

MUSIC EDUCATION GENERAL EDUCATION (BME)

The Bachelor of Music Education leads to the state of Illinois Professional Educator License in K-12 Music Education (Kindergarten through Grade 12). K-12 Music Education majors must complete all requirements of the College of Education to be eligible for licensure.

Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) are general education courses Concordia-Chicago agrees to accept in lieu of comparable, lower-division general education requirements. For more information regarding IAI transfer credit, please see the Illinois Board of Higher Education's iTransfer website at www.itransfer.org (<http://www.itransfer.org>).

Students are advised that before beginning the Bachelor of Music Education degree at Concordia-Chicago, they must perform a successful audition according to departmental guidelines on their primary instrument or voice and must successfully complete the music fundamentals test for placement into the MUSA3000 level course, MUS-2113 Music Theory I: Diatonic, and MUS-2112 Aural Skills I (please see music fundamentals guidelines).

For admission to teacher candidacy (professional instructional courses), students must follow the procedures for Transition Point 1: Admission to Teacher Candidacy as well as complete Keyboard Technique I, II, III or attain a passing score on the piano proficiency test.

Courses listed below with an (*) per College of Education requirements must earn a C or higher.

University Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
COL-1995	Vocation and College Success	1

Theology – Public Teacher Education (6 Hours)

Code	Title	Hours
Biblical courses, select one		3
THY-1100	The Bible (B)	
THY-2010	Introduction to the Old Testament (B)	
THY-3105	Introduction to the New Testament (B)	
Theological courses		3
THY-1210	Introduction to Christianity (S)	

General Education Requirements

Communication (9 Hours)

Code	Title	Hours
ENG-1100	English Composition	3
ENG-2000	Writing About Literature	3
The above courses must pass with a C or higher per IAI requirements.		
COM-1100	Speech Communication	3

Humanities (9 Hours)

Code	Title	Hours
Humanities: Required Courses		3
HIS-1200	History of the American People to 1877 (*) ¹	
or HIS-1250	History of the American People since 1877	
Fine Arts: Select one course from the following		3
ART-1100	Introduction to the Visual Arts	
ART-1210	Two-Dimensional Basic Studio	
ART-1310	Three-Dimensional Basic Studio	
ART-2050	Western Art: Pre-History through Renaissance	
ART-2150	Western Art: Post Renaissance through Contemporary	
ART-2200	Non-Western Art	
COM-2200	Introduction to Film Studies	
COM-2500	Global Documentary	
MUS-1503	Exploration of Music	
MUS-2203	Survey of Western Music	
MUS-2243	Music of World Cultures	
MUS-2253	History of Jazz	
THR-1100	Introduction to Theater	
Select one Humanities or Fine Arts from the following:		3
ART-1100	Introduction to the Visual Arts	
ART-1210	Two-Dimensional Basic Studio	
ART-1310	Three-Dimensional Basic Studio	
ART-2050	Western Art: Pre-History through Renaissance	
ART-2150	Western Art: Post Renaissance through Contemporary	
ART-2200	Non-Western Art ¹	
ASL-1100	American Sign Language I	
ASL-1200	American Sign Language II	
COM-2200	Introduction to Film Studies	
COM-2500	Global Documentary ¹	
EDUC-2400	Literature for Children, Adolescents & Young Adults (This course is an ISBE requirement)	
ENG-2200	Non-Western Literature	
ENG-2220	U.S. Latina/o Literature(s)	
ENG-2300	Greek & Roman Mythology	
ENG-2400	African American Literature	
ENG-2500	Classical World Literature	
ENG-2600	Modern World Literature	
GER-1000	German for Reading I	
GER-1100	German for Reading II	
GRE-2000	Greek I	
GRE-2100	Greek II	
HEB-2000	Hebrew I	
HEB-2100	Hebrew II	
HIS-1110	Survey of Early Modern Europe, 1350-1815	
HIS-1120	Survey of Modern Europe Since 1815	
HIS-1200	History of the American People to 1877	

