

MUSIC PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATE – H027

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COURSE TITLE	COURSE NUMBER	PREREQUISITES	Co-REQUISITES	CREDITS	SEMESTER TAKEN	GRADE
PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS				18		
Music Theory 1 (Fall)	MUS 105	MUS 100 with a grade of “B” or better or permission of instructor		3		
Music Theory 2 (Spring)	MUS 107	MUS 105		3		
Aural Skills 1	MUS 131		MUS 105	1		
Aural Skills 2	MUS 132	MUS 131	MUS 107	1		
Class Piano 1 (Fall)	MUS 135			1		
Class Piano 2 (Spring)	MUS 136	MUS 135		1		
Applied Music for Majors 1	MUS 171	Audition		2		
Applied Music for Majors 2	MUS 172	MUS 171		2		
College Chorale 1	MUS 161			1		
College Chorale 2	MUS 162	MUS 161		1		
*2 credits of sequential instrumental or vocal ensembles	MUS 121-122 MUS 127-128 MUS 111-112 MUS 141-142 MUS 155-156			2		
PROGRAM ELECTIVES <i>(Select 1 or 2 courses from the following)</i>				3-4		
Introduction to World Music	MUS 106			3		
Introduction to Classical Music	MUS 110			3		
Introduction to Jazz	MUS 140			3		
Class Voice Methods	MUS 115		MUS 100	2		
Woodwind Instrumental Methods	MUS 116		MUS 100	2		
String Instrumental Methods	MUS 117		MUS 100	2		
Brass Instrumental Methods	MUS 118		MUS 100	2		
Percussion Instrumental Methods	MUS 125		MUS 100	2		
Topics in Music	MUS 150	Eligibility for ENG 101		3		
Jazz Improvisation 1 (Fall)	MUS 151	Music 100 with a grade of B or better or permission of the instructor		2		
Jazz Improvisation 2 (Spring)	MUS 152	MUS 151		2		
Introduction to Music Technology	MUS 180			3		
Advanced Topics in Music	MUS 250	MUS 107, Eligibility for ENG 101		3		
Music Literature 1 (Fall)	MUS 259	ENG 102, Co-requisite: MUS 208 or permission of instructor		3		
Music Literature 2 (Spring)	MUS 260	MUS 259		3		
Total Credits				21-22		

PROGRAM OVERVIEW
The purpose of the certificate is to acknowledge college-level work in Music for those students who are not completing the full A.A. degree in Music. It may be used by students who are planning to minor in Music at their transfer institution, by students who are planning to pursue a Bachelor of Arts degree in Music (rather than a Bachelor of Music) at a transfer institution, or by those students who would like to augment any degree program at the College with serious study in Music. Students not enrolled in an Associate’s program may also earn the certificate in order to prepare for admission to another institution requiring a performance audition, or simply to improve performance skills for personal enrichment. Holyoke Community College is an accredited institutional member of the National Association of Schools of Music.

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NOTES:

This program may be completed in one year, but may also be spread out over the course of several years while enrolled in another program of study at Holyoke Community College. The Class Piano requirement may be waived for students who demonstrate in an audition that they already possess the necessary piano skills.