Music Education, M.M.E.  

This 33 credit Master of Music Education program prepares K-12 teachers in choral, instrumental, and general music specializations. All students will study general music methods and will select a choral or instrumental conducting track. This cohort based program can be completed over three years in month-long summer intensives. Studies focus on Kodály pedagogy, conducting, musicianship, and private music study, culminating in a capstone recital, project, or research.

Required Credits: 33  
Required GPA: 3.00

I. Required Foundation Courses

A. Musicianship  
Complete the following courses:

- MUS 5111 Graduate Musicianship I (2 credits)  
- MUS 6112 Graduate Musicianship II (2 credits)  
- MUS 6113 Graduate Musicianship III (2 credits)

B. Performance Studies  
Complete the following course (take 3 semesters):

- MUS 5210 Graduate Music Ensemble (1 credit)

Complete the following course (take 2 semesters)  
Enroll in Fall and Spring between Summers II and III

- MUS 6804 Graduate Lesson (1 credit)

C. Teaching Pedagogy  
Complete the following courses:

- MUS 5301 Models of Music Learning I (2 credits)  
- MUS 6302 Models of Music Learning II (2 credits)  
- MUS 6303 Models of Music Learning III (2 credits)

D. Contemporary Topics  
Complete the following courses:

- MUS 5401 Topics in Music Education I (1 credit)  
- MUS 6402 Topics in Music Education II (1 credit)  
- MUS 6403 Topics in Music Education III (1 credit)

E. Curriculum  
Complete the following courses:

- MUS 5601 Music Materials, Literature, and Analysis I (2 credits)  
- MUS 6602 Music Materials, Literature, and Analysis II (2 credits)  
- MUS 6603 Music Materials, Literature, and Analysis III (2 credits)

II. Required Electives

Select one specialization:

1. Choral and General Music  
MUS 5640 must take 3 semesters

- MUS 5640 Choral Conducting and Pedagogy (2 credits)

2. Instrumental and General Music  
MUS 5740 must take 3 semesters

- MUS 5740 Instrumental Conducting and Pedagogy (2 credits)

III. Professional Application

Complete the following course:

- MUS 6853 Capstone (1 credit)

Music Education, MME (33 credits)  
Sample Course Sequence / Suggested semester schedule

Summer I (10 credits)

- MUS 5111 Graduate Musicianship I (2 credits)  
- MUS 5210 Graduate Music Ensemble (1 credit)  
- MUS 5301 Models of Music Learning I (2 credits)  
- MUS 5401 Topics in Music Education I (1 credit)  
- MUS 5601 Music Materials, Literature, and Analysis I (2 credits)

Choose Choral or Instrumental Track (select one)

- MUS 5640 Choral Conducting and Pedagogy (2 credits)  
- MUS 5740 Instrumental Conducting and Pedagogy (2 credits)

Summer II (10 credits)

- MUS 5210 Graduate Music Ensemble (1 credit)  
- MUS 6112 Graduate Musicianship II (2 credits)  
- MUS 6302 Models of Music Learning II (2 credits)  
- MUS 6402 Topics in Music Education II (1 credit)  
- MUS 6602 Music Materials, Literature, and Analysis II (2 credits)

Choose Choral or Instrumental Track (select one)

- MUS 5640 Choral Conducting and Pedagogy (2 credits)  
- MUS 5740 Instrumental Conducting and Pedagogy (2 credits)

Fall Semester after Summer II (1 credit)

- MUS 6804 Graduate Lesson (1 credit)

Spring Semester after Summer II (1 credit)

- MUS 6804 Graduate Lesson (1 credit)

Summer III (11 credits)

- MUS 5210 Graduate Music Ensemble (1 credit)  
- MUS 6113 Graduate Musicianship III (2 credits)  
- MUS 6303 Models of Music Learning III (2 credits)  
- MUS 6403 Topics in Music Education III (1 credit)  
- MUS 6603 Music Materials, Literature, and Analysis III (2 credits)  
- MUS 6853 Capstone (1 credit)

Choose Choral or Instrumental Track (select one)
- MUS 5640 Choral Conducting and Pedagogy (2 credits)
- MUS 5740 Instrumental Conducting and Pedagogy (2 credits)