



**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
ASHLAND UNIVERSITY AND LORAIN COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE**
Associate of Arts to a Bachelor of Arts in Music

It is agreed that Ashland University and Lorain County Community College desire to continue a strong academic articulation agreement to enhance the transfer opportunities for students from Lorain County Community College to Ashland University for the completion of a Bachelor's Degree. Moreover, it is agreed that a general academic program articulation agreement is to be followed by the development of specific program advising sheets as appropriate.

Effective Spring 2021 through Spring 2024

**PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL ACADEMIC
PROGRAM ARTICULATION AGREEMENT:**

1. A student, who completes an Associate Degree at Lorain County Community College with a minimum of a 2.25/4.0 GPA, will be accepted at Ashland University with junior status, provided he/she has successfully completed a minimum of sixty (60) semester hours (90 – quarter hours) of coursework.
2. Only earned credits with grades of C- or better are transferable and recorded on an Ashland University transcript. Letter grades and cumulative grade point average do not transfer.
3. Lorain County Community College degree holders may transfer unlimited hours to Ashland University, however, students must meet the following residency requirements:
 - a. At least 30-semester hours of credit must be completed through Ashland University.
 - b. The last 12 semester hours of credit must be completed through Ashland University.
 - c. At least one-half of the student's major requirements must be completed through Ashland University.
4. Admission to Ashland University with junior standing will, in many related programs of study, mean the student will be able to complete his/her baccalaureate degree with two years of full-time study. Some students may be able to graduate in less than two years if they are willing to continue their studies during Ashland University's summer terms. In certain disciplines, however, because of their sequential nature, careful prior planning of course work is necessary and more than two years at Ashland University may be needed to complete the Bachelor's Degree.
5. In general, remedial and/or developmental orientation courses are not generally transferable to Ashland University and do not meet graduation requirements. Usually, courses numbered 100 and above are transferable as either course-specific or general-elective credit. Technical courses, which do not match up with any Ashland University catalog course, will transfer as general-elective credit. In addition to the regular offerings of Lorain County Community College, courses eligible for transfer include those offered through their off-campus location, and through their video-based program.

6. Students transferring to Ashland University must complete all of Ashland University's Institutional Baccalaureate Degree Requirements through transfer credit and Ashland University credit where applicable.
7. Lorain County Community College degree holders with credits earned at one or more other institutions may transfer those credits to Ashland University subject to Ashland University's transfer policy.
8. A student who has earned credits at Lorain County Community College but who has not earned a degree may also apply to Ashland University as a transfer student, subject to transfer regulations in effect at Ashland University. Generally, these requirements include proof of high school graduation (official High School transcripts or G.E.D.) and official college transcripts. Grades of C- or better are accepted with no earned degree.
9. Ashland University offers pre-transfer academic advising in order to ensure that the Lorain County Community College student is able to transfer his/her credits in the best manner possible. This is unofficial; an official evaluation takes place upon enrollment at Ashland University.
10. Students wishing to transfer to Ashland University, with or without an Associate Degree from Lorain County Community College, may be eligible for federal, state and institutional financial aid. Qualified students may be eligible to receive the Ashland University Transfer Scholarship with the appropriate grade point average and appropriate semester hours of credit. This will be based on all grades earned from all schools attended. The Transfer Scholarship is only available to full-time students attending classes on the main campus.
11. Students transferring with less than 30 semester hours of transferable credit will transfer as freshmen. Students transferring with 30-59 semester hours of transferable credit will transfer as sophomores. Students transferring with 60-89 semester hours of transferable credit will transfer as juniors. Students transferring with 90 semester hours or more of transferable credit will transfer as seniors.
12. Lorain County Community College and Ashland University agree to participate in regular review of program requirements and appropriate advising procedures, and make adjustments or amendments as deemed appropriate to maintain the integrity of each institution as well as for the improvement of the transfer process. Such changes will not adversely affect students already enrolled and covered under the provisions of the existing agreement.

This articulation agreement will be effective immediately after the representatives of both institutions sign the agreement. It may be modified upon mutual agreement; it may be terminated by either institution upon written notice to the other.

