

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MUSIC (EC-12 MUSIC CERTIFICATION, STRINGS EMPHASIS)

The Bachelor of Arts degree in Music with an education minor and teacher certification is designed to prepare music educators to teach all grade levels, EC - 12. The curriculum provides a comprehensive musical foundation, along with the training needed to guide students to an appreciation and understanding of music as an art form and cultural phenomenon. Curricular requirements integrate music students with the university general education requirements and a core of professional education courses.

Total Semester Credit Hours (sch): 129-132

Major: 61 sch Required Minor: 26 sch

MUSIC.BA CIP Code: 50.0901.00

Admissions:

Please refer to the Admission section of this catalog regarding acceptance into TWU.

To obtain acceptance into the undergraduate Educator Preparation Program, you must have:

(All criteria required before taking EDUC 3003, EDUC 3482, EDUC 4113, EDUC 4243, and Clinical Student Teaching)

- Completion of EDUC 2003 (C or better)
- Cumulative GPA of 2.75
- Demonstrate basic skills in reading, written communication, and mathematics by meeting the requirements of the Texas Success Initiative;
- Testing Requirements (please note: all testing requirements are subject to change)
 - TASP/THEA Scores: Reading 260, Math 240, Writing 240; OR
 - Accuplacer Scores: Reading 80, Math 65, Writing 82/6; OR
 - ACT Scores: Verbal 19, Math 19, Composite 23; OR
 - SAT Scores:
 - Prior to March 5, 2016 - Verbal 500, Math 500, Composite 1070;
 - On/After March 5, 2016 – EBRW 480, Math 530

ACT and SAT scores cannot be more than five years old

- Successful completion of a pre-admission interview with assigned faculty advisor
- Minimum of 12 to 15 semester credit hours in the subject-specific content area for the certification sought
- Signed application for admission to the Educator Preparation Program
- Signed Commitment Contract acknowledging awareness and understanding of the Dispositions Policy and Educators' Code of Ethics
- Submit a non-refundable Texas Education Agency Fee
- Acknowledgment and acceptance of admission to the Educator Preparation Program

Students must maintain the admission requirements to remain a student in the TWU Education Preparation Program.

Degree Requirements

Texas Core Curriculum

Code	Title	SCHs
ENG 1013	Composition I	3
ENG 1023	Composition II	3
Mathematics		3
Life & Physical Sciences		6
Language, Philosophy, & Culture		3
Creative Arts		3
HIST 1013	History of the United States, 1492-1865	3
HIST 1023	History of the United States, 1865 to the Present	3
GOV 2013	U.S. National Government	3
GOV 2023	Texas Government	3
Social & Behavioral Sciences		3
CAO: Women's Studies		3
CAO: First Year Seminar, Wellness or Mathematics		3
Total SCHs		42

Courses Required for Major

Code	Title	SCHs
MU 1021	Keyboard Musicianship I	1
MU 1031	Keyboard Musicianship II	1
MU 2061	Keyboard Musicianship III	1
MU 1521	Aural Skills I	1
MU 1523	Music Theory I	3
MU 1531	Aural Skills II	1
MU 1533	Music Theory II	3
MU 2521	Aural Skills III	1
MU 2523	Music Theory III	3
MU 2531	Aural Skills IV	1
MU 2533	Music Theory IV	3
MU 3313	Music History I	3
MU 3323	Music History II	3
MU 4512	Instrumental Arranging	2
Principal Instrument (4 sch at 4000 level)		12
Music Ensemble		6
Performance Juries (6 completed)		
Barrier Exam		
Capstone Performance		
Total SCHs		45

Music Education

Special Requirement: A grade of "B" or higher for courses to be counted toward the degree.

Code	Title	SCHs
MU 3542	Conducting I	2
MU 2202	Introduction to Music Education	2
MU 3832	Elementary Music Content	2

MU 3401	Voice Class	1
MU 3001	Brass Techniques	1
MU 3011	Percussion Techniques I	1
MU 3031	String Techniques	1
MU 3041	Woodwind Techniques	1
MU 3432	Secondary Methods and Literature I	2
MU 3602	Secondary Methods and Literature II	2
MU 3601	Advanced Conducting	1
Elementary Music Proficiency Exam		
Instrumental Music Proficiency Exam		
Total SCHs		16

Other Requirements

Code	Title	SCHs
MU 3713	Music and World Cultures (GP)	3
Total SCHs		3

Education Minor

Code	Title	SCHs
EDUC 2003	Schools and Society	3
Admission to Teacher Education Program		
EDUC 3003	Learning Theory and Development	3
EDUC 3482	Teaching Diverse Learners Through Technology Integration	2
EDUC 4113	Design and Implementation of Instruction and Assessment	3
EDSP 4203	Learners with Exceptionalities	3
EDUC 4243	Classroom Environment and Management	3
EDUC 4823	Student Teaching: All-Level Music	3
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READ 3013	Literacy and Learning across the Curriculum	3
Total SCHs		26

(GP) Satisfies global perspectives graduation requirement.

