

Cert. Commercial Music Level II 25-26



ABOUT THIS MAJOR

The Commercial Music program is designed to prepare students for careers to perform as an instrumentalist and vocalists, to write (songwriter) and record music (producer/sound engineer/audio engineer), to develop an appreciation of various contemporary music styles, and to understand the latest developments in the ever-changing music industry.

*Students may apply up to 1 unit of MUSC 199 towards the Level I Certificate Program Electives, up to 3 units of MUSC 199 towards the Level II Certificate Program Electives, and up to 3 units of MUSC 199 towards the MUSC AA Degree Program Electives.

For more information, visit the [Arts & Humanities](#) division.

TO EARN A Certificate A STUDENT MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

- [1] Completion of Major & Program Electives Courses
- [2] Minimum grade point average of 2.0
- [3] A C or better in all courses required for the major

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[Total Units Required in the major 26]

Required MUSC HIST Courses, choose one (total 3 units)	
MUSC102 - History of Jazz	3
MUSC103 - History of Rock 'n Roll	3
MUSC107 - History of Women in Rock Music	3
MUSC108 - History of Hip Hop	3
MUSC109 - The History of Motown Music	3

Required Courses, complete all the following (total 19 units)	
MUSC104 - The Music Industry	3
MUSC120 - Music Theory I	3
MUSC113 - Songwriting	3
MUSC100 - Introduction to Music Technology	3
MUSC134 - Music Production I	3
MUSC141 - Concert Management	2
MUSC143A - Live Sound	2

Program Electives, complete a total of 4 units from the following:	
FTV241 - Beginning Audio Production	3
MUSC124A - Improvisation	1
MUSC136 - Media Scoring	3
MUSC142 - Musical Theatre Workshop	1
MUSC150C - Music Notation & Composition: Sibelius Fundamentals	3
MUSC199 - Work Experience Education	1-3
MUSC220A - Popular Music Ensemble (Test Flight)	2
MUSC233 - Music Production II	3
MUSC173 - Jazz Ensemble B (Beginning)	1
MUSC273 - Jazz Ensemble A (Advanced)	1
MUS291D - Private Lessons: Popular Music, Composition, and Non-Transfer	0.5

RECOMMENDED PATHWAY

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The Recommended Plan of Study is determined by the discipline faculty. Take classes in **Summer** or **Intersession** if needed to complete your degree in a timely manner!

Fall/Spring: Max 19 units | Summer: Max 9 units | Intersession: Max 6 units

 Major

 Program Elective

SEMESTER 1

Course	Units
 MUSC 104	3
 MUS 120	3
 MUSC 100	3
 REQUIRED MUSC HIST:choose from list	3
 PROGRAM ELECTIVE: MUSC 220A (rec.)	2
Total Units	14

SEMESTER 2

Course	Units
 MUSC 113	3
 MUSC 134	3
 MUSC 143A	2
 MUSC 141	2
 PROGRAM ELECTIVE: MUSC 220A (rec.)	2
Total Units	12

Total Degree Units	26
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COUNSELING NOTE SECTION

Prerequisite: If a course is listed as a prerequisite for another course, that prerequisite course must be completed with a satisfactory grade to enroll in the next course. A satisfactory grade is a grade of "A," "B," "C" or "P". Students who enroll in classes for which they do not meet the prerequisites will be involuntarily dropped. Students will be notified of this involuntary drop. Title 5, Section 55200(d)

Application for Graduation:

Antelope Valley College awards degrees three times annually following the Fall, Spring, and summer semesters. Students must apply for graduation to earn their degree or certificate. **Applications are due by September 6 for spring/summer graduates and by February 14 for fall graduates.**

AVC 25-26 CATALOG: [ACADEMIC POLICIES](#)

INFORMATION and RESOURCES

Tutoring Assistance
Transfer Center
Basic Needs

Career Center
Office of Students with Disabilities
Financial Aid

AVC Student Health Services
Palmdale Center
Counseling Division