## FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)

**General Education Coursework:**
- ENGL 110C (Grade of C or better required) 3
- Mathematics 3
- Major Coursework:
  - MUSA 141 2
  - MUSC 221 (Grade of C or better required) 3
  - MUSC 223 (Grade of C or better required) 1
  - MUSC 261 1
  - MUSC 3XX Ensemble or Large Ensemble** 1
- Emphasis courses* 2

**SUMMER**

**General Education Coursework:**
- Language & Culture I* (may be waived)

**SPRING SEMESTER (15-17 credits)**

**General Education Coursework:**
- Interpreting the Past 3
- Major Coursework:
  - MUSA 142 2
  - MUSC 222 (Grade of C or better required) 3
  - MUSC 224 (Grade of C or better required) 1
  - MUSC 262 1
  - MUSC 3XX Ensemble or Large Ensemble** 1
- Emphasis courses* 1-3

**YEAR 1 - FRESHMAN (31-33 CREDITS)**

**FALL SEMESTER (17-18 credits)**

**General Education Coursework:**
- The Nature of Science I 4

**Major Coursework:**
- MUSA 241 2
- MUSC 321 (Grade of C or better required) 2
- MUSC 323 (Grade of C or better required) 3
- MUSC 361 (Grade of C- or better required) 1
- MUSC 3XX Ensemble or Large Ensemble** 1
- Emphasis courses* 1-2

**SUMMER**

**Professional Education Coursework:**
- MUSC 300 3

**SPRING SEMESTER (17-19 credits)**

**General Education Coursework:**
- The Nature of Science II 4

**Major Coursework:**
- MUSA 242 2
- MUSC 322 (Grade of C- or better required) 2
- MUSC 324 (Grade of C- or better required) 1
- MUSC 362W (Grade of C or better required) 3
- MUSC 3XX Ensemble or Large Ensemble** 1
- Emphasis courses* 1-3

**YEAR 2 - SOPHOMORE (34-37 CREDITS)**

**FALL SEMESTER (16-17 credits)**

**Major Coursework:**
- MUSA 341 2
- MUSC 309 1
- MUSC 335T (Satisfies Impact of Technology) 3
- MUSC 401 2
- MUSC 3XX Ensemble or Large Ensemble** 1
- Emphasis courses* 4-5

**SUMMER**

**Professional Education Coursework:**
- TLED 360 2
- SPED 406 3

**SPRING SEMESTER (17-19 credits)**

**General Education Coursework:**
- Literature 3

**Major Coursework:**
- MUSA 342 2
- MUSC 3XX Ensemble or Small Ensemble** 3
- Emphasis courses* 6-8

**YEAR 3 - JUNIOR (33-36 CREDITS)**

**FALL SEMESTER (18 credits)**

**General Education Coursework:**
- Human Behavior 3
- Information Literacy and Research 3
- Human Creativity (May not use MUSC 264A or MUSC 126A) 3
- Philosophy and Ethics 3

**Major Coursework:**
- MUSA 441 2
- MUSC 3XX Ensemble or Small Ensemble** 1

**SUMMER**

**Professional Education Coursework:**
- TLED 408 3

**SPRING SEMESTER (12 credits)**

**General Education Coursework:**
- TLED 485 (Student Teaching) 12

**YEAR 4 - SENIOR (30 CREDITS)**

*Students must select one of the following concentrations: Instrumental, Voice, Keyboard, or Guitar. Voice, Keyboard or Guitar Concentration: Guitarists must select all courses in the Voice or Guitar Emphasis and the Keyboard or Guitar Emphasis, listed in the Catalog. Instrumental Concentration: Woodwind, brass, and percussion majors must elect band as their large ensemble; string majors must elect orchestra. In addition, woodwind, brass and percussion majors are required to complete one semester of Marching Band, MUSC 390 (counted toward small ensemble credit). Please consult your catalog and advisor for your best option.

**PLEASE NOTE:** All Bachelor of Music Education majors are required to attend 50 Blue Card events in order to be eligible for graduation. These department-approved events are posted each semester. Eight of the 50 Blue Cards required for graduation must be Diehn Series concerts. Students may not graduate without fulfilling this requirement. It is strongly recommended that a student attend a minimum of two Diehn concerts per year to meet this goal.

Majors must have a grade of C or better in all courses counted toward the major and a grade of C- or better in all professional education coursework. All students must apply for and be admitted into the approved teacher education program. Please refer to the catalog and consult your advisor for additional requirements and eligibility for teacher licensure in Virginia. Upper Division General Education is satisfied through professional education sequence.