

Music/Sound Production A.A. (DAPA)

This program is designed for students interested in the music and sound production industries. Program course work explores career opportunities in these industries. Industry positions include, but are not limited to, music producer, sound designer, sound editor, disc jockey, recording and live sound engineers. Students gain practical experience by utilizing industry-standard software, hardware and common production techniques. Students are urged to consult with an academic advisor or counselor to ensure that the courses selected meet LCCC requirements and those of the four-year college or university to which transfer is intended.

Upon successful completion of this program, graduates will be able to:

- demonstrate effective oral, written and visual communication skills.
- demonstrate knowledge in the principles of sound and digital audio.
- apply critical listening and thinking skills.
- record, produce, edit, mix and master audio using industry-standard equipment and software.

Students should consult the catalog of the four-year college or university to which he or she plans to transfer to ensure that degree requirements are being properly met. Transfer information for this program is on file in the Transfer and University Center. For more information, contact an academic advisor or counselor.

First Semester		Credits
CMN 101	Introduction to Media Communications	3
CMN 105	Interpersonal Communication	3
ENG 105	Research and Composition	3
Elective*	Mathematics	3
Elective ⁺	Free Elective	3
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Second Semester		
CMN 118	Media Scriptwriting	3
DMP 115	Principles of Sound Production	3
ENG 106	Introduction to Literature	3
MUS 101	Introduction to Music	3
Elective	Social Science/Humanities	3
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Third Semester		
DMP 216	Digital Audio Production	3
MUS 110	Functional Music Theory	3
Elective ⁺	Free Elective	3
Elective	Social Science/Humanities	3
Elective●	Laboratory Science	4
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Fourth Semester		
Elective	Communications Media Practicum	
	Communication, ART elective	3
Electives□	General Education	6
Elective ⁺	Free Elective	3
Elective	Social Science/Humanities	3
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Credit Total		61

*Recommended Math elective: MAT 105.

⁺Recommended Free electives: CMN 113, CMN 204, CMN 205, DMP 225.

●Recommended Lab Science: PHY 101

□Recommended General Education electives: CIS 105, CMN 112, CMN 120, CMN 121

Prior Learning Assessment: Previous job training, certificates and work experience that may qualify for college credit (*see academic advisor*).

Gateway Courses: Based on placement testing in reading, writing and math, these prerequisite courses may have to be taken before placement in College English or Mathematics beginning the first semester and concurrently.

RSS 099	Basic Skills Reading	3
RSS 100	Critical Reading	3
ENG 099	Basic Skills Writing	3
ENG 100	Fundamentals of Writing	3
MAT 090	Mathematical Literacy	6
ESL 251	English for Academic Purpose	6
		(Required for ESL students only.)

Please note, taking gateway courses will increase your time for completion.