



Program Map



Associates of Arts Degree in Music (MRP/DTA)

Area of Study: Creative and Communication Arts

Clark's Music program offers students an abundance of experiences in music theory, instrumental and vocal performance training, music appreciation and music history. Courses are designed to prepare the music major for advanced studies while providing the non-major with the skills and background to enjoy music as a cultural pursuit. This program is designed for students planning to transfer to a four-year institution to pursue a bachelor's degree.

> Free [Tutoring Services](#) are available to support you throughout your degree completion.

Program maps are suggested academic plans and should not be used in the place of regular academic advising. Your student entry method, placement, course availability, and program requirements are subject to change and transfer credit(s) may change your map/plan.

Year One

Fall Term

- MUSC& 141: Music Theory I 5
- MUSC& 121: Ear Training I 1
- MUSC: Performing Ensemble 2
- MUSCA 101-116 OR MUSC 170 OR MUSC 173: Applied Instrument, Piano, or Voice 1
- ENGL& 101 English Composition I 5

Winter Term

- MUSC& 142: Music Theory II 5
- MUSC& 122: Ear Training II 1
- MUSC: Performing Ensemble 2
- MUSCA 131-146 OR MUSC 171 OR MUSC 174 1
- ENGL& 102: English Composition 5

Spring Term

- MUSC& 143: Music Theory III 5
- MUSC& 123: Ear Training III 1
- MUSC: Performing Ensemble 2
- MUSCA 171-186 OR MUSC 172 OR MUSC 175: Applied Instrument, Voice, or Piano 1
- MATH& 107: Math in Society 5

Summer Term

- SOC& 101: Intro to Sociology 5
- HIST& 128: World Civilizations III 5
- ANTH& 215: Bioanthropology 5

102 units required. [View the Clark College Catalog for additional program information.](#)

Key: ^ Alternative classes are available to fit your schedule or interest. & Common Course in the State of Washington.

Approximate Costs Each Term

Tuition \$1490* for 15 credits per term plus books, supplies, and miscellaneous fees. *Tuition based on Washington resident rates. [View residency classifications on our website.](#)

Year Two

Fall Term

- MUSC& 231: Music Theory IV 3
- MUSC& 221: Ear Training IV 1
- MUSC: Performing Ensemble 2
- MUSCA 201-216 OR MUSC 270 OR 273: Applied Instrument, Voice, or Piano 1
- CMST& 220: Public Speaking 5
- PHSC 101: General Physical Science 5

Winter Term

- MUSC& 232: Music Theory V 3
- MUSC& 222: Ear Training V 1
- MUSC: Performing Ensemble 2
- MUSCA 231-246 OR MUSC 271 OR MUSC 274 1
- POLS 111: American National Government and Politics 5
- MUSC 101: Beginning Piano Class 2

Spring Term

- MUSC& 233: Music Theory VI 3
- MUSC& 223: Ear Training 6 1
- MUSC: Performing Ensemble 2
- MUSCA 271-286 OR MUSC 272 OR MUSC 275: Applied Instrument, Voice, or Piano 1
- BIOL& 100: Survey of Biology or BIOL& 175 Human Biology 5
- MUSC 201: Intermediate Piano Class 2

Customize with Advising

Make an appointment online with Advising Services to learn more about customizing your academic plan at clark.edu/advising.

How to Enroll

Visit Clark College's Welcome Center in Gaiser Hall room 127 or the [Get Started webpage](#) for information on becoming a new student. Email start@clark.edu or call 360-992-2078.

Apply for Admission

Support Services

At Clark College, we know that everyone who walks through our doors is a unique person with diverse, interesting and sometimes challenging circumstances. We are committed to ensuring each and every student can succeed at Clark, and are committed to serving systemically non-dominant communities, including (but not limited to) people of color, those who identify as LGBTQIA2S+ and people with disabilities. We have resource centers, clubs, programs and activities for all students.

Visit our [Student Support page](#) for more information.

Funding Options at Clark

There are many resources available to help students cover the costs to attend college—tuition, books, fees, tools, transportation, childcare, etc.—so you can focus on completing your degree or certificate.

Grants Based on need. You do not need to pay back grants.

Scholarships Similar to grants, and there are different criteria; Clark College awards hundreds of thousands of dollars to students each year. We encourage everyone to apply!

Student Employment & Work Study Money you earn through working part-time; this helps to reduce your reliance on loans, and build your skills and resume.

Loans If you do need to borrow additional funds to pay for college-related expenses, you can consider loans. It is money you borrow and will pay back with interest.

Specific Assistance For Veterans, worker retraining, DREAMers, students receiving DSHS benefits, and more.

For more information, visit our [paying for college website](#) or visit the **Office of Financial Aid in Gaiser Hall room 101**.

Career Opportunities

Career exploration and planning is an essential step to establishing your academic journey at Clark College and beyond. Career Services connects you with resources and strategies for career planning in six areas: knowing self; career awareness; relationship building and networking; work-based learning; job-search skills; and career readiness competencies. You are encouraged to participate in *MyPlan*, a comprehensive and interactive guide with activities to support your career, academic, and financial wellness planning. Visit [Career Services](#) in the **Penguin Union Building room 002**.

Students who complete the **Associate in Music DTA/MRP** and transfer to earn a bachelor's degree could be employed as:

Professional Performer
Composer
Conductor
Music Educator

Secondary School Music teacher
Music Therapists
Administrator, Salesperson, Director in a Music related business

Career exploration information created by Clark Faculty and Staff.



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