

Discipline: CLASSICAL GUITAR

General Information:

The stated proficiencies below apply to all students taking lessons in the particular discipline.

All students must successfully pass the proficiency exam at the end of their program.

Any student wishing to take 200-level applied lessons must successfully pass an "open" proficiency exam demonstrating the proficiencies as a prerequisite to take lessons.

Proficiencies for a 1-credit lesson

Freshman Level

Various arpeggio, slur and shifting exc.

Sophomore Level

Two 8ve major and minor scales, 2 patterns, C-E

J. Sorcerer Etude

Sightreading

Junior Level

Two 8ve major and minor scales, 2 patterns, F-G

J. S. Bach arrangement from Suites for Solo

Junior recital (required based upon degree program)

Senior Level

Two 8ve major and minor scales, 2 patterns, E-G

Multi-measure rests (6, 7, 8, 9, 10)

Senior Recital (pieces chosen by student)

Proficiencies for a 2-credit lesson

Freshman Level

Two 8ve major and minor scales, 2 patterns, C-E

J. Serrero Etudes

Sightreading

Sophomore Level

Three 8ve major scales, 2 patterns, E-G

M. Carcassi Etudes

Sightreading

Inner Division Jury (end of 2nd semester sophomore lesson)

Proficiencies include major and minor scales in the first two hands

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Junior Level

Two 8ve major and minor scales, 2 patterns, E-G

F. Sor Etudes

Consideration works from var

Junior recital (*required based upon degree program*)

Senior Level

Three or more end minor scales C#-B; chromatic scales

Senior Recital (*required based upon degree program*)