HIS-1250	History of the American People since 1877
HIS-1315	Survey of World History to 1350 ¹
HIS-1325	Survey of the World Since 1350
HIS-2300	U.S. Women's History
HIS-2500	African American History
HIS-2600	Hispanic and Latino American History
HIS-2700	Ancient Greek and Roman Civilizations
HIS-2800	A History of Illinois
HUM-1995	Arts and Ideas
IDS-1050	Intro to American Cultural Studies
LAT-1000	Latin I
LAT-1100	Latin II
MUS-1503	Exploration of Music
MUS-2203	Survey of Western Music
MUS-2243	Music of World Cultures ¹
MUS-2253	History of Jazz
PHI-2010	Primer in Philosophy
PHI-2110	Introduction to the Philosophy of Religion
PHI-2210	Introduction to Logic
PHI-2310	Social and Political Philosophy
SPA-1111	Elementary Spanish I
SPA-1112	Elementary Spanish II
SPA-2113	Intermediate Spanish I
SPA-2114	Intermediate Spanish II
THR-1100	Introduction to Theater

¹ Secondary Math or Science majors may choose HIS-1325

Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 Hours)

Code	Title	Hours
Required courses:		
EDUC-2020	Human and Cognitive Development (This course is an ISBE requirement)	3
PSY-2125	Child and Adolescent Psychology	3
Select one additional courses from the following:		3
ATH-2020	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	
ECO-2400	Foundations of Economics	
GEO-1100	Geography of North America	
GEO-1200	World Geography: Culture Patterns	
GEO-1300	The Developing World	
IDS-1100	Introduction to Global Cultural Studies	
IDS-1200	Engaging Diversity: U.S. Perspectives	
POS-1100	American Government and Politics	
POS-2200	Social and Political Philosophy	
POS-2300	International Relations	
POS-2350	Introduction to Comparative Politics	
PSY-1000	General Psychology	
PSY-1502	The Mind and the Brain	
PSY-2100	Developmental Psychology: Life Span	
PSY-4151	Social Psychology	
SOC-2010	Introduction to Sociology	
SOC-2040	Race, Ethnicity, and Racism in the U.S.	

Physical and Life Sciences (7-8 Hours)

All College of Education students must complete coursework in the following areas: biology, chemistry or earth science. At least one of the transfer courses in science must include a lab.

Code	Title	Hours
Physical Science Requirements Select One		4
CHE-1110	Consumer Chemistry (With Lab)	
CHE-2000	Chemistry in the World Today	
CHE-2100	Health Science Applications in Chemistry	
CHE-2200	Fundamentals of Chemistry (With Lab)	
CHE-2211	General Chemistry I (With Lab)	
CHE-2212	General Chemistry II (With Lab)	
CHE-2300	Introduction to Organic and Biological Chemistry (With Lab)	
EAS-1105	Elements of Earth Science (With Lab)	
NSCI-1120	Concepts in Physics and Earth Science (With Lab)	
NSCI-1200	Concepts in Life and Physical Science (With Lab)	
NSCI-1500	Medical Terminology	
NSCI-1970	Energy and Our Environment (With Lab)	
NSCI-1981	Introduction to Sustainability (With Lab)	
PHY-1110	Physics of Things We Use (With Lab)	
PHY-2121	Elementary Physics I (With Lab)	
PHY-2122	Elementary Physics II (With Lab)	
Life Science Requirements Select One		3-4
BIO-1201	Biology in the World Today (With Lab)	
BIO-1500	Medical Terminology	
BIO-2011	General Biology I (With Lab)	
BIO-2012	General Biology II (With Lab)	
BIO-2111	Anatomy and Physiology I (With Lab)	
BIO-2112	Anatomy and Physiology II (With Lab)	
BIO-2500	Fundamentals of Microbiology (With Lab)	

Mathematics (3 Hours)

Code	Title	Hours
MAT-1550	Finite Mathematics	3
or MAT-1805	College Algebra	

Theology – Lutheran Teacher Education (21 Hours)

Code	Title	Hours
Required Methods Course		
EDUC-4900	Lutheran Teacher: Vocation and Methods	3
Theology Minor (2.75 GPA Required)		
Required courses		
THY-2010	Introduction to the Old Testament (B) ²	3
THY-2500	Martin Luther's Small and Large Catechisms (S) ¹	3
THY-3105	Introduction to the New Testament (B)	3
THY-3320	Survey of Church History (H)	3
Select 2 courses from the list below		6
THY-3230	The Augsburg Confession and its Apology (S)	

THY-3330	The Ancient Creeds, the Smalcald Articles, and the Treaties (S)
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THY-3410	The Formula of Concord (S)
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¹ Fulfills Gen. Ed. Theology Doctrine requirement.

² Fulfills Gen. Ed. Theology Bible requirement.