Bachelor of Music-Music Education Major
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Entrance Writing Sample Placement Test: ________________

Admission
All students must apply for and be admitted into the approved music education program. Students must meet the required criteria for admission by passing the Virginia Board of Education prescribed assessments and earn the minimum required grade point averages (GPA).

Virginia Board of Education prescribed assessments:
- A passing PRAXIS I composite score of 532 or
- Qualifying SAT or ACT test scores or
- PRAXIS I Math test score of 178 and a composite Virginia Communication and Literacy (VCLA) score of 470 or
- SAT Mathematics test score of 530 and a composite Virginia Communication and Literacy (VCLA) score of 470 or
- ACT Mathematics test score of 22 and a composite Virginia Communication and Literacy (VCLA) score of 470

To review more information on the Virginia Board of Education prescribed assessments, visit the Teacher Education website, www.odu.edu/tes.

Required grade point averages (GPA)
- A cumulative GPA of 2.75 is required.
- A major/content GPA of 2.75 is required – A grade of C or better is required in MUSC 362W. All other Music courses must be passed with a grade of C- or higher.
- A professional education GPA of 2.75 is required – All professional education courses must be passed with a grade of C- or higher.

Although students may enroll in a limited number of education courses, students must be admitted into the approved music education program prior to enrolling in any instructional strategies practicum education course. Students must also meet with an education advisor in the Office of Teacher Education Services.

Continuance
Students must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.75, a major/content GPA of 2.75 and a professional education GPA of 2.75. A grade of C or better is required in all other music courses must be passed with a grade of C- or higher. The remaining courses required for the major and in the professional education core must be completed with a grade of C- or higher for continuance. A professional education GPA of 2.75 is required for continuance. Students must take and pass the Virginia Communication and Literacy Assessment (VCLA) and the PRAXIS II Music content knowledge examination prior to or while enrolled in the instructional strategies course. All assessments must be passed prior to the start of the Teacher Candidate Internship Orientation session.

Virginia Board of Education prescribed assessments:
- Virginia Communication and Literacy Assessment (VCLA) – a passing composite score of 470 is required on this reading and writing assessment.
- PRAXIS II Music: Content Knowledge (test code 0113) – passing score of 160 is required for MUSC 404 or MUSC 408

To review more information on the Virginia Board of Education prescribed assessments, visit the Teacher Education Services website, www.odu.edu/tes.

Graduation
Requirements for graduation include completion of ENGL 110C, ENGL 211C or 221C or 231C, and the writing intensive (W) course in the major with a grade of C or better; completion of the Senior Assessment; a minimum cumulative 2.75 GPA in the major area and in the professional education core with no grade less than a C- in the major/content and the professional education core; successful completion of the Teacher Candidate Internship, and a minimum of 128 credit hours, which must include both a minimum of 32 credit hours overall and 12 credit hours of upper-level courses in the major program from Old Dominion University.

Due to changing University requirements, national accreditation standards, and the Virginia Board of Education licensure regulations, the teacher education programs in the College of Arts and Letters are under constant revision. Any changes resulting from these factors supersede the program requirements described in this Catalog. Students are encouraged to obtain current program information from their advisors and from the Teacher Education Services website at www.odu.edu/tes.

The voice concentration requires passage of a voice proficiency examination and a piano proficiency examination before a student is eligible for Teacher Candidate Internship.

LOWER DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION
A. Skills
Written Communication
(C or better required in ENGL 110C before declaring major)
ENGL 110C (C or better) __________3__________
ENGL 211C (C or better) __________3__________

Oral Communication (Satisfied in major)
Mathematics __________3__________
MATH 101M, 102M, 162M or STAT 130M

Language and Culture __________0-6__________

Information Literacy and Research __________3__________
CS 120G, 121G or IT 150G

B. Ways of Knowing
Human Creativity __________3__________
ARTH 121A, ARTS 122A, DANC 185A, THEA 241A, COMM/THEA 270A (MUSC 264A cannot be used)

Interpreting the Past __________3__________
HIST 100H, 101H, 102H, 103H, 104H, or 105H

Literature __________3__________
ENGL 112L, 114L or FLET 100L
Philosophy & Ethics 3
PHIL 110P, 120P, 140P, 230E, 250E, 303E, 344E, 345E,
441E or 442E

The Nature of Science 4
BIO 105N-106N, 108N-109N, 4
CHEM 105N/106N-107N/108N, PHYS 101N-102N, 103N-
104N, OAES 106N-107N, OAES 110N (or 111N)-112N

Human Behavior 3
AAST 100S; ANTR 110S; COMM 200S; CRJS 215S; ECON
200S, 201S, 202S; FIN 210S, GEOG 100S, 101S; POLS
100S, 101S, 102S; PSYC 201S, 203S; SOC201S; WMST
201S

