

ArtEZ Master's course Music Therapy Study plan | Part-Time Modality¹

Dear prospective student,

Thank you for your interest in enrolling to the part-time modality of the master's course Music Therapy Programme at ArtEZ. The 2-year hybrid modality takes place on campus during its intensive weeks and Fridays online (or hybrid if courses are taught on campus). Additionally, consider that for completing the required 280 clinical hours, you will need at least one full day for a supervised internship or work experience throughout one entire year, and additionally reserve one full day for studying. The second year will be mostly dedicated to conducting your final project, besides completing other courses. This modality is designed for students to combine their work and family life with graduate studies, so that you can study, and complete your work experience or supervised internship hours in your own location and language. To be admissible to the part-time modality, you will need to meet the admission criteria which entail:

- Meet the admission criteria ([see website](#))
- The completion of the present study plan,
- a video recording of a musical performance (see description below),
- and an admission interview with the coordinator and the head of programme.

Part-time Study plan. Please answer the questions below:

1. How would you define your **identity as a music therapist?** For this, take the identity profiles described by ArtEZ (Innovator, Adaptive Expert, Community Builder) into account.
2. Which ideas do you have to advance your **musical skills** during your studies?
3. Which ideas do you have to advance your **Music Therapy knowledge and skills** (e.g. target population and specific music therapy approach(es))?
4. **Supervised Internship and Work experience.** During the master's course you will complete 280 hours of supervised internship, if you are enrolling with a complete Pre master's course; or clinical work experience, if you are already a certified music therapist.

¹ ¹ If you don't have a research placement yet, our master's course offers you the possibility of Research in Residency to set up and conduct a research project with clients with Korsakoff disease at Saffier Institute in Den Haag. Please contact Dr. [Monique van Bruggen Ruffi](#) if you are interested in this option.

It is mandatory for the student to arrange an internship place. To complete 280 hours, you will need to work at least one full day per week throughout one year. Accredited music therapists will present proof of workplace and hours to inform these hours.

Which are your plans for the supervised internship of work experience?

Where will you complete your supervised internship of work experience?

When do you plan to start?

5. **Culminating project.** Throughout your studies you will work on your final graduation project, your culminating project. At the end of the second academic year, you will present it through a written article, a private defence, and a public symposium. You can choose different ways to conduct your final project, for instance: a community music therapy project, a feasibility clinical study, a literature review, a survey, a music-based research, etc. depending on the final goal of your project. You will be guided by a specialized coach throughout the entire process.

Describe your ideas for your culminating project. What are you curious and passionate about?

6. Send us a **video recording of a musical performance** to show us your musicality (3-5 minutes). There are no detailed requirements; it can be a home or professional recording, playing your main musical instrument, singing, or whatever feels joyful to you. We wish to see your musical self!
7. Tell us about your motivation for pursuing 2 year hybrid programme.
8. Show us how you are planning your two years of study. How will your week planning and your year planning look like? (Consider following the courses, study and writing time, clinical internship, or work experience, preparing, conducting, and writing about your culminating project)