**MUSIC EDUCATION: INSTRUMENTAL/VOCAL CERTIFICATION, BM**

### Degree Requirements

**Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2020-2021.** Learn more about University Academic Regulation 3.1 (http://catalog.okstate.edu/university-academic-regulations/#matriculation).

**Minimum Overall Grade Point Average:** 2.50  
**Total Hours:** 129

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### Foreign Language
See note 3  
0-6 hours

### Upper-Division General Education
Select 6 hours outside major department  
See note 2.c.

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### Major Requirements
Minimum 2.50 GPA in all MUSI, JAZZ, and Professional Education courses with a minimum grade of "C" in each course.

#### Lower Division
- MUSI 1531  Sight Singing and Aural Skills  1
- MUSI 1532  Theory of Music I  2
- MUSI 1541  Sight Singing and Aural Skills II  1
- MUSI 1542  Theory of Music II  2
- MUSI 2551  Sight Singing and Aural Skills III  1
- MUSI 2552  Theory of Music III  2
- MUSI 2561  Sight Singing and Aural Skills IV  1
- MUSI 2562  Theory of Music IV  2

Select 8 hours of lower-division Applied Major Music Lessons  8

- MUSI 1250  Major Organ  
- & MUSI 2250  Major Organ (or)
- MUSI 1260  Major Piano  
- & MUSI 2260  Major Piano (or)
- MUSI 1270  Major Voice  
- & MUSI 2270  Major Voice (or)
- MUSI 1280  Major Violin  
- & MUSI 2280  Major Violin (or)
- MUSI 1290  Major Viola  
- & MUSI 2290  Major Viola (or)
- MUSI 1300  Major Cello  
- & MUSI 2300  Major Cello (or)
- MUSI 1310  Major Double Bass  
- & MUSI 2310  Major Double Bass (or)
- MUSI 1340  Major Flute  
- & MUSI 2340  Major Flute (or)
- MUSI 1350  Major Oboe  
- & MUSI 2350  Major Oboe (or)
- MUSI 1360  Major Clarinet  
- & MUSI 2360  Major Clarinet (or)
- MUSI 1370  Major Saxophone  
- & MUSI 2370  Major Saxophone (or)
- MUSI 1380  Major Bassoon  
- & MUSI 2380  Major Bassoon (or)
- MUSI 1390  Major Trumpet  
- & MUSI 2390  Major Trumpet (or)
- MUSI 1400  Major French Horn  
- & MUSI 2400  Major French Horn (or)
- MUSI 1410  Major Trombone  
- & MUSI 2410  Major Trombone (or)
- MUSI 1420  Major Euphonium  
- & MUSI 2420  Major Euphonium (or)
- MUSI 1430  Major Tuba  
- & MUSI 2430  Major Tuba (or)
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MUSI 1440 & MUSI 2440 Major Percussion and Major Percussion
Select 4 hours of lower-division Major Music Organization
MUSI 2610 University Bands I
MUSI 2620 Symphony Orchestra I
MUSI 2630 University Choral Ensembles I

Upper Division
MUSI 3582 Survey of World Musics 2
MUSI 3722 Basic Conducting 2
MUSI 3763 History of Music from 1600-1800 3
MUSI 3783 Form And Analysis 3
MUSI 3873 History of Music from 1800-Present 3
MUSI 4901 Senior Recital 1
MUSI 4972 Post Tonal Analysis 2
Select 5 hours of upper-division Applied Major Music Lessons (to include at least 1 hour at 4000 level)
MUSI 3260 & MUSI 4260 Major Piano and Major Piano (or)
MUSI 3270 & MUSI 4270 Major Voice and Major Voice (or)
MUSI 3280 & MUSI 4280 Major Violin and Major Violin (or)
MUSI 3290 & MUSI 4290 Major Viola and Major Viola (or)
MUSI 3300 & MUSI 4300 Major Cello and Major Cello (or)
MUSI 3310 & MUSI 4310 Major Double Bass and Major Double Bass (or)
MUSI 3340 & MUSI 4340 Major Flute and Major Flute (or)
MUSI 3350 & MUSI 4350 Major Oboe and Major Oboe (or)
MUSI 3360 & MUSI 4360 Major Clarinet and Major Clarinet (or)
MUSI 3370 & MUSI 4370 Major Saxophone and Major Saxophone (or)
MUSI 3380 & MUSI 4380 Major Bassoon and Major Bassoon (or)
MUSI 3390 & MUSI 4390 Major Trumpet and Major Trumpet (or)
MUSI 3400 & MUSI 4400 Major French Horn and Major French Horn (or)
MUSI 3410 & MUSI 4410 Major Trombone and Major Trombone (or)
MUSI 3420 & MUSI 4420 Major Euphonium and Major Euphonium (or)
MUSI 3430 & MUSI 4430 Major Tuba and Major Tuba (or)
MUSI 3440 & MUSI 4440 Major Percussion and Major Percussion (or)

