

MUSIC EDUCATION/TEACHING MAJOR (GRADES K-12 INSTRUMENTAL AND CLASSROOM MUSIC AND/OR VOCAL AND CLASSROOM MUSIC (BA TRADITIONAL)

Two different majors are described below. Students who complete the instrumental track and other state requirements are eligible to apply for a Minnesota teaching license for Instrumental and K-12 Classroom Music. Students who complete the vocal track and other state requirements are eligible to apply for a Minnesota teaching license for Vocal and K-12 Classroom Music. Students may complete both tracks and be eligible for both licenses.

General Education Requirements

All degree seeking undergraduate students must complete the general education (<https://catalog.csp.edu/undergraduate/academic-information/general-education-requirements/>) requirements.

Degree Requirements

A Bachelor of Arts degree consists of a major of typically 30 to 44 credits or two minors, general education courses, upper-level requirements, and elective courses totaling a minimum of 120 credits.

Code	Title	Credits
MUS 102	Basic Musicianship *	1
MUS 205	Musicianship I	3
MUS 206	Musicianship II	3
MUS 261	Beginning Conducting	2
MUS 200	Music History Survey	3
MUS 305	Musicianship III	3
ED 358	K-6 Music Methods	2
ED 359	7-12 Music Methods	2

Required Education Courses

ED 201	Foundations of and Introduction to Education	3
ED 330	Human Diversity and Relations	2
ED 336	Educational Psychology	3
ED 344	The Effective Teacher	3
ED 371	Teaching Practicum	3
ED 439	The Inclusive Classroom	2
ED 470	Health Education for Teachers	2
ED 487	Reading Across the Content Areas	3
ED 472	Student Teaching	15

Total Credits 55

Vocal Music Education Track

Code	Title	Credits
MUS 446	Choral Literature & Arranging	2
MUS 725	Private Voice Lesson	1
MUS 7XX - Choral Ensemble		1
MUS 825	Private Lesson - Accompanying	2
MUS 805	Private Lesson -Vocal Pedagogy	2
MUS 828	Choral Conducting Apprenticeship	2
Lessons/Ensemble Work		8
Total Credits		18

Instrumental Music Education Track

Code	Title	Credits
MUS 442	Instrumental Literature & Arranging	2
MUS 844	Brass Methods	1
MUS 855	Percussion Methods	1
MUS 865	Woodwind Methods	1
MUS 875	String Methods	1
MUS 7XX - Instrumental Ensemble		1
MUS 825	Private Lesson - Accompanying	2
MUS 845	Instrumental Conducting Apprenticeship	2
Lessons/Ensemble Work		7
Total Credits		18

* Students may be exempted with credit from 100 level courses based on departmental assessment.

Each state has different requirements for professional licensure and certifications. CSP's educator preparation programs are designed specifically to prepare students for licensure in Minnesota, but are not approved by any other state licensing boards for licensure in those states. CSP is unable to determine whether its teacher preparation programs would meet the educational requirements for licensure in other states. #Students who want to work in a state other than Minnesota should contact the state licensing board in their state before enrolling in the program.##Please see the contact information for teacher licensing boards here (<https://publish.smartsheet.com/4dfcb6a0284545ee895980a8c8b71432/>).