four-Year Sample Plan for Jazz Studies, continued

### Third Year – FALL Semester

Course #	Title	Cr
MUH 3330	Music History & Literature 3	3
MUT 5110	Jazz Arr. and Comp. 1	3
MUH 3360	Jazz History (DEL)	3
MUP 33X1	Jazz Principal Applied Music	1
MUA 2820/2822	Major Ensemble	1
PHY 3100	Sounds of Music (NSI w/lab )	4
	<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>

### Third Year – WINTER Semester

Course #	Title	Cr
MUT 5997	Analytical Techniques	3
MUT 5120	Jazz Arr. and Comp. 2	3
MUP 33X2	Jazz Principal Applied Music	1
MUA 2820/2822	Major Ensemble	1
MUA 2500	Music Technology	3
PSY 1020	Elements of Psychology (NSI)	3
	<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>14</b>

### Fourth Year – FALL Semester

Course #	Title	Cr
MUP 43X3	Jazz Major Applied Music	3
MUT 3200	Intermediate Composition 1	2
MUT 5130	Jazz Arr. and Orch.	3
MUA 2820/2822	Major Ensemble	1
MUA 3670	Conducting Techniques 1	2
MUA 2510	Recording Techniques 1	2
MUA 5600	Music Business 2	3
	<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>16</b>

### Fourth Year – WINTER Semester

Course #	Title	Cr
MUA 5690	Stage Band Direction	1
MUP 43X4	Jazz Major Applied Music	3
MUA 2820/2822	Major Ensemble	1
MUP 4480	Senior Recital	0
PS 1010	American Government (CIV)	4
PHI 3700	Philosophy of Art (CI)	3
	Elective	2
	<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>14</b>

**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 120**