Electives
MUSI 3832 Elementary Music Methods 2
MUSI 3640 Vocal Rehearsal Practicum 1
or MUSI 3641 Instrumental Rehearsal Practicum
MUSI 4742 Student Teaching Seminar in Music Education 2
MUSI 4940 Student Teaching in Public School Music Education 6

Total Hours 129

College and Departmental Requirements that may be used to meet Gen Ed Requirements

Certification

Instrumental
Code Title Hours
MUSI 1011 Class Piano I 1
MUSI 1021 Class Piano II 1
MUSI 2010 Piano Class Lessons 1
Select 5 hours of Instrumental Techniques Classes from:
MUSI 1071 Single Reed Techniques 3
MUSI 1081 Double Reed Techniques 3
MUSI 1091 High Brass Techniques 3
MUSI 2051 High String Techniques 3
MUSI 2061 Low String Techniques 3
MUSI 2071 Flute Techniques 3
MUSI 2091 Low Brass Techniques 3
MUSI 3852 Secondary Instrumental Methods 3
MUSI 4912 Orchestration and Arranging 2
or JAZZ 4102 Jazz Arranging & Composition 2
Select 3 hours of upper-division large ensemble of the following:
MUSI 3610 University Bands II 3
MUSI 3620 Symphony Orchestra II 3
MUSI 3630 University Choral Ensembles II 3
Choose one:
MUSI 3842 Marching Bands Methods (Winds, Brass, & Percussion) 3
MUSI 4890 Special Studies in Music Pedagogy (2 hours, Strings) 3

Vocal/Keyboard
Code Title Hours
Select 3 hours of lower-division Minor Music Lesson Field from:
MUSI 1011 Class Piano I 3
MUSI 1021 Class Piano II 3
MUSI 2010 Piano Class Lessons 3
MUSI 1190 Secondary Piano 3
MUSI 3190 Secondary Piano
MUSI 1120 Elective Piano
MUSI 3120 Elective Piano
MUSI 1110 Elective Organ
MUSI 3110 Elective Organ
MUSI 1200 Secondary Voice
MUSI 3200 Secondary Voice
MUSI 1130 Elective Voice
MUSI 3130 Elective Voice
MUSI 1631 Introduction to Diction for Singers
MUSI 3732 Secondary Choral Methods
MUSI 3932 Intermediate Music Methods
MUSI 4842 Choral Literature for the Classroom
MUSI 4912 Orchestration and Arranging
MUSI 4102 Jazz Arranging & Composition

Choose Keyboard or Vocal

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<td>MUSI 3130 Elective Voice (2 hours)</td>
<td>MUSI 3100 Piano Skills for Vocal Music Education Majors</td>
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<td>MUSI 4042 Collaborative Piano I</td>
<td>MUSI 4000 Chamber Ensembles (1 hour)</td>
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<td>MUSI 4600 Chamber Ensembles (1 hour)</td>
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Select 3 hours upper-division large ensemble of the following:

MUSI 3610 University Bands II
MUSI 3620 Symphony Orchestra II
MUSI 3630 University Choral Ensembles II

All Music Majors must successfully complete an entrance audition, upper-division theory examination, keyboard proficiency examination, and six semesters of MUSI 0500 Student Recital Attendance and must participate in Applied Major Music Lessons each semester of residence. All wind and percussion instrumental music education majors must enroll in MUSI 2610 University Bands I/MUSI 3610 University Bands II each fall semester, except while student teaching.

Other Requirements

- See the College of Arts and Sciences Requirements.
- Upper-Division Credit: Total hours must include at least 40 hours in courses numbered 3000 or above.
- Hours in One Department: For B.A. and B.S. degrees, no more than 54 hours in one department may be applied to degree requirements.

College of Arts and Sciences Requirements

1. General Education Requirements

No more than two courses (or eight hours) from the major department (http://catalog.okstate.edu/college-arts-sciences-major-departments/) may be used to meet General Education and College and Departmental Requirements. The General Education required English Composition, required U.S. History, required American Government, one required MATH or STAT course, and required foreign language for B.A. degrees do not count against the two-course maximum.