Plan of Study

First Year

Fall		TCCN	SCHs
MU 1021	Keyboard Musicianship I	MUSI 1181	1
MU 1112	Music and Wellness		2
MU 1521	Aural Skills I	MUSI 1116, MUSI 1216	1
MU 1523	Music Theory I	MUSI 1211, MUSI 1311	3
MU 2202	Introduction to Music Education		2
Large Ensemble			1
Applied Music: Primary Instrument			2
UNIV 1231	Learning Frameworks: The First Year Experience	EDUC 1100, EDUC 1200, EDUC 1300	1

ENG 1013	Composition I	ENGL 1301	3
SCHs			16

Spring

		TCCN	
MU 1031	Keyboard Musicianship II	MUSI 1182	1
MU 1531	Aural Skills II	MUSI 1117, MUSI 1217	1
MU 1533	Music Theory II	MUSI 1212, MUSI 1312	3
MU 3001	Brass Techniques		1
MU 3401	Voice Class		1
Large Ensemble			1
Applied Music: Primary Instrument			2
ENG 1023	Composition II	ENGL 1302	3
Social/Behavioral Science Core			3
SCHs			16

Second Year

Fall		TCCN	
MU 2061	Keyboard Musicianship III	MUSI 2181	1
MU 2521	Aural Skills III	MUSI 2116, MUSI 2216	1
MU 2523	Music Theory III	MUSI 2211, MUSI 2311	3
Large Ensemble			1
Applied Music: Primary Instrument			2
HIST 1013	History of the United States, 1492-1865	HIST 1301	3
Life/Physical Sciences Core			3
Mathematics Core			3
SCHs			17

Spring

		TCCN	
MU 2531	Aural Skills IV	MUSI 2117, MUSI 2217	1
MU 2533	Music Theory IV	MUSI 2312	3
MU 3011	Percussion Techniques I		1
Large Ensemble			1
Applied Music: Primary Instrument			2
HIST 1023	History of the United States, 1865 to the Present	HIST 1302	3
Language, Philosophy, & Culture Core			3
SCHs			14

Third Year

Fall		TCCN	
MU 3031	String Techniques		1
MU 3313	Music History I		3
MU 3432	Secondary Methods and Literature I		2

MU 3542	Conducting I		2	Fifth Year		
MU 4512	Instrumental Arranging		2	Fall	TCCN	
Large Ensemble			1	EDUC 4823	Student Teaching: All-Level Music	3
Applied Music: Primary Instrument			2			
EDSP 4203	Learners with Exceptionalities		3	EDUC 4823	Student Teaching: All-Level Music	3
			16			
Spring		TCCN				6
MU 3041	Woodwind Techniques		1	Total SCHs:		129
MU 3323	Music History II		3	(GP) courses satisfy global perspectives graduation requirement.		
MU 3601	Advanced Conducting		1			
MU 3602	Secondary Methods and Literature II		2			
Large Ensemble			1			
Applied Music: Primary Instrument			2			
EDUC 3003	Learning Theory and Development		3			
Life/Physical Science Core			3			
			16			
Fourth Year						
Fall		TCCN				
MU 3703	Women in Music		3			
MU 3713 (GP)	Music and World Cultures		3			
GOV 2013	U.S. National Government	GOVT 2305	3			
EDUC 3003	Learning Theory and Development		3			
EDUC 3482	Teaching Diverse Learners Through Technology Integration		2			
			14			
Spring		TCCN				
MU 3832	Elementary Music Content		2			
GOV 2023	Texas Government	GOVT 2306	3			
READ 3013	Literacy and Learning across the Curriculum		3			
EDUC 4113	Design and Implementation of Instruction and Assessment		3			
EDUC 4243	Classroom Environment and Management		3			
			14			
			SCHs			