# Associate of Arts – Music

## GENERAL EDUCATION STUDIES  43 Hours

**General Education:** 14 hours
- COM 1143 Fundamentals of Speech Communication
- ENG 1113 Composition and Rhetoric I
- ENG 1123 Composition and Rhetoric II
- 3 hours from the following:
  - ENG 2233 American Literature I
  - ENG 2243 American Literature II
  - ENG 2273 Introduction to Literature
- GES 1122 Strategies for Student Success

**Social/Behavioral Sciences:** 9 hours
- GOV 2213 National and State Government
- HIS 1113 American History I
- PSY 1153 Introduction to Psychology

**Natural Science/Mathematics:** 6 hours
- 3 hours from the following:
  - BIO 1113 Biological Science
  - PHY 1113 Physical Science
- 3 hours from the following:
  - MTH 1113 College Mathematics
  - MTH 1123 College Algebra

**Physical Education:** 2 hours
- PED 2232 Wellness and Lifestyle
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  - 2 hours from activity courses without duplication: PED 1101-2291

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The Associate of Arts in Music provides a variety of curriculum offerings that will assist the student in their musical skills.

**Upon completion of this program, students will:**

1. Demonstrate understanding in the fundamentals of music theory (Music Theory I-II), and aural theory.
2. Demonstrate basic conducting skills and rehearsal procedures.
3. Demonstrate the ability to sing/play in music ensembles.
4. Demonstrate technique, sight-reading, and improvisation in piano/voice.

**Additional Requirements for A.A. in Music:**

The Departmental Placement Examination is given to all incoming music students to determine theory readiness. If the exam indicates a weakness in rudimentary skills, the student will be required to complete MUS 0012 Basic Musicianship I and MUS 0022 Basic Musicianship II before enrolling in MUS 1114, Music Theory I. This exam will be administered the first day of class in the fall semester. See additional Music degree requirements.
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**General Biblical Studies: 12 Hours**
- BIB 2213 Bible Study
- REL 1153 New Testament Literature
- REL 1163 Old Testament Literature
- THE 2333 Pentecostal Doctrine and History

**MAJOR STUDIES  14 Hours**
- MUS 1114 Music Theory I
- MUS 1124 Music Theory II
- 2 hours from the following:
  - MUS 3312 Choral Conducting
  - MUS 3322 Instrumental Conducting
  - One hour of MUE ensembles
- 3 hours from MAP Applied Music

**GENERAL ELECTIVES  6 Hours**

**TOTAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS  63 Hours**

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**Additional Program Stipulations**

1. All students are to include one Bible, theology, or religion course each semester until degree requirements have been satisfied.
2. First-year students enrolled full-time are to include GES 1122 in their first semester program.
3. First-year students are to enroll in activity physical education courses each of their first two semesters at SAGU. Exceptions will be granted only with approval of the College Dean.
4. Veterans with at least 6 months of service may apply for and receive 4 hours of credit for physical education. Contact the Registrar’s Office.