



# Syllabus

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Course: MU150, 151 -Applied Group Lessons/ Voice, Piano, Guitar  
Credit: 1 or 2 credit hours (MU150 1 credit-45 minutes; MU151 2 credits-90 minutes)  
Semester: Fall & Spring  
Time: TBA  
Instructor: STAFF

## I. DESCRIPTION

An applied class on the fundamentals of voice or instruments.

Group instruction for voice or instruments. The student is required to attend all General Recitals and the music event during the semester of the private lessons.

\*Applied Group Music Lesson Fee: \$80 per credit hour

## II. OBJECTIVES

The intent of group lessons is to enhance your technical ability to use your instrument in healthiest manner possible, to encourage musical growth, and to aid in progression of your artistic musicianship.

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Assignments A. through H.

## III. REQUIREMENTS

- A. Each student will be required to take 13 group lessons and attend 2 Performance Workshops per semester. (\*Students enrolled for one cycle will be required to take 6 group lessons and attend 1 Performance Workshop.)
- B. Group lesson time will be determined during the first week of school.
- C. Each student will attend a weekly group lesson and should practice daily.
- D. Student is required to attend all General Recital and Calvary University Music events.
- E. One absence is allowed for 1 credit-hour applied lessons. 2 absences are allowed for 2 credit-hour applied lessons.
- F. Please call or email in advance if you cannot attend a lesson.
- G. If there are no classes (on the school calendar) due to: School Conference, Work day, Day of Prayer, Snow day, etc. make up lessons are not required.
- H. There will be a final exam (Jury), sung/play from memory.

#### IV. METHODS

Grades will be given at the end of each lesson each week.

Lesson participation, attendance, and preparation

Required Music Events

Final exam (jury)

Total= 100%

#### V. MATERIALS

Instructor will choose appropriate repertoire for the entire class. Collections, sheet music, etc., will need to be purchased for Literature studied each semester.

*The Bible.* See “**Bible is a required textbook**” statement below.

#### VI. OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Excessive absences, after your allowed cuts will result in grade reduction or failure for the course.

**Assignments** are due at class time or on the date assigned. Papers and reading assignments must be completed on time. **Work not completed on time will be graded down accordingly.**

- The Bible is a required textbook in every course at Calvary University. To facilitate academic level study, students are required to use for assignments and research an English translation or version of the Bible based on formal equivalence (*meaning that the translation is generally word-for-word from the original languages*), including any of the following: New American Standard (NASB, English Standard Version (ESV), New King James (NKJV), or King James (KJV). Other translations and versions based on dynamic equivalence (*paraphrases, and thought-for-thought translations like NLT and NIV*) may be used as supplemental sources. Please ask the professor if you have questions about a particular translation or version.
- Students with disabilities have the responsibility of informing the Accommodations Support Coordinator ([aso@calvary.edu](mailto:aso@calvary.edu)) of any disabling condition that may require support.
- Plagiarism is defined as copying any content without identifying the source. This also includes taking another person's or AI entity's ideas or constructs and presenting them as your own. Plagiarism of any kind will not be tolerated. Most assignments at Calvary require the student to produce original work. Therefore, unless specifically permitted by the instructor, the use of AI-generated content is prohibited (even if cited) as it does not represent original work created by the student and is an unreliable aggregate of ideas from other sources. AI, however, may be utilized in cases where the instructor has explicitly permitted its use to accomplish specific tasks. It is only in these cases that AI-generated (or modified) content may be submitted by the student. If there are any questions as to the permissibility of AI use for an assignment, please ask your instructor for clarification.
- The Clark Academic Center ([learning@calvary.edu](mailto:learning@calvary.edu)) is dedicated to providing free academic assistance for Calvary University students. Student tutors aid with all facets of the writing process, tutor in various subject areas, prepare students for exams and facilitate tests. Please take advantage of this service.

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  - All class papers must follow the Turabian style according to A Manual for Writers of Research Papers, Theses, and Dissertations, 8th edition and the Calvary Style Guide, 2019 update.
  - Grading Scale: See grading scale in the university catalog.

### Carnegie Unit Worksheet

#### -1 credit hr

Assignments	In Classes			External/Online	
	Hours	Assigned		Hours	Assigned
"Seat Time" in class	6			6	
Practice/Prep	24			24	
Jury	1			1	
Practicum/Master Classes	2			2	
Observations (Music Events)	8			8	
Jury Prep	4			4	
Total	45			45	

#### -2 credit hrs

Assignments	In Classes			External/Online	
	Hours	Assigned		Hours	Assigned
"Seat Time" in class	13			13	
Practice/Prep	62			62	
Jury	1			1	
Practicum/Master Classes	2			2	
Observations (Music Events)	8			8	
Jury Prep	4			4	
Total	90			90	