

VOCAL MUSIC ED MAJOR FOR K-12 TEACHING

Approved by the Michigan Department of Education

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CLARIFICATION OF OPTIONS:

Secondary Certification Track with K-12 Endorsement is a major only; no minor is required. Will do student teaching in both secondary and elementary music settings.

A Vocal Music major with a K-12 endorsement consists of 73 credits. Candidates for certification in this major must pass the Michigan Test for Teacher Certification (MTTC) in Music Education (Test #39). You must demonstrate your knowledge in the following categories:

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| 1. Music Theory | 31-40 items |
| 2. Music Education | 31-40 items |
| 3. Music History and Culture | 11-20 items |

You may access a study guide at the MTTC testing site; the courses below have been selected so that you will be well prepared for the test.

Note: K-12 Music majors do NOT need to have an academic minor for certification.

BASIC MUSICIANSHIP - Required (41 credits)

SUBJECT/ COURSE	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	SEMESTER	GRADE
MUS 102	Perspectives in Music	2		
MUS 104	World Music	4		
MUS 111	Theory I	4		
MUS 112	Theory II	4		
MUS 113	Aural Skills I	1		
MUS 114	Aural Skills II	1		
MUS 197	Beginning Keyboard Skills (or by placement)	1		
MUS 198	Keyboard Skills	1		
MUS 201	Eurhythmics I	.5		
MUS 202	Eurhythmics II	.5		
MUS 211	Theory III	4		
MUS 212	Theory IV	4		
MUS 213	Aural Skills III	1		
MUS 214	Aural Skills IV	1		
MUS 297	Keyboard Skills	1		
MUS 298	Keyboard Skills	1		
MUS 321	Music Literature before 1700	4		
MUS 324 OR	History and Literature of the Symphony OR	4		
MUS 326	History and Literature of Opera	4		
MUS 491	Seminar in Music	2		

PERFORMANCE--APPLIED STUDIES - Required (14 credits)

SUBJECT/ COURSE	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	SEMESTER	GRADE
MUS 181	Applied Music (Non-voice majors are required to have at least four semesters of private studio voice.)	14		

ENSEMBLE – Required (a minimum of 4 credits and 7 semesters for music education)

SUBJECT/ COURSE	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	SEMESTER	GRADE
MUS 115	Chapel Choir (audition required)	1		
MUS 116	College Chorus	1		
MUS 117	Women's Chorus (audition required)	.5		
MUS 120	Orchestra (audition required)	1		
MUS 130	Wind Ensemble (audition required)	1		
MUS 133	Concert Band (audition required)	1		
MUS 135	Jazz Arts Collective (audition required)	1		
MUS 140	Collegium Musicum (audition required)	.5		
MUS 155	Opera Workshop (audition required)	1		
MUS 160	Chamber Ensembles (audition required)	.5		

VOCAL ED MUSIC EDUCATION COURSES – Required (14 credits)

SUBJECT/ COURSE	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	SEMESTER	GRADE
MUS 300	Elementary Music Methods	4		
MUS 337	Instruments of Band & Orchestra I	1		
MUS 338	Instruments of Band & Orchestra II	1		
MUS 345	Conducting Techniques	2		
MUS 355	Advanced Choral Conducting	2		
MUS 376	Secondary Choral Methods	4		

CONCERT ATTENDANCE POLICY – REQUIRED (7 semesters for music education)

SUBJECT/ COURSE	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	SEMESTER	GRADE
MUS 080	Concert Attendance	0		Pass/Fail