

BS

Music Therapy

MAJOR: MUSIC THERAPY (BACHELOR OF SCIENCE)

MINORS OFFERED: Music, Musical Theater, Jazz Studies, Musicology

GRADUATE PROGRAM OFFERED: Master of Arts in Music

(in Conducting, Performance, Composition, or Musicology/Research)

This program blends art and science, teaching students how to help others by channeling their love of music. This degree prepares students for a career in music therapy through honing musicianship, performance abilities, and therapeutic skills. This program encompasses a wide range of health-related disciplines with courses in psychology, biology, nursing, sociology, and anthropology.



RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

Students can join faculty members in research projects, or even take on solo research and present their results at the annual **Student Research Conference** on campus.



SMALL CLASSES = BIG PERSONAL IMPACT

WHAT MAKES THIS PROGRAM SPECIAL?

Students in the Music Therapy program benefit from a wide range of programs, studios, and ensemble opportunities that develop skills across numerous instruments and styles. Through musical and choral ensembles, you can collaborate with peers in group performances while learning from faculty who hold doctorates and are nationally recognized, active musicians.

In order to be accepted into this major, students must perform an audition after being accepted to Truman.

AFTER GRADUATION:

This program prepares students to take the exam given by the Certification Board for Music Therapists, before moving on to a career in music therapy. As a board-certified music therapist, work can be found with schools, hospitals, nursing homes, clinics, rehabilitation centers, hospice and wellness programs, and more.

MORE INFO:



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