

## MUSI 159-FUNCTIONAL PIANO 1 CREDITS

### SYLLABUS

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#### CATALOG DESCRIPTION

Functional Piano will show you all the basic tricks to making up passable arrangements on the piano; chords, left hand ideas, reading from a fake book, transposition, improvisation.

Prerequisites: Theory I and a minimum of 3 years of private piano. Music

Semester Offered: On Demand

#### ***Common Student Learning Outcomes***

*Upon successful completion of San Juan College programs and degrees, the student will demonstrate competency in...*

##### **BROAD AND SPECIALIZED LEARNING**

Students will actively and independently acquire, apply, and adapt skills and knowledge with an awareness of global contexts.

##### **CRITICAL THINKING**

Students will think analytically and creatively to explore ideas, make connections, draw conclusions and solve problems.

##### **CULTURAL AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT**

Students will act purposefully, reflectively, and ethically in diverse and complex environments.

##### **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION**

Students will exchange ideas and information with clarity in multiple contexts.

##### **INFORMATION LITERACY**

Students will be able to recognize when information is needed and have the ability to locate, evaluate, and use it effectively.

##### **INTEGRATING TECHNOLOGIES**

Students will demonstrate fluency in the application and use of technologies in multiple contexts.

*Student work from this class may be randomly selected and used anonymously for assessment of course, program, and/or institutional learning outcomes. For more information, please refer to the Dean of the appropriate School.*

#### **Course Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of the course, the student will be able to...

1. Demonstrate "making up" an accompaniment to a given melody.
2. Demonstrate improvising in specific styles.
3. Demonstrate modulation in connecting two pieces of music.