

Bachelor of Music in Double Bass Performance

2026 Catalogue Year

		Units	Semester	Progress Record (☑ when completed)					
GENERAL EDUCATION and WRITING-32 units									
G.E.	Core Literacies (8 courses) *	24	FaSpSu	A_*	B_*	C_	D_	E_	F_
	Global Perspectives (2 courses) *			G_*	H_*				
GESM XXX	G.E. Seminar *			*					
WRIT 150	Writing & Critical Reasoning--Thematic Approaches	4	FaSpSu						
WRIT 340	Advanced Writing (Prereq: WRIT 150)	4	FaSpSu						
STRINGS COURSES (MPST)-18 units									
MPST 153-453	Individual Instruction (2 units per semester, 8 semesters)	16	Fa/Sp						
KEYBOARD COURSES (MPKS)-4 units									
MPKS 250a	Keyboard Instruction I	2	FaSp						
MPKS 481	Interpretation of Baroque Music	2	FaSp						
MUSIC ENSEMBLE (MUEN)-12 units									
MUEN 320	USC Symphony (1 unit per semester, 8 semesters)	8	Fa/Sp						
MUEN 327	String Chamber Music (1 unit each)	4	Fa/Sp						
MUSIC THEORY AND COMPOSITION COURSES (MUCO)-20 units									
MUCO 132ab	Aural Skills I (2 units each)	4	Fa/Sp						
MUCO 133ab	Theory I (3 units each)	6	Fa/Sp						
MUCO 232ab	Aural Skills II (2 units each)	4	Fa/Sp						
MUCO 233ab	Theory II (3 units each)	6	Fa/Sp						
CONDUCTING and ORCHESTRATION COURSE (MUCD)-2 units									
MUCD 348	Instrumental Conducting and Orchestration	2	Fa						
MUSIC HISTORY COURSES (MUHL)-12 units									
MUHL 250	Music and Ideas	4	Fa						
MUHL 350	Western Art Music History I	4	Fa						
MUHL 351	Western Art Music History II	4	Sp						
CAREERS and YOUNG ARTIST COURSES (MUSC)-6 units									
MUSC 496	Careers in Music	2	Sp						
MUSC 480	Young Artist Project I	2	Sp						
MUSC 481	Young Artist Project II	2	Fa						
ELECTIVES and NON-COURSE REQUIREMENTS-26 units									
DCM Electives	Division of Contemporary Music Electives	4	FaSp						
MXXX 301	Secondary Lessons in Early Music, Jazz or Pop	4	FaSp						
DANC	Dance Elective	2	FaSp						
Electives	General Electives ♦	18	FaSpSu						
Recital	Junior Recital ♦♦	0							
Recital	Senior Recital ♦♦	0							
Total:		132	units						

* G.E. Requirements: MUHL 350 will satisfy GE-A. MUHL 250 will satisfy one GE-B course. One GE course must be a GE Seminar (GESM) taken in your freshman year. The Global Perspectives requirement (GE-G and GE-H) can be satisfied through Core Literacy classes. Therefore, with correct planning, only 6 GE courses will be needed outside of your major requirements.

♦ This number may vary for each student based on transfer courses, AP and test-outs.

♦♦ Students receive credit for their recitals when Thornton Student Affairs receives a signed Recital Report Card along with a copy of the program.