#### CORE CURRICULUM – 43-45 Semester Hours

##### UNIVERSITY CORE

**A. Core Foundations (9-12)**

- CORE 101 ____ ____ 3
- CORE 102 ____ ____ 3
- HNRS 103 ____ ____ 3 (HNRS 103 will replace CORE 101 & 102 for those students in the RU Honors Academy)
- CORE 201 ____ ____ 3
- CORE 202 ____ ____ 3

**NOTE:** Courses listed in multiple areas can only be used to fulfill a single area requirement.

Students can use only one course with their major prefix to fulfill core requirements.

**B. Core Skills & Knowledge (16)**

Courses must be from different disciplines:

- **MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES (3)**
  - MATH ____ ____ 3
  - One of the following: MATH 114, 116, 119, 121, 122, 125, 126, 132, 137, 138, 151:152

- **NATURAL SCIENCES (4 SH)**
  - PHYS 101, 102, 106, 111:112, 221:222

- **HUMANITIES (3 SH)**
  - One of the following: ANSC 101 APST 200 ENGL 200 HIST 101, 102 PHIL 111, 112, 200 POSC 110 RELN 111, 112, 203, 206

- **SOCIAL/BEHAV. SCIENCES (3 SH)**
  - One of the following: ANSC 101 APST 200 ENGL 200 HIST 101, 102, 103 HIST 111, 112 POSC 120 PSYC 121 RELN 205 SOCY 110, 121

- **VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS (3 SH)**
  - MUSC 100** ____ ____ 3

**B. Supporting Skills & Knowledge (9-11)**

- **NATURAL SCIENCES OR MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES (3-4 SH)**
  - One of the following: ASTR 111, 112 BIOL 103, 104, 105 CHEM 101:102, 102 GEOL 100, 105:106 PHYS 111:112, 221:222 MATH 114, 116, 119, 121, 122, 125, 126, 132, 137, 138, 151:152 STAT 130, 200, 219

- **HUMANITIES, VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS OR FOREIGN LANGUAGES (3-4 SH)**
  - One of the following: CVPA 266 CCST 103 ENGL 201, 202 GEOG 101, 102, 140, 200:205 POSC 110 RELN 112, 205 SOCY 121 THEA 180 WGST 101

**B. M. VOCAL/CHORAL MUSIC EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**

**ACCOMPANYING (2)**

| MUSC 458* ____ ____ 1 |
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*Guitarists – Vocal/Choral option may substitute MUSC 369:370 Fretboard skills (1 SH) for 1 credit of MUSC 458.

**PIANO CLASS OR VOICE (4)**

| MUSC 161 ____ ____ 1 |
| MUSC 162 ____ ____ 1 |
| MUSC 261 ____ ____ 1 |
| MUSC 262 ____ ____ 1 |

Piano class for voice majors, Applied Voice for piano majors, Level II

**FIELD EXPERIENCE (0)**

| MUSC 300 ____ ____ 0 |
| MUSC 400 ____ ____ 0 |

**G. PROF. EDUCATION (12)**

| MUSC 462 ____ ____ 12 |

Praxis/VCLA and Application for Teacher Education Program deadline – “students must report passing scores for (or equivalent) for Praxis I, Praxis II, and VCLA exams and successfully apply for the College of Education & Human Development within one academic year after completion of MUSC 459”. Students must begin student teaching within one academic year of MUSC 459 completion.

Matriculation through RU Music Education mandate – “in order to qualify for student teaching, all Music Education coursework should be completed at RU. NASM accredited institutions may be reviewed for inclusion in a student’s degree program.

**GPA requirements for graduation:**

- 2.50 Overall GPA
- 2.75 In-Major GPA