

Bachelor of Special Music Education

Program Requirements

Course	Title	Hours
Music Requirements		
<i>Applied Music</i> ¹		
Primary Medium		14
Secondary Medium		2
<i>General Music</i>		
Theory		
MUSC 127 & MUSC 129	Theory I and Aural Skills I	4
MUSC 128 & MUSC 130	Theory II and Aural Skills II	4
MUSC 227 & MUSC 229	Theory III and Aural Skills III	4
MUSC 228 & MUSC 230A	Theory IV and Aural Skills IV: Music Education	4
MUSC 523	Form And Analysis	2
MUSC 641	Orchestration	2
History and Literature of Music		
MUSC 113	Music in Context ⁴	3
MUSC 334	History of Music I ⁴	3
MUSC 335	History of Music II	3
Conducting		
MUSP 307 or MUSP 308	Instrumental Conducting Choral Conducting	2
MUSP 651 or MUSP 691	Advanced Conducting and Score Reading Advanced Choral Conducting	2
<i>Ensembles</i>		
Ensembles - three of the seven semesters of ensemble must be 400 level 2, 3		7
<i>Recital Attendance</i>		
MUSP 105	Recital Attendance (two semesters)	0
<i>Senior Recital</i>		
MUSP 400	Senior Recital	0
Music Education Requirements		
<i>Introduction</i>		
MUSE 171	Orientation to Music Education	1
MUSE 271	Introduction to Music Education	2
<i>Core I</i>		
CESP 334	Introduction to Diversity: Human Growth and Development ⁴	3
MUSE 311	Introduction to Diversity Field Experience	1
MUSE 611	Music for Special Education	2
MUSE 617	Literacy Strategies for Content Areas: Music	2
<i>Core II</i>		
MUSE 303	Elementary and General Music Methods	2
MUSE 305	Pre Student Teaching	1
MUSE 309	Special Music Education Methods	2
MUSE 323	Fundamentals of Vocal Music for Secondary Schools	2

or MUSE 324 Fundamentals of Instrumental Music for Secondary Schools

<i>Core III</i>		
MUSE 405	Teaching Internship Seminar	1
MUSE 453	Teaching Internship: Special and Elementary Music Education	3
MUSE 469	Teaching Internship Secondary Music	3
CAS 501	Teacher Licensure Capstone (Must be taken with MUSE 453 or MUSE 469)	0

Additional Requirements

Select 4 credit hours (See check sheet for specific required courses)		4
MUSE 241	String Rehearsal Methods	
MUSE 242	Wind and Percussion Rehearsal Methods	
MUSE 342	Survey of Choral Techniques and Literature	

Music Electives as Advised

Electives must be upper division MUSE		2
MUSC 523 or MUSC 641	Form And Analysis Orchestration	

Vocal Majors (select 2 credit hours)

MUSP 625	Voice Pedagogy	
MUSP 725	Voice Pedagogy II	
MUSP 121	Italian Diction	
MUSP 122	English Diction	
MUSP 221	German Diction	

Keyboard Majors

MUSP 580 or MUSP 581	Piano Pedagogy Piano Teaching Materials	
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Instrumental Majors

MUSE 686 or MUSP 620	Marching Band Techniques String Pedagogy: Violin and Viola	
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Total Credit Hours **87**

¹ Students must be enrolled in applied music during the semester of their senior recital.

² See degree check sheets for specified ensembles, including requirements for transfer students.

³ Ensembles are counted by semester.

⁴ Counted as general education.

Note: All music majors must pass a piano proficiency examination.

Applied Learning

Students in the Bachelors of Special Music Education program are required to complete an applied learning experience to graduate from the program. The requirement can be met by giving a senior recital (MUSP 400) and student teaching (MUSE 405, MUSE 453 and MUSE 469).