



Community College of the District of Columbia
A.A. Degree in Music

The two-year Associate in Arts in Music degree is offered in three areas of concentration: instrumental, keyboard, and vocal. The program prepares students for acceptance into the Bachelor of Music degree program options and concentrations at the University and provides the basic preparation for a career in music.

To be admitted to any of the degree programs, students must apply to the Music Program, audition in their performance area(s), and pass the Music Program's placement examinations.

Total Credit Hours of College-Level Courses Required for Graduation: 65

Core Courses in Major

4165		Performing Ensemble Courses*	4
4165	100, 101	Materials of Music I, II	6
4165	102, 103	Ear Training and Sight Singing I, II	4
4165	106	History of African American Music	3
4165	200, 201	Materials of Music III, IV	6
4165	202, 203	Ear Training and Sight Singing III, IV	4
4165	270	Computer Applications to Music I	3
4165	210	Directed Study (AA Seminar)	2

*Specific performing ensemble courses are required in certain programs

Applied Major (8): Select one of the following eight credit hour sequences:

Applied Major Keyboard: 4165-115, -116, -215

Applied Major Voice: 4165-125, -126, -225

Applied Major Instrument: 4165-135, -136, -235

Applied Minor (4): If Applied Major Voice or Applied Major Instrument is selected:

Applied Minor Keyboard: 4165-116, -216

If Applied Major Keyboard is selected, select one of the following four credit hour sequences:

Applied Minor Keyboard: 4165-116, -216

Applied Minor Voice: 4165-126, -226

Applied Minor Instrument: 4165-136, -236

Additional Required Course(s): Select one of the following two credit hour sequences:

4165 130 Jazz Improvisation I

4165 181 Gospel Music Improvisation I

*Or recommended alternative course(s)

For vocal; keyboard/vocal concentration (except Jazz or Gospel Music)

1147 114 Italian Diction for Voice Majors

Comments: A grade point average of 2.0 is required for all music courses and 3.0 for all applied major courses.

General Education:

4535	101, 102	General College Math I, II	6
4133	111, 112	English Composition I, II	6
4539	115, 117	Physics of Music (Lec, Lab)	4
		Social Science elective	3

Social science elective may be selected from the offerings in Psychology, Sociology, Economics, History, Social Welfare, Geography, Political Science, and Urban Studies