



Office of
Transfer Relations

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Music Education, B.M.

Wyoming Transfer Alignment Guide (WyoTAG)

Music Education, B.M.

The **BM in Music Education** is a professional degree intended to prepare students for careers as K-12 music educators. Acceptance to the program is by audition only.

University Studies Program

This degree requires that The University Studies Program 2015 requirements are met before graduation. Some of the courses required for this major fulfill USP requirements, but not all. Students should check their degree evaluations and consult with their assigned academic advisor to discuss their specific course plan.

Course Name	Credits	UW Course in Major	AA/AS/AB/ADN satisfies this USP
C 1-Communication 1 (COM1)	3		X
C 2-Communication 2 (COM2)	3		X
C 3-Communication 3 (COM3)	3	(Must be completed at UW)	
Q-Quantitative Reasoning (Q)	3		X
PN-Physical and Natural World (1) (PN)	3		X
PN-Physical and Natural World (2) (PN)	3		X
H-Human Culture (1) (H)	3		X
H-Human Culture (2) (H)	3		X
V-US & WY Constitution (V)	3		X
FYS or USP Elective-Any 3-credit hour of FYS or 3-credit hours of USP electives	3		X

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Music Core: 43 Credits

Students must complete at least one ensemble per semester enrolled, total 7.

Course Name	Credits	Casper	CWC	EWC	LCCC	NWCCD	Northwest	Western
MUSC 0200 - Music Convocation	0	X	X		X	X	X	X
MUSC 1030 - Written Theory I	3	X	X		X	X	X	
MUSC 1035 - Aural Theory I	1	X	X		X	X	X	
MUSC 1040 - Written Theory II	3	X	X		X	X	X	
MUSC 1045 - Aural Theory II	1	X	X		X	X	X	
MUSC 2030 - Written Theory III	3	X	X		X	X	X	
MUSC 2035 - Aural Theory III	1	X	X		X	X	X	
MUSC 2040 - Written Theory IV	3	X	X		X	X	X	
MUSC 2045 - Aural Theory IV	3	X	X		X	X	X	
MUSC 1003 - Historical Perspectives in Music I	3	X						
MUSC 2050 - Historical Perspectives in Music II	3	X	X		X	X	X	
MUSC 2055 - Historical Perspectives III	3	X	X		X	X	X	
Students who are Brass, Woodwind, and Percussion Emphasis may fulfill this requirement by passing Class Piano 1 and 2 with a B or higher. OR MUSC 2395 - Piano Proficiency Required for all Vocal and String emphasis students. Class Piano 1-4 is recommended to prepare for this exam.	0	Note 1	Note 1		Note 1	Note 1	Note 1	

Music Core: continued

Students must complete at least one ensemble per semester enrolled, total 7.

Course Name	Credits	
MUSC 2390 - Piano Literacy Exam	0	UW course
MUSC 4070 - Conducting	3	UW course
MUSC 3255 - Sophomore Qualifying Performance Jury	0	UW course
MUSC 4155 - Senior Music Education Recital	0	UW course

Applied lessons are required each semester of residency:

Course Name	Credits	Casper	CWC	EWC	LCCC	NWCCD	Northwest	Western
MUSC 2*** Applied Lessons II	2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2
MUSC 3*** Applied Lessons III	2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2
MUSC 4*** Applied Lessons IV	2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2
MUSC 5*** Applied Lessons V	2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2	Note 2

Music Education Core: 13 Credits

Prerequisite: MUSC 1040 & 1045

Course Name	Credits	Casper	CWC	EWC	LCCC	NWCCD	Northwest	Western
MUSC 1025 - Introduction to Music Education	2	X				X	X	
MUSC 1322 - Public School Tech: Percussion	2						X	
MUSC 1340 - Public School Methods: Voice I	1						X	

Course Name	Credits	
MUSC 1312 - Public School Tech: Brass	2	UW course
MUSC 1332 - Public School Tech: Strings	2	UW course
MUSC 1352 - Public School Tech: Woodwinds	2	UW course
MUSC 1360 - Public School Methods: Guitar	1	UW course
MUSC 3265 - Music Education Proficiency Review	0	UW course
MUSC 4620 - Practicum in Music Education	1	UW course

Emphasis: Choose One, 4-5 credits**String Emphasis: 4 credits**

String majors must take lessons on a secondary string instrument. 2 credits

Course Name	Credits	
MUSC 4780 - Instrumental Conducting and Repertory	2	UW course

Vocal Emphasis: 4 credits

Course Name	Credits	Casper	CWC	EWC	LCCC	NWCCD	Northwest	Western
MUSC 2320 - Diction for Singers I	2	X				X	X	

Course Name	Credits	
MUSC 4620 - Practicum in Music Education	1	UW course

Brass, Woodwind, and Percussion Emphasis: 5 credits

Course Name	Credits	
MUSC 4380 - Jazz Techniques	2	UW course
MUSC 4750 - Marching Band Techniques	1	UW course
MUSC 4780 - Instrumental Conducting and Repertory	2	UW course

Professional Education Requirements: 33 Credits

Course Name	Credits	
EDST 2450 - Foundations of Development and Learning H	3	UW course
EDEX 2484 - Introduction to Special Education	3	UW course
MUSC 4455 - General Music Methods	3	UW course
MUSC 4460 - Choral Music Methods	3	UW course
MUSC 4465 - Instrumental Music Methods C3	3	UW course
MUSC 4705 - Elementary Music Ed Practicum	1	UW course
MUSC 4715 - Secondary Music Ed Practicum	1	UW course
MUSC 4700 - Elementary Student Teaching in Music	8	UW course
MUSC 4710 - Secondary Student Teaching in Music	8	UW course

Notes

Note 1: MUSC 2395 is offered at Casper, CWC, LCCC, Sheridan, and Northwest.

Note 2: Several Wyoming community colleges offer applied lessons. Students should consult with their academic advisor to ensure selection of appropriate course.

COURSE SUBSTITUTIONS: WyoTAGs reflect published equivalencies. UW academic departments occasionally arrange for course substitutions when indirect equivalencies exist. Please contact your UW Academic Advisor for details.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This document is in effect as of the 2026-2027 catalog year; it reflects the published UW curriculum as of that date. Any changes to the UW curriculum or the WYCC course equivalents will require this document to be updated. To request an updated document, faculty should contact transfer@uwyo.edu via email.