



# Siena Heights University

## **Music Education**

### **Bachelor of Arts Degree**

#### I. Course Requirements for Major

A. Program Requirements	50 (52) semester hours
1. MMM 110 Fundamentals of Music Theory (proficiency exam available)	(2)
2. MMM 170 Music Theory I	2
3. MMM 260 Music Theory II	2
4. MMM 270 Music Theory III	2
5. MMM 171 Aural Harmony and Sight Singing I	2
6. MMM 261 Aural Harmony and Sight Singing II	2
7. MMM 271 Aural Harmony and Sight Singing III	2
8. MMM 222 History of Western Music I	2
9. MMM 223 History of Western Music II	2
10. MMM 224 History of Western Music III	2
11. MMM 112 Class Piano for Music Majors I	1
12. MMM 172 Class Piano for Music Majors II	1
13. MMM 262 Class Piano for Music Majors III	1
14. MMM 272 Class Piano for Music Majors IV	1
15. MMM 344 Pedagogy of Music in the Elementary	2
16. MMM 345 Pedagogy of Music in the Secondary	2
17. MMM 360 Basic Conducting	2
18. MMM 121 Music Technology in Education	2
19. Performances Ensembles	8
20. Applied Music Lessons	10
21. MMM 380 Junior Recital	2

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#### **Principle Instrument:**

Principle instrument must be approved by the Music Department. See list of Applied Lessons in the SHU Academic Catalog.

#### B. Concentration Requirements (Choose either of the following concentrations)

##### **Choral Music Education Concentration:**

18 hours

MMM 124 Diction for Singers	2
MMM 357 Choral Arranging	2
MMM 361 Advanced Choral Conducting	2
MMM 354 Instrumental Methods for Vocalists	2
MMM 355 Choral Methods and Materials	3
Applied Piano	3
Approved Fine Arts Electives	4

##### **Instrumental Music Education Concentration:**

18 hours

MMM 116 String Techniques and Pedagogy	2
MMM 117 Brass Techniques and Pedagogy	2
MMM 118 Woodwind Techniques and Pedagogy	2
MMM 119 Percussion Techniques and Pedagogy	2
MMM 362 Advanced Instrumental Conducting	2
MMM 356 Instrumental Methods and Materials	2
MMM 358 Instrumental Arranging	2

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C.	Professional Teacher Certification	39 semester hours
1.	EDU 201 Principles of Teaching in School/Society	3
2.	EDU 301 History and Philosophy of Education	3
3.	EDU 312 Exceptional Children & Youth in the Reg Clrm	3
4.	EDU 321 Technology in Education	3
4.	EDU 335 Strat. for Teaching Reading Through the Content Areas in the Secondary School	3
5.	EDU 349 Culture and Diversity in Schools	3
6.	EDU 351 Educational Psychology	3
7.	EDU 360 Education Practicum	3
8.	EDU 372 Secondary Core Methods	3
9.	EDU 480 Directed Teaching: Secondary	10
10.	EDU 495 Directed Teaching Seminar: Secondary	2
D.	Total for Major	<b>107-109 semester hours</b>
E.	Liberal Arts Requirements	<b>32 semester hours</b>
	# May be double counted toward Liberal Arts Requirements.	
II.	Total for Degree	<b>139-141 semester hours</b>
III.	Other Requirements	
1.	All music education majors must take a theory placement exam prior to entering the program. Students who pass the exam with an 80% or above may enroll in MMM 170, Music Theory I. Students with a grade under 80% must enroll in MMM 110, Fundamentals of Music Theory.	
2.	All students must pass the piano proficiency exam to receive the degree conferred.	
3.	All students must attend Music Department concerts and performances.	
4.	Students majoring in music education must earn a C- or better in each required course (including concentration requirements) in the major and students must maintain a cumulative 2.5 GPA in all courses required for the degree.	
6.	All music majors will have a formal critique (jury) with the music faculty at the end of each semester, in conjunction with applied lessons on their primary instrument. A written copy of the jury assessment will be given to the student and a copy of the report will be kept in the student's file.	