

Guitar Class I

Class

MUSI 1192

An introductory course in acoustic guitar playing based on acoustic and classical guitar technique. Music reading of melodic, harmonic, rhythmic, and technical exercises are learned to gain initial mastery of the fundamental techniques of guitar playing. A history of the guitar, its major composers and performers will be studied. Three hours lab per week.

Course Learning Objectives

Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

1. Perform guitar music, applying appropriate guitar and interpretation skills by
 1. Demonstrating proper technique in assigned technical exercises;
 2. Demonstrating proper technique in assigned musical repertoire.
2. Develop the capability of reading printed music by
 1. Displaying an understanding of basic music theory concepts and fundamentals through drills in note recognition, rhythm, chord progressions, key signatures, intervals, scales, and sight reading;
 2. Applying music reading principles in the performance of single pieces.

Required Institutional Learning Core Learning Outcomes (ICLO):

Communication (COM), Critical Thinking (CT), Social Responsibility (SR), Teamwork (TW)

Required Textbooks

Required Materials

1. A nylon string classical (recommended) or steel string acoustic guitar and a foot rest.
2. Some materials are available via the online classroom (Canvas), which include:
 1. *First Lessons for Guitar* by Julio S. Segreras
 2. *Intro to Music Reading*
 3. *Metodo Completo de Guitarra Books 1 and 2* by Fernando Carulli
 4. *Gymnastics Exercises* by Pepe Romero
 5. *Coordination Exercises* by Manuel Lopez Ramos
3. Other materials that must be purchased include:
 1. *Major and Minor Diatonic Scales* by Andres Segovia, ISBN 1598060597
 2. *Arpegi Per La Mano Destra* by Miguel Abloniz, ASIN B0048NE1D2

Evaluation Standards

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Disabilities

ADA Statement:

Any student with a documented disability (e.g. learning, psychiatric, vision, hearing, etc.) may contact the Office on the Weatherford College Weatherford Campus to request reasonable accommodations. *Phone:* 817-598-6350
Office Location: Office Number 118 in the Student Services Building, upper floor. *Physical Address:* Weatherford College 225 College Park Drive Weatherford, TX.

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