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**ASHLAND UNIVERSITY EQUIVALENCIES FOR
ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAM AT Lorain County Community College**

Associate of Arts toward a Bachelor of Music

Equivalencies for Core Curriculum				
Ashland University		Lorain County Community College		
<i>Institutional Core Requirements (45 hours)</i>				
<i>AU Core Courses</i>	<i>Cr Hrs.</i>	<i>Equivalent LCCC Courses</i>	<i>Cr Hrs.</i>	<i>Notes</i>
Composition I (3 hours required) ENG 101 English Composition I	3	ENGL 161 College Composition I	3	
Composition II (3 hours required) ENG 102 English Composition II	3	ENG 162 College Composition II	3	
Communication (3 hours required) COM 101 Human Communication	3	CMMC 151 Oral Communication	3	
Math/Logic (3 hours required) MATH 208 Elementary Statistics PHIL 220 Practical Thinking	3 3	MTHM 168 Statistics PHLY 171 Introduction to Logic	3 3	
Religion (3 hours required) REL 106 Exploring the Bible REL 107 Exploring World Religions	3 3	RELG 251G Exploring the Bible RELG 181G Introduction to World Religions	3 3	
Historical Reasoning (3 hours required) HIST 112 Western Civilization HIST 113 Western Civilization HIST 212 American History through the Civil War HIST 213 American History after the Civil War	3 3 3 3	HSTR 151G Civilization I HSTR 152G Civilization II HSTR 161 United States I HSTR 162 United States II	3 3 3 3	
Critical Cultural Inquiry (CCI) (3 hours required) FREN 151 Elementary French I FREN 152 Elementary French II FREN 251 Intermediate French I FREN 252 Intermediate French II SPAN 171 Elementary Spanish I SPAN 172 Elementary Spanish II SPAN 271 Intermediate Spanish I SPAN 272 Intermediate Spanish II	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	FRNH 151G Elementary French I FRNH 152G Elementary French II FRNH 251G Intermediate French I FRNH 252G Intermediate French II SPNH 151G Elementary Spanish I SPNH 152G Elementary Spanish II SPNH 251G Intermediate Spanish I SPNH 252G Intermediate Spanish II	4 4 3 3 4 4 3 3	
Natural Science (6 hours required) BIO 100 Human Biology BIO 110 Ecology and the Human Environment BIO 201 Molecular and Cellular Basis of Life CHEM 103 General Chemistry CHEM 104 General Chemistry PHYS 107 The Hidden Life of the Stars	4 4 4 4 4 4 3	BIOG 152 Human Biology BIOG 165 Introduction to Ecology BIOG 161 Principles of Biology I CHMY 171 General Chemistry I CHMY 172 General Chemistry II ASTY 151 Stars, Galaxies and Cosmology	4 3 4 5 5 4	

Aesthetics (6 hours required) ART 161B Painting I MUSIC 022 University Choir (1 hr. x 3 semesters) MUSIC 150 Principles of Music Making TH 203 Theatre Aesthetics TH 214 Acting for Non-Majors TH 204 Script Analysis	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	ARTS 171 Painting I MUSC 111 Collegiate Chorale (1 hr. x 3 semesters) MUSC 153 Fundamentals of Music THTR 151G Introduction to Theater THTR 181 Techniques of Acting ENGL 259G Introduction to Drama	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	Students completing the Music major do not need to add any Core Aesthetics to their curriculum; they are contained in the Major.
Humanities (6 hours required) ENG 203 American Literature ENG 217 British Literature ENG 304 Short Story ENG 308 The Poem ENG 309 African American Literature PHIL 215 Ethics PHIL 280 Applied Ethics Humanities elective credit Humanities elective credit	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	ENGL 251 American Literature I ENGL 261G Masterpieces of British Literature I ENGL 255G Introduction to Fiction ENGL 257G Introduction to Poetry ENGL 266G African-American Literature PHLY 161 Introduction to Ethics PHLY 165 Bioethics HUMS 151G Introduction to Humanities HUMS 264G Introduction to Asian Cultures and Literatures	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	
Social Sciences (6 hours required) ECON 232 Principles of Microeconomics ECON 233 Principles of Macroeconomics PSYC 101 General Psychology I PSYC 218 Psychology of Adolescence SOC 111 Principles of Sociology SOC 301 Race, Ethnic and Minority Issues SOC 340 Marriage and Family Relationships	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	ECNM 152 Principles of Microeconomics ECNM 151 Principles of Macroeconomics PSYH 151 Introduction to Psychology PSYH 254 Adolescent Development SOCY 151G Introduction to Sociology SOCY 276 Race and Ethnicity SOCY 255G Family	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	

Students may most efficiently complete their programs by choosing courses at LCCC that “double dip,” fulfilling both AU core requirements as well as the requirements of the LCCC degree.