Impact of Technology (Satisfied in major by MUSC 335T)

Departmental Requirements
MUSC 221 Music Theory I 3
MUSC 222 Music Theory II 3
MUSC 223 Ear Training, Sight Sing, Dictation 1
MUSC 224 Ear Training, Sight Sing, Dictation 1
MUSC 261 Music Literature Survey I 1
MUSC 262 Music Literature Survey II 1
MUSC 309 Principles of Conducting 1
MUSC 321 Advanced Theory I 2
MUSC 322 Advanced Theory II 2
MUSC 323 Adv Ear Trn, Sight Sing 1
MUSC 324 Adv Ear Trn, Sight Sing 1
MUSC 335T MIDI I 3
MUSC 361 History of Music 3
MUSC 362W History of Music 3

Students must earn a grade of C or better in MUSC 221,
222, 223, 224, 321, 362W and 323 to advance to the next
level. In addition, students must earn a grade of C- or
better in MUSC 322, 324 and 361.

Students must select one of the following concentrations:
Instrumental Concentration
MUSC 101 Beginning Piano Class I 1
MUSC 102 Beginning Piano Class II 1
MUSC 107 Beginning Voice Class I 1
MUSC 301 Music Ed: Trumpet 1
MUSC 302 Music Ed: Brass 1
MUSC 303 Music Ed: Clarinet 1
MUSC 304 Music Ed: Woodwind 1
MUSC 305 Upper Strings Class 1
MUSC 306 Lower Strings Class 1
MUSC 307 Music Ed: Percussion 1
MUSC 414 Adv. Instrumental Conducting 2
MUSC 426 Marching Band Tech & Arranging 2
Small Instrumental Ensemble (two semesters) 2
Large Instrumental Ensemble (five semesters) 5
Applied Mus. Prim. Perf. Area – MUSA 141-441 14
Completion of half-hour senior recital required

Woodwind, brass, and percussion majors must elect band as
their large ensemble; string majors must elect orchestra.
MUSA 141-441 at least 2 credits must be at the 400 level.

Voice, Keyboard or Guitar Concentration (must also select a
primary and secondary emphasis)
MUSC 345 Diction for Singers I 1
MUSC 346 Diction for Singers II 1
MUSC 409 Music Ed: Instrum. Tech 1

MUSC 413 Music Ed: Adv Choral Conducting 2
MUSC 425 Arranging 2
Applied Music Requirement-MUSA 141-441. 14 credits
of the primary performance area, at least 2 of which must
be at the 400-level, are required. Successful completion of a
half-hour recital.

Ensemble: Students are required to participate in five
semesters of Concert Choir and two semesters of small
vocal ensemble. Guitarists may choose guitar ensembles in
lieu of small vocal ensemble.

Voice Emphasis
MUSC 101 Beginning Piano I 1
MUSC 102 Beginning Piano II 1
MUSC 139 Intermediate Piano I 1
MUSC 140 Intermediate Piano II 1
MUSC 239 Advanced Piano I 1
MUSC 240 Advanced Piano II 1

Keyboard or Guitar Emphasis
MUSC 107 Beginning Voice I 1
MUSC 108 Beginning Voice II 1
MUSC 109 Intermediate Voice I 1
MUSC 110 Intermediate Voice II 1
MUSC 111 Advanced Voice I 1
MUSC 112 Advanced Voice II 1
Recital Attendance (Blue Card Requirement)

PLEASE NOTE: All Bachelor of Music Education majors
are required to attend 60 Blue Card events in order to be
eligible for graduation. These department-approved
events are posted each semester.

Professional Education (32 credits)
Vocal, Keyboard, or Guitar
MUSC 401 Music Ed: Elem Voc Meth 2
MUSC 402 Music Ed: Prac Elem Voc 1
MUSC 403 Music Ed: Secondary Voc 2
MUSC 404 Music Ed: Prac Second Voc 1
(Passing score of 160-PRAXIS II Music Content Knowledge
required for MUSC 404)

OR Instrumental
MUSC 405 Music Ed: Ele Inst Methods 2
MUSC 406 Music Ed: Prac Ele Instrument 1
MUSC 407 Music Ed: Sec Inst Methods 2
MUSC 408 Music Ed: Prac Sec Instrument 1
(Passing score of 160-PRAXIS II Music Content Knowledge
required for MUSC 408)

AND
TLED 301 Foundations & Assess. of Education 3
TLED 360 Classroom Management & Discipline 2
TLED 408 Reading & Writing in Content Area 3
TLED 485 Teacher Candidate Internship 12
SPED 313 Fund.-Human Growth & Development 3
SPED 406 Students with Diverse Learning Needs 3

UPPER LEVEL GENERAL EDUCATION
Satisfied through the professional education sequence.