

Bachelor of Music: Performance (Trumpet, Horn, Trombone, Tuba)

[rev. Fall 2023]

Course Requirements

Recommended Course Distribution

Hrs.		Fresh	Soph	Junior	Senior
48	Principal Private Study	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 6
4	APST 110/111 (Class Piano) ¹				
16	Large ensemble electives ²	2 2	2 2	2 2	2 2
8	Small ensemble electives ³	- 2	- 2	- 2	2 -
8	APST 713 (Brass Ensemble)	2 2	2 2	- -	- -
8	APST 804 (Orchestral Repertoire)	- -	- -	2 2	2 2
8	MUTH 131, 132 (Music Theory) ⁴	4 4	- -	- -	- -
8	MUTH 250-299 (Music Theory) ⁵	- -	4 4	- -	- -
8	MUTH 101, 102, 201, 202 (Aural Skills)	2 2	2 2	- -	- -
4	Upper-Division Music Theory electives	- -	- -	4 -	- -
4	MHST 101	4 -	- -	- -	- -
8	Musicology electives	- -	- -	4 -	- 4
32	Liberal Arts electives	- 4	4 4	4 4	8 4
4	Free electives ⁶	- -	- -	- 4	- -
168		22 24	20 22	22 20	20 18

Non-Course Requirements

Private Study Committee Exams:

First Major Committee	-	√	-	-	-	-
Second Major Committee	-	-	-	√	-	-
Third Major Committee	-	-	-	-	√	-

Performance Requirement:

Junior Recital ⁷	-	-	-	-	√	-
Senior Recital ⁷	-	-	-	-	-	√

¹ The Class Piano requirement must be completed before the senior recital may be scheduled.

² Students must participate in the Large Ensemble program (Oberlin Orchestra; Chamber Orchestra; Oberlin Sinfonietta; Contemporary Music Ensemble) every semester in residence as assigned. Double-degree students are expected to participate for the first consecutive eight semesters in residence. Transfer students are expected to register every semester on campus.

³ Small Ensemble credits to be chosen from APST 800 (Chamber Music), APST 805 (Contemporary Chamber Music), and APST 280 (Prima Vista Group Reading-Woodwind Quintet). Only two credits of APST 280 will be applied toward the major small ensemble requirements.

⁴ A music theory placement test score of 80 or higher is a prerequisite for MUTH 131. Students with lower scores must successfully complete MUTH 120 before taking MUTH 131.

⁵ At least one of the two MUTH 250-299 courses must have the post-tonal attribute. All MUTH 250-299 classes require successful completion of MUTH 132 as a prerequisite. All 300- and 400-level MUTH courses require completion of two 250-299 courses as a prerequisite.

⁶ Students may register for any credited Conservatory or Arts and Sciences course that will count towards the total required credits.

⁷ The junior and senior recitals may be performed during the fall or the spring semester, or during Winter Term.