



**BACHELOR of MUSIC – MUSIC EDUCATION (#593)**

**VOCAL Track**

Department of Music  
Potter College of Arts and 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.

**SAMPLE – Finish in Four Plan**

FIRST YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
MUS 100 <i>Theory I</i>	3	MUS 101 <i>Theory II</i>	3
MUS 153 <i>Applied Principal</i>	2	MUS 153 <i>Applied Principal</i>	2
MUS 155 <i>Performance Attendance</i>	0	MUS 155 <i>Performance Attendance</i>	0
MUS 160 <i>Group Piano I</i>	1	MUS 161 <i>Group Piano II</i>	1
MUS 152 <i>Diction I</i>	1	MUS 252 <i>Diction II</i>	1
MUS 340 <i>SATB Choir</i>	1	MUS 340 <i>SATB Choir</i>	1
MUS 370 <i>Chamber Choir</i>	(1)	MUS 370 <i>Chamber Choir</i>	(1)
ENG 100 <i>Intro to College Writing (F-W1)</i>	3	MATH 109 <i>General Math (F-QR)</i>	3
MUS 120 <i>Music Appreciation (majors) (E-AH)</i>	3	PSY 100 <i>Intro to Psychology (E-SB)</i>	3
COMM 145 <i>Fund. Public Speaking (F-OC)</i>	3	EDU 250 <i>Intro Teacher Education</i>	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>17</b>

SECOND YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
MUS 200 <i>Theory III</i>	3	MUS 201 <i>Theory IV</i>	3
MUS 153 <i>Applied Principal</i>	2	MUS 153 <i>Applied Principal</i>	2
MUS 155 <i>Performance Attendance</i>	0	MUS 155 <i>Performance Attendance</i>	0
MUS 260 <i>Group Piano III</i>	1	MUS 261 <i>Group Piano IV</i>	1
MUS 214 <i>String Techniques (or 215)</i>	1	MUS 215 <i>Brass Techniques (or 214)</i>	1
MUS 326 <i>Music History I</i>	3	MUS 327 <i>Music History II (K-SC)</i>	3
MUS 340 <i>SATB Choir</i>	1	MUS 340 <i>SATB Choir</i>	1
MUS 166 <i>Group Guitar</i>	1	PSY 310 <i>Educational Psychology</i>	3
HIST 101 <i>World History I</i> <b>OR</b> HIST 102 <i>World History II (F-AH)</i>	3	ENG 200 <i>Intro to Literature (E-AH)</i>	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>17</b>

THIRD YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
MUS 353 <i>Applied Principal</i>	2	MUS 353 <i>Applied Principal</i>	2
MUS 155 <i>Performance Attendance</i>	0	MUS 155 <i>Performance Attendance</i>	0
MUS 317 <i>Conducting I</i>	2	MUS 318 <i>Conducting II</i>	2
MUS 312 <i>Teaching Music Elementary</i>	3	MUS 415 <i>Choral Methods</i>	3
MUS 340 <i>SATB Choir</i>	1	MUS 340 <i>SATB Choir</i>	1
MUS 304 <i>Form and Analysis</i>	2	MUS 405 <i>Choral Arranging</i>	3
MUS 360 <i>Accompanying</i>	1	MUS 412 <i>Teaching Music Middle School</i>	3
SPED 300 <i>Intro Exceptional Education</i>	3	Connections: <i>Local to Global (K-LG)</i>	3
ENG 300 <i>Writing in the Disciplines (F-W2)</i>	3		
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>17</b>

FOURTH YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
MUS 353 <i>Applied Principal</i>	2	EDU 489 <i>Student Teaching Seminar</i>	3
MUS 155 <i>Performance Attendance</i>	0	SEC/MGE 490 <i>Music Student Teaching-Vocal</i>	5
MUS 414 <i>Choral Materials</i>	2	ELED 490 <i>Music Student Teaching General Music</i>	5
MUS 340 <i>SATB Choir</i>	1		
Science Elective (not PHYS) (E-NS)	3		
Connections: <i>Systems (K-SY)</i>	3		
PHYS 130 <i>Acoustics of Music and Speech (E-NS)</i>	3		
LTCY 421 <i>Literacy</i>	3		
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>13</b>

**Total Credit Hours: 130**

For more details and courses offered in the Colonnade General Education program visit the [website](#).

**World Language Requirement:** Language Proficiency of novice-high before completing 60 credit hours is required (or completion of 2nd level of a language). Two credits (or equivalent) of a single world language in High School satisfies this WKU requirement.

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