Equivalencies for Major Curriculum

Ashland University		Lorain County Community College		
<i>AU Major Courses</i>	<i>Cr Hrs.</i>	<i>Equivalent LCCC Courses</i>	<i>Cr Hrs.</i>	<i>Notes</i>
Music courses:				
MUSIC 010 University Band MUSIC 022 University Choir <i>Courses may be repeated up to seven credit hours.</i>	1 (1)	MUSC 102 Civic Concert Band MUSC 103 Civic Orchestra MUSC 101 Civic Chorale MUSC 111 Collegiate Chorale MUSC 165 Vocal Ensemble <i>Courses may be repeated for a maximum of four credit hours</i>	1 (1) (1) (1) (1)	
MUSIC 102 Recital Attendance (8 semesters)	0			
MUSIC 211 Class Piano I	1	MUSC 155 Elementary Class Piano I	2	
MUSIC 212 Class Piano II	1	MUSC 156 Elementary Class Piano II	2	
MUSIC 227 Aural Skills I	1	MUSC 181 Sight Singing and Ear Training I	1	
MUSIC 228 Aural Skills II	1	MUSC 182 Sight Singing and Ear Training II	1	
MUSIC 259 Music Theory I	3	MUSC 171 Music Theory I	3	
MUSIC 260 Music Theory II	3	MUSC 172 Music Theory II	3	
MUSIC 311 Class Piano III	1			
MUSIC 312 Class Piano IV	1			
MUSIC 320 Music History I	3			
MUSIC 321 Music History II	3			
MUSIC 327 Aural Skills III	1	MUSC 281 Sight Singing and Ear Training III	1	
MUSIC 328 Aural Skills IV	1	MUSC 282 Sight Singing and Ear Training IV		
MUSIC 34X Principal Applied Music (4 semesters)	1	MUSA 16X or 26X Applied Music:	1	
MUSIC 359 Music Theory III	3	MUSC 271 Music Theory III	3	
MUSIC 360 Music Theory IV	3	MUSC 272 Music Theory IV	3	
MUSIC 381 Music History Seminar	3			
MUSIC 44X Principal Applied (1 semester)	2			
MUSIC 303 Junior Recital	0			
MUSIC 497 Senior Project	2			

**ANTICIPATED—Two-Year Guide at Lorain County Community College
Associate of Arts**

Key:
Bold courses = count toward AU Core or major requirements

1st Year

Fall Semester

Spring Semester

SDEV 101	College 101	1	ENGL 162 <i>AU Core 3</i>	College Composition II	3
ENGL 161 <i>AU Core 1</i>	College Composition I	3	CMMC 151 <i>AU Core 4</i>	Oral Communication	3
MUSC 101, 102, 103, 111 or 165	Civic Chorale, Civic Concert Band, Civic Orchestra, Collegiate Chorale or Vocal Ensemble	1	MUSC 101, 102, 103, 111 or 165	Civic Chorale, Civic Concert Band, Civic Orchestra, Collegiate Chorale or Vocal Ensemble	1
MUSA 16X	Applied Music: Instrument TBD	1	MUSA 16X	Applied Music: Instrument TBD	1
MUSC 155	Class Piano I	2	MUSC 156	Class Piano II	2
MUSC 171	Music Theory I	3	MUSC 172	Music Theory II	3
MUSC 181	Sight Singing and Ear Training I	1	MUSC 182	Sight Singing and Ear Training II	1
MTHM 168 <i>AU Core 2</i>	Statistics	3	SOCY 151G <i>AU Core 5</i>	Introduction to Sociology	3
	Semester Total	15		Semester Total	17

