

The Degree of Bachelor of Music with Honours (MusB(Hons) – 120 points)

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the General Regulations for the University.

1. Version

These Regulations came into force on 1 January 2018.

2. Variations

In exceptional circumstances the Amo Matua, Toi Tangata | Executive Dean of Arts or delegate may approve a personal programme of study which does not conform to these Regulations.

3. The structure of the qualification

To qualify for the degree of Bachelor of Music with Honours a student must pass courses from the Schedule V to these Regulations having a value of 120 points including both ARTS401 and MUSI481.

A student may, with the approval of the Tumuaki Tari | Heads of Departments concerned and Amo Matua, Toi Tangata | Executive Dean of Arts or delegate, replace one or two of the courses listed in the Schedule V to these Regulations with courses prescribed for another subject at an equivalent level for an honours or master's degree.

4. Admission to the qualification

A student for the Degree of Bachelor of Music with Honours, before enrolling in a programme of study for the degree, must have either:

- qualified for the degree of Bachelor of Music with a B Grade Point Average in 300-level courses; or
- been admitted with Academic Equivalent Standing as entitled to enrol for the Degree of Bachelor of Music with Honours; and
- been approved as a student for the degree by the Amo Matua, Toi Tangata | Executive Dean of Arts or delegate
- in special cases, the Amo Matua, Toi Tangata | Executive Dean of Arts or delegate will determine the conditions under which a student who does not meet Regulations 4(a) and 4(b) may be admitted.

5. Subjects

The subject for this degree is Music.

6. Time limits

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations for the University with a time limit of 24 months.

7. Transfers of credit, substitutions and cross-credits

This qualification adheres to the Credit Recognition and Transfer Regulations, with no additional stipulations.

8. Progression

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations for the University, with the following stipulations:

- A student who fails up to 30 points for the MusB (Hons) degree, may, with the permission of the Amo Matua, Toi Tangata | Executive Dean of Arts or delegate, repeat that course or courses, or substitute another course or courses of equal weight.
- A student who fails more than 30 points will be withdrawn from the qualification.

9. Honours, Distinction and Merit

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations for the University, with no additional stipulations.

10. Exit and Upgrade Pathways to other Qualifications

- There are no upgrade qualifications for this degree.
- A student who has not met the requirements for the MusB(Hons) or wishes to transfer to the Postgraduate Certificate in Arts or the Postgraduate Diploma in Arts in Music, may apply to the Amo Matua, Toi Tangata | Executive Dean of Arts or delegate for admission.

Schedule V: Courses Valid for the Degree of Bachelor of Music with Honours

For full course information, go to courseinfo.canterbury.ac.nz

Course Code	Course Title	Pts	2025	Location	P/C/R/RP/EQ
ARTS401	Arts Research and Scholarship: Introduction to Theories and Methods	30	S1	Campus	P: Permission of the Head of Department.
MUSI457	Studies in Music History	30	NO		P: Subject to approval of the Head of School. R: MUSI412, MUSI602
MUSI458	Studies in Music Analysis	30	NO		P: Subject to approval of the Head of School. R: MUSI408, MUSI604
MUSI461	A Documentary Study of a Prescribed Topic	30	NO		P: Subject to approval of the Head of School. R: MUSI414, MUSI607
MUSI470	Creative Practice	60	W	Campus	P: MUSA398 Capstone Project and permission of the Head of School
MUSI471	Composition 4	60	W	Campus	P: MUSA322 with a grade of B or higher, and approval of Head of School R: MUSI409, MUSI420
MUSI473	Performance 4	60	W	Arts Centre	P: MUSA342 or MUSI341 with a grade of B+ or higher, and approval of Head of School R: MUSI441
MUSI481	Research Project	30	W	Campus	P: Subject to approval of the Head of School.