

Bachelor of Music Education

Music Education students must complete requirements and be fully admitted to the Teacher Education Program before they can take courses in professional Education number 3000 and above. Refer to the Teacher Education Program (<https://coursecat.isu.edu/undergraduate/education/>) in the College of Education section of this Undergraduate Catalog.

Program Admission Requirements

All prospective music majors/minors and transfer students must contact the department office prior to their first semester's registration to be assigned a departmental advisor and take diagnostic placement tests and performance auditions. Acceptance as a music major/minor is dependent upon auditions and these examinations. Examinations should be taken before or during the week preceding classwork.

Performance Auditions

These auditions will include technique demonstration and repertoire performance.

Theory Placement Exam

This exam will determine the specific semester of music theory to which a student will be assigned.

Piano Placement Exams

These tests serve to determine the specific semester and section of class piano or private instruction to which a student will be admitted. All music majors must successfully complete the department's required piano proficiency to graduate. Credits in MUSC 1118, MUSC 1119, MUSC 2218, MUSC 2219, or MUSA 1120 may be used toward passing the piano proficiency. The student must register for piano or piano class each semester until passing the proficiency exam.

General Education

The listing below includes program requirements that also fulfill General Education requirements.

Code	Title	Credits
	Objective 1	6
	Objective 2	3
	Objective 3	3
	Objective 4 - MUSI 1108	7
	Objective 5	7
	Objective 6	6
	Students must fulfill Objective 7 or Objective 8	3
	Objective 7	
	Objective 8	
	Objective 9 - EDUC 2204	3
	Total Credits	38

Professional Education Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
EDUC 2201	Development and Individual Differences	3
EDUC 2204	Families Community Culture (Fulfills Objective 9)	3
EDUC 4401	Content Area Literacy	3

EDUC 4493	Student Teaching	12
SPED 4450	Creating Inclusive Classrooms	3
Total Credits		24

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
MUSC 1103	Theory of Music I	3
MUSC 1104	Theory of Music II	3
MUSC 1107	Recital Attendance (7 semesters)	0
MUSI 1108	The World of Music (Partially satisfies General Education Objective 4)	4
MUSC 1113	Aural Skills I	1
MUSC 1114	Aural Skills II	1
MUSC 1127	Class Voice	1
or MUSP 1172	ISU Women's Choir	
or MUSP 1173	Concert Choir	
MUSC 2203	Theory of Music III	3
MUSC 2204	Theory of Music IV	3
MUSC 2213	Aural Skills III	1
MUSC 2214	Aural Skills IV	1
MUSC 2252	Introduction to Music Education	1
MUSC 2255	Woodwind Methods	2
MUSC 2256	Brass Methods	2
MUSC 2258	Percussion Methods	2
MUSC 2259	String Methods	2
MUSC 3304	Music History I	3
MUSC 3305	Music History II	3
MUSC 3306	Music History III	3
MUSC 3311	Form and Analysis	2
MUSC 3312	Music Technology	2
MUSC 3319	Choral Conducting	2
MUSC 3320	Instrumental Conducting	2
MUSC 3333	Elementary Music Methods	3
MUSC 3334	Choral Music Methods	2
MUSC 3335	Instrumental Music Methods	2
MUSC 3338	Field Experience in Music Education	2
MUSC 4401	Orchestration	2
	Applied music (major instrument or voice)	7
	Large Performing Ensembles (band, orchestra, choir)	7
	MUSP 1169	Orchestra
	MUSP 1172	ISU Women's Choir
	MUSP 1173	Concert Choir
	MUSP 1177	Band (Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble, or Concert Band)
	MUSP 4469	Orchestra
	MUSP 4472	ISU Women's Choir
	MUSP 4473	Concert Choir
	MUSP 4477	Band (Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble, or Concert Band)

In Addition:

Solo or joint senior recital	
Piano proficiency ¹	
Chamber Ensembles	
Total Credits	72

¹ Piano proficiency is required for all degree candidates. Applied music secondary credits (MUSC 1118-MUSC 1119, MUSC 2218-MUSC 2219, or MUSA 1120) may be used toward passing the piano proficiency. The candidate must register for piano each semester until able to pass the proficiency exam.

Degree Totals

Code	Title	Credits
	Program Admission Requirements	0
	General Education	38
	Professional Education Requirements (Required General Education credits removed)	21
	Major Requirements (Required General Education credits removed)	68
	Upper Division Free Electives	0
	Free Electives	0
	Total Credits	127

ISU Degree Requirements (<http://coursecat.isu.edu/undergraduate/degreerequirements/>)

ISU General Education (<http://coursecat.isu.edu/undergraduate/academicinformation/generaleducation/>)

Major Academic Plan (MAP)