

SECTION SIX (6): APPLIED LESSONS

- A. Lesson Charge:** The current cost for 14 weekly, one-hour lessons is \$680 per semester. A pro-rated refund will be given if lessons are dropped during the first three weeks of the semester (officially, one week from the end of the University Add/Drop deadline). **Students may also withdraw from lessons after the Add/Drop deadline, but must do so before the Withdrawal deadline. If lessons are dropped or withdrawn after their respective deadlines, no refund will be given.** All freshmen and sophomores will be charged for lessons regardless of major. Applied lessons in a second area will be billed to the student's account regardless of major.
- B. Studio Fee:** A studio fee of \$50 per semester will be charged to all students enrolled in applied music lessons.
- C. Credits:** A minimum of one hour per week of applied lessons is required of all music majors (except for the B.A. in music). Any additional lessons will be charged at the current rate. Please see below for the number of credits required for each specific music major.
- D. Course levels:** The 170, 270, 370, 470 applied lesson designation will be determined by the student's year of study in an instrument. For example, a junior beginning piano lessons would enter at the 170 course level. (i.e. not 370).

Specific Major	Lesson Time	Credit
<u>Performance</u> - Performance provisional majors receive .50 credit for one-hour lessons until the Advancement Recital is successfully completed. After passing the Advancement Recital, a minimum of 3 semesters of applied lessons is required for graduation and students receive 1 full credit per semester for a one-hour lesson. No extra fees apply for this additional lesson credit.	1 hour/week every semester	.50 or 1.00
<u>Composition</u> - After competency has been achieved in the major instrument, students are encouraged to take lessons on a variety of instruments.	1 hour/week every semester	.50
<u>B.A. in Music</u> - In order to acquire competency in a major instrument, students in this degree are encouraged to take a one-hour lesson (.50 credit) for a minimum of 3 semesters.	1 half-hour lesson per week at minimum. However, an hour lesson is recommended for every semester in residence.	.25
<u>B.M. in Contemporary Improvisation</u> – Improvisation majors must enroll in one-hour weekly lessons (.5 credit) on his/her primary instrument each semester in residence.	1 hour/week every semester	.50