

MME - Master of Music Education

Admission

Admission to the degree program in music education requires the completion of a Bachelor of Music Education (BME) degree, or the equivalent of a BME, from an accredited institution, as well as the contact information for three people to provide letters of recommendation. Students holding bachelor's degrees in music other than the Bachelor of Music Education must satisfy public school certification requirements to qualify for full admission. Applicants without such certification are admitted on a conditional basis pending their attainment of public school teaching credentials.

Program Requirements

The MME requires completion of a minimum of 32 credit hours.

Students entering all MM or MME programs will take a music theory assessment and recommended one of two entry courses. Depending on the terminal project option, students will be required to complete enough electives to reach the minimum number of required credits.

Course	Title	Hours
Core Courses (16-17 credit hours)		
MUSE 871	History and Philosophy of Music Education	3
MUSE 855	Psychology of Music	3
MUSE 853	Research Design and Methods	3
MUSE 821	Leadership and Administration in Music Education	3
Select 2 credit hours from the following courses		2
MUSC 829	Practical Application of Tonal Analysis	
MUSC 831	Music Theory Pedagogy	
Select 2-3 credit hours from the following courses		2-3
MUSC 523	Form and Analysis	
MUSC 650	Performance and Analysis	
MUSC 651A	Topics in Analysis: Music in Media	
MUSC 651B	Topics in Analysis: Popular Music Analysis	
MUSC 675A	Topics in Musicology: Aesthetics	
MUSC 675B	Topics in Musicology: Global Musics	
MUSC 675C	Topics in Musicology: Identity	
MUSC 675D	Topics in Musicology: Popular Musics	
MUSC 832	Seminar in Music Theory	
MUSC 892A-Z	Seminar in Music History	
Electives (13-15 credit hours)		
Select music or non-music courses 500 or above. May apply up to 6 credit hours of applied lessons, 2 credit hours of ensembles, 4 credit hours of workshops, or 15 credit hours of Kodály coursework. Courses must be approved by the faculty advisor.		13-15
Capstone Project (1-4 credit hours)		
1-4 credit hours of terminal project as advised, to be chosen from the following		1-4
MUSE 846 & MUSE 766	Terminal Project in Music Education Emphasis in Kodaly and Kodaly Musicianship Level Three (Kodaly Terminal Project)	

MUSE 844 Terminal Conducting Project (2 credit hours)

MUSE 875 & MUSE 876 Thesis Research and Thesis (2 credit hours of each)

MUSE 854 Terminal Project in Music Education (2-3 credit hours)

Total Credit Hours 32-36

Applied Learning

Students in the Master of Music Education program are required to complete an applied learning or research experience to graduate from the program. The requirement can be met by completing either Research Design and Methods (MUSE 853), Terminal Conducting Project (MUSE 844), Terminal Project in Music Education (MUSE 854), or Thesis (MUSE 876).