

Master of Arts in Teaching in Music Education

Selected Learning Outcomes

1. Students teach music in all grade levels and in a variety of classroom and ensemble settings through guided, progressive online and field-based experiences.
2. Students apply analytical, historical, and culturally responsive skills and knowledge in curriculum development, differentiated planning, informal assessments, and formal evaluations.
3. Students demonstrate skills and knowledge of directing, rehearsing, and performing vocally, as well as on all wind, string, and percussion instruments.
4. Students utilize formative and summative assessment and evaluation strategies responding to each of their student's needs.
5. Students will meet all the standards set forth by the Georgia Professional Standards Commission, the Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP), and the James L. and Dorothy H. Dewar College of Education and Human Services.

Selected Outcomes Assessments

1. Students in the MAT Music Education program demonstrate content knowledge through passing the state-required content assessment (Georgia Assessments for the Certification of Educators, GACE).
2. Students in the MAT Music Education program demonstrate content knowledge, skills in planning, assessment, instructional strategies, use of technology, differentiation, and reflection through the Capstone Portfolio Content Assessment.
3. Students in the MAT Music Education program demonstrate skills in assessment, instructional strategies, use of technology, and differentiated instruction during observed teaching episodes evaluated by a university supervisor and classroom mentor teacher (COEHS Observation Instrument – Candidate Assessment on Performance Standards, CAPS).
4. Students in the MAT Music Education program demonstrate their ability to positively impact P-12 learning through a teacher work sample (COEHS Impact on P-12 Student Learning Assessment).
5. Students in the MAT Music Education program demonstrate appropriate teaching dispositions through self-assessment and university supervisor and mentor teacher disposition assessments (COEHS CAPS Dispositions and Self-Assessment of Dispositions Survey).

Go to the Graduate School website (<http://www.valdosta.edu/academics/graduate-school/welcome.php>) and select Our Programs, then select the MAT in Music Education Program. This program is offered online as a four-semester track.

Requirements for the Master of Arts in Teaching in Music Education Degree

Code	Title	Hours
MUE 7100	Professional Development Seminar I: Foundations	3
MUE 7101	Professional Development Seminar II: Clinical Practice and Capstone	3
MUE 7640	General Music Methods	3
MUE 7790	Clinical Practice in Music Education	6
MUE 7800	Practicum in Music	1
MUE 7610	Choral Curriculum	3
MUE 7370	Vocal Methods	2
MUE 7500	Instrumental Methods	3
MUE 7600	Instrumental Music Curriculum	3
MUE 7200	Rehearsal Techniques	3
Total Hours required for the Degree		30