

TEXARKANA COLLEGE

Syllabus: Applied Composition

Course Number: MUAP 1191 & 1192

Instructor Information

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Textbook Information

Varies with student

Student Learning Outcomes for the Course

1. Students will work towards developing his/her own musical language/idiom.
2. Students will listen to/study music from the perspective of its compositional components.
3. Students will attend and participate in class meetings, workshops, and other applicable activities suited to developing his/her compositional style & abilities.
4. Students will complete a full composition by the end of the semester, and preferably secure a performance of it.

Student Requirements for Completion of the Course and Due Dates

1. Weekly compositional work and music listening.
2. Complete a composition by semester end.
3. Preferably arranged for a performance of the said composition.
4. Attend weekly lessons and other activities.

Student Assessment

Based on student completion of above. Effort, participation, and consistent practice are crucial to success in this class.

Grading Scale

Grade	
A	90-100
B	80-89
C	70-79
D	60-69
F	59-below

Class Schedule

Students will have a weekly private lesson at an individually scheduled time. Occasional group meetings of composition students will also be scheduled throughout the semester.

Attendance Policy

Please see the official TC Absentee Policy below. Students missing more than 2 lessons are at high risk for being dropped.

Make-up Policy

Contact the instructor to schedule make-up lessons.

Academic Integrity Statement

Scholastic dishonesty, involving but not limited to cheating on a test, plagiarism, collusion, or falsification of records will make the student liable for disciplinary action after being investigated by the Dean of Students. Proven violations of this nature will result in the student being dropped from the class with an "F".

This policy applies campus wide, including TC Testing Center, as well as off-campus classroom or lab sites, including dual credit campuses. This information can be found in the Student Handbook at <https://texarkanacollege.edu>.

Disability Act Statement

TC does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability or age in its programs or activities. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the nondiscrimination policies: Human Resources Director, 2500 N. Robison Rd., Texarkana, TX, 75599, (903) 823-3017, human.resources@texarkanacollege.edu

Texarkana College complies with all provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act and makes reasonable accommodations upon request. If you have an accommodation letter indicating that you have a disability which requires academic accommodations, please present it to me so we can discuss the accommodations that you might need for this class. *It is best to request these changes at the beginning if not before the start of class* so there is ample time to make the accommodations.

Any student who has difficulty affording groceries or accessing enough food to eat every day, or who lacks a safe and stable place to live and believes this may affect their performance in this course or ability to remain in school, is urged to contact Tonja Blasé, Director of Student Retention, at 903.823.3349 for support. Furthermore, please notify the professor if you are comfortable in doing so. This will enable them to provide any resources that they may possess.

Financial Aid

Attention! Dropping this class may affect your funding in a negative way! You could owe money to the college and/or federal government. Please check with the Financial Aid office before making a decision.