2nd Year

Fall Semester

Spring Semester

MUSC 101, 102, 103, 111 or 165	Civic Chorale, Civic Concert Band, Civic Orchestra, Collegiate Chorale or Vocal Ensemble	1	MUSC 101, 102, 103, 111 or 165	Civic Chorale, Civic Concert Band, Civic Orchestra, Collegiate Chorale or Vocal Ensemble	1
MUSA 26X <i>AU Core 6</i>	Applied Music: Instrument TBD	1	MUSA 26X	Applied Music: Instrument TBD	1
MUSC 271	Music Theory III	3	MUSC 272	Music Theory IV	3
MUSC 281	Sight, Singing and Ear Training III	1	MUSC 282	Sight, Singing and Ear Training IV	1
Humanities Core <i>AU Core 7</i>	Humanities Requirement	3	RELG 251G or RELG 181G <i>AU Core 10</i>	Exploring the Bible Introduction to World Religions	3 (3)
Natural Science Core <i>AU Core 8</i>	Natural Science Requirement w/Lab	4	Natural Science Core <i>AU Core 11</i>	Natural Science Requirement	3
PSYH 151 <i>AU Core 9</i>	Introduction to Psychology	3	<i>Social Science Elective</i>	Social Science Elective*	3
			Humanities Core <i>AU Core 12</i>	Humanities Requirement	3
	Semester Total	16		Semester Total	18

**Total Minimum Credits earned at LCCC
Associate of Arts Degree Awarded**

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*Required to complete LCCC Associate Degree, not needed for AU core.

Students, including those transferring from other institutions, wishing to pursue a major in Music must meet proficiency requirements as established by the music department. These requirements include:

1. Formal application;
2. Performance audition in student's principal area of performance (vocal or instrumental) to include appropriate solo repertoire, scales, studies, sight reading;
3. Aural proficiency test;
4. Personal interview with music faculty.

**SUGGESTED—Two Year Guide at Ashland University
Bachelor of Arts with a Major in Music (an outside minor is required)**

1st Year

Fall Semester

Spring Semester

MUSIC 102	Recital Attendance	0	MUSIC 102	Recital Attendance	0
MUSIC 381 <i>AU Core 13</i> or MUSIC 320	Music History Seminar II (FA/Odd) Music History I (FA/Even)	3 (3)	MUSIC 321 or General Elective	Music History II (SP/ Odd) General Elective	3 (3)
	Music Elective*	2-3		Music Elective*	2-3
	Minor Requirement 1	3		Art or Theatre Elective	3
MUSIC 311	Class Piano III (FA Only)	1		Minor Requirement 2	3
Historical Reasoning Core <i>AU Core 14</i>	Historical Reasoning Requirement	3	MUSIC 312	Class Piano IV (SP Only)	1
MUSIC 34X	Principal Applied Music	1	MUSIC 497 or MUSIC 303 and MUSIC 44X	Senior Project Junior Recital Principal Applied Music	2 (0) (2)
	Semester Total	13-14		Semester Total	14-15

2nd Year

Fall Semester

Spring Semester

MUSIC 102	Recital Attendance	0	MUSIC 102	Recital Attendance	0
	Minor Requirement 3	3	MUSIC 321 or General Elective	Music History II (SP/Odd) General Elective	3 (3)
	Minor requirement 4	3		Minor Requirement 5	3
MUSIC 381 <i>AU Core 13</i> or MUSIC 320	Music History Seminar (FA/Odd) Music History I (FA/Even)	3 (3)		Minor Requirement 6	3
Critical Cultural Inquiry Core <i>AU Core 15</i>	Critical Cultural Inquiry Requirement	3		General Electives	6
	Music Elective*	2-3			
	Semester Total	14-15		Semester Total	15

**Total credits earned AU 56-59
Bachelor of Arts Degree Awarded**

*MUSIC 130, 150, and 225 may not be used. Up to 2 hours of ensemble (MUSIC 010-052) may be used. (6 credit hours required)

This rotation presumes that some, but not all, of the courses listed with equivalencies have been taken at LCCC. It presumes that AU's composition, communication, natural sciences, humanities, math/logic, religion and social science requirements have been met. The critical cultural inquiry and historical reasoning will be met at AU.

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