

General, Choral and Instrumental Music (teacher certification), BM

Degree requirements

Hours required and general/college requirements

A minimum of 128 hours, of which 42 must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Music degree as specified in the “[University Core Curriculum](#)” in the Academics section of this catalog and the [College of Music](#) requirements. Electives hours may be required.

Major requirements

The student must earn no grade lower than C in each required music course and have an overall 2.75 grade point average.

[MUTH 1400 - Theory I](#) (2)
[MUTH 1410 - Aural Skills I](#) (1)
[MUTH 1500 - Theory II](#) (2)
[MUTH 1510 - Aural Skills II](#) (1)
[MUTH 2400 - Theory III](#) (2)
[MUTH 2410 - Aural Skills III](#) (1)
[MUTH 2500 - Theory IV](#) (2)
[MUTH 2510 - Aural Skills IV](#) (1)
[MUMH ##### - Music History Elective from menu](#) (3)
[MUMH 3500 - Music History and Literature to 1750](#) (3)
[MUMH 3510 - Music History and Literature Since 1750](#) (3)
[MUET 3030 – Music Cultures of the World](#) (3)

3 hours from

[MUMH 4050 - Symphonic Literature](#) (3)
[MUMH 4070 - Operatic Literature](#) (3)
[MUMH 4760 - Chamber Music Literature](#) (3)
[MUMH 4770 - Masterpieces of Choral Literature](#) (3)
[MUMH 4780 - American Music](#) (3)
[MUJS 4470 - History of Jazz](#) (3)

Instrumental–Orchestra

[MUAC 1522 – Harp \(Applied concentration lessons\)](#) (2)(2)(2)(2)
[MUAC 3522 – Harp \(Applied Concentration lessons\)](#) (2)(2)
[MUAG \(Keyboard Skills Classes\) or MUAS \(1000-level applied secondary lessons\)](#) (1)(1)
[MUAG 3800 - Fundamentals of Conducting](#) (2)
[MUAG 3870 - Instrumental Conducting](#) (2)
[MUED 2310 - Musicianship for Teaching I](#) (2)
[MUED 3100 - Musicianship for Teaching II](#) (3)
[MUED 3200 - Musicianship for Teaching III](#) (3)
[MUED 4109 – Methods and Materials for Teaching Instrumental Music in Elementary Schools](#) (3)
[MUED 4209 - Music Performance: Instrumental](#) (3)
[MULB 1805 - Orchestra](#) (1)(1)(1)(1)(1)(1)(1)

Lab participation is required each long term/semester until student teaching.

[MUAG 1117 - Percussion Class](#) (1)
[MUAG 1224 - Voice Class for Music Majors](#) (1)
[MUAG 1102 – or MUAG 1202 – Brass Class](#) (1)
[MUAG 1125 – or MUAG 1225 - Woodwinds Class](#) (1)
[MUAG 1121 – Strings Class](#) (1)
[MUAG 1221 - Strings Class](#) (1)
[MUAS 1504, 1505, 1506, 1507 – Secondary lessons on bowed instrument](#) (1) (1)

Student teaching program

Students must complete the requirements of the State of Texas for teacher certification as listed in the College of Education, including 12 hours of courses and student teaching. Must maintain a minimum 2.75 overall GPA and a minimum 2.75 GPA on the following courses:

[MUED 3200 - Musicianship for Teaching III](#) (3)
[MUED 4109 – Methods and Materials for Teaching Instrumental Music in Elementary Schools](#) (3)
[HDFS 3123 - Child Development](#) (3)
[EDCI 3800 - Professional Issues in Teaching](#) (3)
[EDCI 4060 – Content Area Reading](#) (3)

Student Teaching

Application must be submitted one semester prior to registering.

[EDSE 4148 - Student Teaching for Music Education](#) (3)
[EDME 4103 - Student Teaching in Grades 4–8](#) (3)

Other requirements

- All non-keyboard majors must enroll in Keyboard Skills classes each long term/semester until [Secondary Piano Proficiency](#) is passed.
- Keyboard majors must pass [Open Score/Transposition Exam](#).
- Must pass the [Concentration Proficiency Exam](#) in Harp.
- Must pass high and low string competency prior to MUED 4000-level course enrollment.
- ##### Select from MUMH 1610, 2050, 2060, 3100, or 3200