

**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS**

Refer to the catalog for specific degree requirements and overview of the industry.

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (38 credit hours)**
**I. COMMUNICATIONS**
**(9 credit Hours)**

Course Description	Course Credit	Semester & Grade
ENG 121	3	
ENG 122	3	
COM 115 OR COM 125	3	

**II. ART AND HUMANITIES**
**(9 credit hours)**
**(Both music courses are required. One additional course must be selected from the other disciplines.)**

Course Description	Course Credit	Semester & Grade
<b>Music Courses (Required)</b>		
MUS 121	3	
MUS 122	3	
ART 110, ART 111, ART 112, MUS 121, MUS 122, THE 105, THE 211, THE 212, HUM 121, HUM 122, HUM 123, LIT 115, LIT 201, LIT 202, LIT 205, LIT 211, LIT 212, LIT 221, LIT 222, PHI 111, PHI 112, PHI 113, Foreign Languages – FRE, SPA, JPN 211 - 212	3	

**III. MATHEMATICS**
**(3 -5) credit hours)**

Course Description	Course Credit	Semester & Grade
MAT 120, MAT 121, MAT 122, MAT 123, MAT 125, MAT 135, MAT 201, MAT 202	3 - 5	

**IV. SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES**
**(9 credit hours)**
**(Select three courses, one of which must be History, with no more than two courses from any one category.)**

Course Description	Course Credit	Semester & Grade
ECO 201, ECO 202, POS 105, POS 111, ANT 101, ANT 111, PSY 101, PSY 102, PSY 235, SOC 101, SOC 102, GEO 105, GEO 106, HIS 101, HIS 102, HIS 201, HIS 202, HIS 247	3	
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	3	

**V. PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES (Select 2 courses)**
**(8 credit hours)**

Course Description	Course Credit	Semester & Grade
AST 101, AST 102, BIO 105, BIO 201, BIO 202, BIO 204, GEY 111, GEY 121, MET 150, PHY 105, BIO 111, BIO 112, CHE 101, CHE 102, CHE 111, CHE 112, PHY 111, PHY 112, PHY 211, PHY 212	4/5	
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**VI. MUSIC CORE CLASSES**
**(10 credit Hours)**

Course Description	Course Credit	Semester & Grade
MUS 110	3	
MUS 112	1	
MUS 111	3	
MUS 113	1	
MUS 131	2	

\*Students with no background in theory should take Music Fundamentals (MUS 100) or pass an equivalency exam before taking MUS 110 and MUS 112.

\*\*Piano majors should take Guitar or Voice Class. Voice, Instrumental and Theory/Composition majors should take Piano Class unless already having a strong background in piano, in which case either Guitar or Voice class should be taken.

## **MUSIC EMPHASIS (12 credit hours)**

### **OPTION A: PIANO/VOICE/INSTRUMENT MAJORS (12 credit hours)**

Course Description	Course Credit	Semester & Grade
<b>Private Lessons (8 credits)</b>		
MUS 141, MUS 142	2	
MUS 241, MUS 242	2	
MUS 243	2	
MUS 244	2	
<b>Ensemble (4 credits)</b>		
MUS 151	1	
MUS 152	1	
MUS 251	1	
MUS 252	1	

### **OPTION B: THEORY/COMPOSITION MAJORS (12 credit hours)**

Course Description	Course Credit	Semester & Grade
<b>Private Lessons (4 credits) - MUS 141, MUS 142, MUS 241, MUS 242</b>	2	
	2	
<b>Private Lessons – Composition (4 credits) - MUS 151, MUS 152, MUS 251, MUS 252</b>	2	
	2	
<b>Ensemble (4 credits) - MUS 151</b>	1	
MUS 152	1	
MUS 251	1	
MUS 252	1	

### **OPTION C: MUSIC INDUSTRY/BUSINESS/TECHNOLOGY MAJORS (12 credit hours)**

Course Description	Course Credit	Semester & Grade
<b>Required Courses (12 credits): MUS 161, MUS 167, MUS 261</b>	3	
	3	
	3	
<b>Choose 3 credit hours from: MUS 123, MUS 125, MUS 141, MUS 142, MUS 151, MUS 152, MUS 241, MUS 242, MUS 243, MUS 244, MUS 251, MUS 252</b>	1/2/3	
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	1/2/3	
<b>Ensemble (4 credits): MUS 151</b>	1	
MUS 152	1	
MUS 251	1	
MUS 252	1	

**Total A. A. with Music Emphasis**

**60 credit hours**

#### **IMPORTANT PROGRAM INFORMATION:**

Please see your Department Chair for any questions concerning this program: Dr. Mat at 303-797-5867 or [hidemi.matsushita@arapahoe.edu](mailto:hidemi.matsushita@arapahoe.edu)  
If your department chair is unavailable, please see the Advising Office at 303.797.5664 or [advising@arapahoe.edu](mailto:advising@arapahoe.edu).

#### **GRADUATION INFORMATION:**

- No catalog more than six years old may be used for graduation requirements; the 2008/2009 catalog, and this degree sheet, may not be used beyond the Spring 2013 semester for graduation.
- You must apply for graduation; obtain the application online at [www.arapahoe.edu](http://www.arapahoe.edu) (Student Services) and apply by: April 1 (summer graduation), July 1 (fall graduation) and November 1 (spring graduation).

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