

Music Education Checklist*

Freshman Year

1. Declare Music Education Major & Attend Music Education Meeting for First Year Students _____
2. Sign up for NAFME Collegiate (optional but highly encouraged) _____

Freshman & Sophomore Year

3. Fulfill College of Education Requirements prior to Junior Year
Cumulative GPA 2.75 _____
Background Check _____
Interview & Recommendations _____
ENG. 102 College Writing _____
COMM 101 Public Speaking _____
Math or Stat _____
EDCI 201 Context of Ed _____

*All courses above require a minimum grade of a C

4. Apply & be accepted to College of Education Teacher Education Program
Must be done before you take **MusT 383** in your Junior Year
Application Deadlines:
Spring Admission: by **October 1st**
Summer Admission: by **March 1st**
Must Complete Background/Fingerprinting (\$46)
Sophomore Spring Semester:
Interview with Music Ed Faculty/Recommendation Letters _____
<http://www.uidaho.edu/ed/teachered/admissiontoteachereducation>
5. Pass Piano Class, 145, 146, 245, 246 _____
6. **Make sure to plan & enroll in courses offered every other year** _____
7. Beginning *2013-2014 Catalog Year*: Must take EDCI 453 (Phonics) 1 credit _____

Junior Year

8. **Pass MusT 383** to continue in Music Education Degree Program _____
9. Sign-up for TaskStream – Junior Year in MusT383 (1 yr-\$42/2 yr - \$69) _____
10. Praxis II Exam – Music Content Exam #5113 (\$115)
Passing Score is 148; results must be made available in the
semester prior to student teaching. Study Guide available for \$24. _____
11. Observe potential mentor teachers; Create list of 3 student teaching options
You must student teach at a HS & MS or MS and Elementary School
You **CANNOT** be placed with a previous teacher.
Mentor teacher must be with the district for at least 3 years. _____

Two (2) Semesters Before You Student Teach

13. Attend **mandatory** music student teaching meeting – 2nd week of semester with Dr. Soto &
Dr. Enloe – Fill out Music Student Teacher form **required** for COE application _____
14. Attend **mandatory** COE Student Teacher Meeting (Early in Semester) _____
15. Submit COE Student Teacher Application - Fall - Early Nov./Spring - Early April
Separate State, Fingerprint, & NEA Application Fees will apply for Out-of State Applicants _____

One Semester Before You Student Teach

16. Apply for Graduation (\$25 fee) _____
17. Pass Senior Recital _____
18. Attend Student Debrief held on the Friday (1-4 p.m.) before Graduation _____

19. Sign up for MusT 445 (2 credits) & MusT 432 (14 credits) for Student Teaching Semester _____