Nebraska Wesleyan University

Catalog 2023-2024

Major:

Music Education, Combination (B.M.)

Departments/Programs:

Education (Undergraduate) Music

Music Education Major, Combination with Vocal Emphasis Instrumental Emphasis (B.M., 97 hours)

Performance Course Work	16 hours
Major Instrument	7 hours
Primary Ensemble	7 hours
Secondary Ensemble	2 hours
MUSIC 1000 Recitals (taken every semester in residence)	0 hours
MUSIC 4940 Senior Recital	0-1 hours
Supporting Music Course Work	29 hours
Music History and Literature:	
MUSIC 2810 World Music Cultures	3 hours
MUSIC 3830 Music History I: Gender Equity	4 hours
MUSIC 3860 Music History II: Racial Equity	4 hours
Music Theory:	
MUSIC 1610 Music Theory I	3 hours
MUSIC 1620 Musicianship I	1 hour
MUSIC 1630 Music Theory II	3 hours
MUSIC 1640 Musicianship II	1 hour
MUSIC 2610 Music Theory III	3 hours
MUSIC 2620 Musicianship III	1 hour
MUSIC 2630 Music Theory IV	3 hours
MUSIC 2640 Musicianship IV	1 hour
MUSIC 3610 Arranging and Instrumentation	2 hours
Music Education	17 hours
EDUC 1010 Introduction to Education in the United States	2 hours
MUSIC 2500 Conducting I	2 hours
MUSIC 2510 Conducting II	2 hours
MUSIC 2700 Computers and Technology for the Musician and the Music Educator	2 hours

Music Education	17 hours
MUSIC 3530 Secondary Instrumental Methods and MUSIC 3530L Secondary Instrumental Methods Lab	
MUSIC 3540 Elementary General Music Methods and MUSIC 3540L Elementary General Music Methods Lab	
MUSIC 3550 Secondary Vocal Music Methods and MUSIC 3550L Secondary Choral Methods Lab	3 hours
Proficiencies	7 hours
Piano:	
MUSIC 1510 Piano Proficiency I and MUSIC 1510L Piano Proficiency 1 Lab	1 hour
MUSIC 1520 Piano Proficiency II and MUSIC 1520L Piano Proficiency II Lab	1 hour
Techniques:	5 hours

Choose five of the following:

- MUSIC 1540 Woodwind Techniques
- MUSIC 1550 Brass Techniques
- MUSIC 1560 String Techniques
- MUSIC 1570 Percussion Techniques
- MUSIC 1580 Guitar Techniques
- MUSIC 2410 Singerâ??s Diction
- MUSIC 2420 Vocal Pedagogy

Capstone	2 hours
MUSIC 4980 Senior Capstone Seminar	2 hours
Professional Education Courses Required for Certification	26 hours
EDUC 1750 Field Experience	1 hour
EDUC 2050 Human Development and Learning I and EDUC 2050L Human Development and Learning I Laboratory	2 hours
EDUC 2060 Human Development and Learning II	2 hours
SPED 2070 Understanding Human Differences or SPED 3070 Methods for Teaching Secondary Students with Disabilities	3 hours
EDUC 2850 Education in a Pluralistic Society	3 hours
EDUC 4790 Supervised Teaching in Elementary School Music	7 hours
EDUC 4830 Supervised Teaching in Secondary School Music	7 hours
EDUC 4990 Student Teaching Seminar	1 hour

Vocal emphasis students must be in a choral ensemble as their major ensemble and an instrumental ensemble as their secondary ensemble. Instrumental emphasis students must be in an instrumental ensemble as their major ensemble and a choral ensemble as their secondary ensemble.

It is expected that students desiring the music education (combination emphasis) major will have competency on a secondary instrument. Those not meeting this secondary competency must register in the appropriate applied music courses. In case of questions, a secondary instrument competency audition will be required as determined by the department.