2. A&S College/Departmental Requirements

a. Arts and Humanities are defined as any course carrying an (H) designation or courses from AMST, ART, DANC, ENGL (except ENGL 3323 Technical Writing) HIST, MUSI, PHIL (except PHIL 1313 Logic and Critical Thinking (A), PHIL 3003 Symbolic Logic (A) and PHIL 4003 Mathematical Logic and Computability), REL, TH, and foreign languages.

b. Natural and Mathematical Sciences are defined as any course from the following prefixes: ASTR, BIOC, BIOL, CHEM, CS (except CS 4883 Social Issues in Computing), GEOG, MATH, MICR, PBIO, PHYS, and STAT; or courses from other departments that carry an (A) or (N) general education designation.

c. The required six hours of upper-division General Education may not include courses from the student’s major department. This requirement may be satisfied by courses also used to satisfy any part of a student’s degree program (i.e., in General Education, College Departmental Requirements, Major Requirements or Electives).

d. Non-Western Studies Requirement for B.A. and B.F.A.; One three-hour course in Non-Western Studies (N.W.). This requirement may be satisfied by courses also used to satisfy any part of a student’s degree program (i.e., in General Education, College Departmental Requirements, Major Requirements or Electives).

e. The College of Arts & Sciences requires a minimum 2.0 GPA in all major requirements and a minimum 2.0 GPA in all major-prefix courses applied to the degree.

3. Foreign Language Proficiency

a. The foreign language requirement for the B.A. may be satisfied by 9 hours college credit in the same language, which must include 3 hours at the 2000-level, or equivalent proficiency (e.g., passing an advanced standing examination; TOEFL exam; presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates the high school was primarily conducted in a language other than English; etc.).

b. The foreign language requirement for the B.S., B.M. and B.F.A. may be satisfied by presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates two years of study of a single foreign language (passing grades at second-year level of study). It may also be satisfied by 6 hours college credit in the same language, which must include language courses 1713 and 1813, or equivalent proficiency (e.g., passing an advanced standing examination; TOEFL exam; presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates the high school was primarily conducted in a language other than English; etc.).

Computer Science courses may not be used to satisfy this requirement. Currently Arabic and Mvskoke are not offered at the 2000-level at OSU.

b. The foreign language requirement for the B.S., B.M. and B.F.A. may be satisfied by presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates two years of study of a single foreign language (passing grades at second-year level of study). It may also be satisfied by 6 hours college credit in the same language, which must include language courses 1713 and 1813, or equivalent proficiency (e.g., passing an advanced standing examination; TOEFL exam; presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates the high school was primarily conducted in a language other than English; etc.).

Computer Science courses may not be used to satisfy this requirement.

c. In addition to a. and b., students pursuing teacher certification must meet novice-high foreign language proficiency by presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates two years of study of a single foreign language with no grade below B.

Or, students may complete 3 hours college credit in a single language with no grade below C (or pass an advanced standing examination, College Level Examination Program (CLEP) exam, or Oral Proficiency Interview developed by the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages, equivalent to 3 hours of college credit.)

Or, students may meet the requirement by transfer of documentation of meeting the foreign language competency from one of the teacher education programs in the State of
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Oklahoma approved by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education.

4. **Exclusions**
   a. Courses used to satisfy the General Education English Composition, U.S. History, American Government, and Mathematics or Statistics requirements will not count toward the 54-hour maximum allowed from one department.
   b. Courses with ATHL or LEIS prefixes and leisure activity courses may not be used for degree credit.

5. **Teacher Certification**
   Students can satisfy the requirements for secondary schools teaching certification while earning a B.A. or B.S. in the College of Arts & Sciences. Those interested should see their Arts and Sciences advisor and the OSU Professional Education Unit in room 325 Willard.

**Additional State/OSU Requirements**

- At least: 60 hours at a four-year institution; 30 hours completed at OSU; 15 of the final 30 or 50% of the upper-division hours in the major field completed at OSU.
- Limit of: one-half of major course requirements as transfer work; one-fourth of hours earned by correspondence; 8 transfer correspondence hours.
- Students will be held responsible for degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation and any changes that are made, so long as these changes do not result in semester credit hours being added or do not delay graduation.
- Degrees that follow this plan must be completed by the end of Summer 2026.