BACHELOR of MUSIC - Option in MUSIC EDUCATION (\#593)
INTEGRATED TRACK - WINDS \& PERCUSSION
Department of Music
Potter College of Arts \& Letters
Western Kentucky University
The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s). Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.
Success Markers

| FIRST YEAR |
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| Visit Math Lab for |
| free tutoring |

SAMPLE - 4 year plan

| Fall Semester |  | Spring Semester |  |
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| MUS 100 Theory I | 3 | MUS 101 Theory II | 3 |
| MUS 153 Applied Principal | 2 | MUS 153 Applied Principal | 2 |
| MUS 155 Performance Attendance | 0 | MUS 155 Performance Attendance | 0 |
| MUS 160 Group Piano I | 1 | MUS 161 Group Piano II | 1 |
| MUS 347 Marching Band | 1 | MUS 348 Concert Band | 1 |
| (MUS 379 Studio Ensemble) | (1) | MUS 162 Group Voice | 1 |
| MUS 120 Music Appreciation (Majors) <br> (E-AH) | 3 | MATH 109 General Math <br> (F-QR) | 3 |
| ENG 100 Intro to College Writing <br> (F-W1) | 3 | PSY 100 Intro to Psychology <br> (E-SB) | 3 |
| COMM 145 Fund. Public Speaking (F-OC) | 3 | EDU 250 Intro Teacher Education | 3 |
| TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | $\mathbf{1 6}$ | TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | $\mathbf{1 7}$ |


| SECOND YEAR | Fall Semester |  | Spring Semester |  |
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| Volunteer with WKU ALIVE Center or join a Student Organization! | MUS 200 Theory III | 3 | MUS 201 Theory IV | 3 |
|  | MUS 153 Applied Principal | 2 | MUS 153 Applied Principal | 2 |
|  | MUS 155 Performance Attendance | 0 | MUS 155 Performance Attendance | 0 |
|  | MUS 260 Group Piano III | 1 | MUS 261 Group Piano IV | 1 |
|  | MUS 347 Marching Band | 1 | MUS 348 Concert Band | 1 |
|  | MUS 326 Music History I | 3 | MUS 327 Music History II (K-SC) | 3 |
|  | MUS 340 SATB Choir | 1 | MUS 340 SATB Choir | 1 |
|  | MUS 214 String Techniques (or 215) | 1 | MUS 215 Brass Techniques (or 214) | 1 |
|  | (MUS 379 Studio Ensemble) | (1) | PSY 310 Educational Psychology | 3 |
|  | ENG 200 Intro to Literature (F-AH) | 3 | PHYS 130 Acoustics of Music \& Speech (E-NS, SL) | 3 |
|  | HIST 101 World History OR HIST 102 World History II (F-SB) | 3 |  |  |
|  | TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | 18 | TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | 18 |

World Language Proficiency: All students must demonstrate proficiency in a world language at the Novice High level before completing 60 credit hours. Novice high is the ability to communicate in writing and speaking on familiar topics in simple sentences. To meet this requirement, students may take college language courses, pass a proficiency test, or complete high school course equivalencies. See www.wku.edu/modernlanguages/placement.

| THIRD YEAR | Fall Semester |  | Spring Semester |  |
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| Visit Career Services for resume consultation, practice interviews, begin job search. | MUS 353 Applied Principal | 2 | MUS 353 Applied Principal | 2 |
|  | MUS 155 Performance Attendance | 0 | MUS 155 Performance Attendance | 0 |
|  | MUS 317 Conducting I | 2 | MUS 318 Conducting II | 2 |
|  | MUS 347/348 Marching/Concert Band | 1 | MUS 348 Concert Band | 1 |
|  | MUS 316 Flute/Double Reed Techniques | 1 | MUS 315 Clarinet/Sax Techniques | 1 |
|  | MUS 304 Form and Analysis | 2 | MUS 412 Teaching Music Middle School | 3 |
|  | MUS 312 Teaching Music Elementary | 3 | MUS 415 Choral Methods | 3 |
|  | ENG 300 Writing in the Disciplines (F-W2) | 3 | MUS 416 Instrumental Methods | 3 |
|  | SPED 330 Intro to Exceptional Education | 3 | Connections: Local to Global Course (K-LG) | 3 |
|  | TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | 17 | TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | 18 |


| FOURTH YEAR | Fall Semester |  | Spring Semester |  |
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| \ggg \gg Apply for Student Teaching NOW! $\lll \ll$ | MUS 353 Applied Principal | 2 | EDU 489 Student Teaching Seminar | 3 |
|  | MUS 155 Performance Attendance | 0 | ELED 490 Music Student Teaching General Music | 5 |
|  | MUS 319 Percussion Techniques | 1 | SEC/MGE 490 Music Student Teaching Instrumental | 5 |
| File application for graduation at 90 hours. (on-line form in Topnet) | MUS 417 Marching Band Techniques | 2 |  |  |
|  | MUS 407 Orchestration \& Arranging | 3 |  |  |
|  | MUS 347/348 Marching/Concert Band | 1 |  |  |
|  | Science Elective (not PHYS) (E-NS) | 3 |  |  |
|  | Connections: Systems (K-SY) | 3 |  |  |
|  | LTCY 421 Literacy | 3 |  |  |
|  | TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | 18 | TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | 13 |
| Total Credit Hours: 135 |  |  |  |  |

Colonnade Program: All students entering in fall 2014 or later must complete 39 hours in 13 specific Colonnade areas. Colonnade areas are listed in parentheses marked in blue after the corresponding classes. Some areas may have specific course requirements while others can be chosen from selected lists of options. For more details and to see lists of options, go to http://www.wku.edu/colonnade/documents/approved_colonnade_courses_website.pdf.

For more Information:

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Course Descriptions: http://www.wku.edu/undergraduatecatalog

