Course Sequence

*These courses can be taken either semester listed, but must be taken in one of the semesters indicated in order to complete the degree requirements in the prescribed time.

First Year

**Fall Semester**
- FW -or- FM*
- PE
- Keyboard Skills I
- Theory I
- Aural Skills I
- Applied Studio
- Ensemble(s)
- Introduction to Diction

**Spring Semester**
- FW -or- FM*
- PE
- Keyboard Skills II
- Theory II
- Aural Skills II
- Applied Studio
- Ensemble(s)
- Principles of Music Education or Gen Ed/LA*
- Vocal Tech

Second Year

**Fall Semester**
- Theory III
- Aural Skills III
- Lit & Style I
- Conducting I
- Applied Studio
- Ensemble(s)
- Principles of Music Ed -or- Gen Ed/LA*
- Functional Keyboard 201
- Vocal Tech

**Spring Semester**
- Theory IV
- Aural Skills IV
- Lit & Style II
- Conducting II
- Applied Studio
- Ensemble(s)
- Music Teaching and Learning I or Gen Ed/LA*
- Functional Keyboard 202

Third Year

**Fall Semester**
- Gen Ed/LA
- Lit & Style III or Gen Ed/LA
- Applied Studio
- Ensemble(s)
- Music Teaching and Learning I or Gen Ed/LA*
- Practicum in Elem Gen Music (sem. Following MTL I)*
- Choral Practices: Elem/Middle School + Choral Practicum or Choral Practices: Secondary/Adult +PE*
- Function Keyboard 301
- Technique (see ME Tech Sequence for specific courses)

**Spring Semester**
- Lit & Style III or Gen Ed/LA
- Applied Studio
- Ensemble(s)
- Practicum in Elem Gen Music (sem. Following MTL I)*
- Music Elective (3 cr)
- Choral Practices: Elem/Middle School + Choral Practicum or Choral Practices: Secondary/Adult +PE*
- Functional Keyboard 302
- Technique
- School Health (2 LA Elective cr)

Fourth Year

**Fall Semester**
- Gen Ed/LA (4 cr)
- PE
- Applied Studio
- Ensemble(s)
- Music in Special Education
- Music Elective (6 cr)
- Literacy I (3 LA Elective cr)

**Spring Semester**
- Student Teaching
**Music Education Techniques Sequence for New Curriculum**

**Important Note to Advisors:** the techniques sequence for each track has been carefully planned to allow for adequate class space and availability of instruments each semester. It is very important that, except in very unusual circumstances, students *ALWAYS* follow the recommended sequence.

### Choral/Guitar, Harp

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| **First Year** | MUCB 101: Keyboard Skills I  
MUCP 131: Intro to Diction | MUCB 102: Keyboard Skills II  
Vocal Techniques |
| **Second Year** | MUCC 201: Functional Keyboard  
Vocal Techniques | MUCC 202: Functional Keyboard |
| **Third Year** | MUCC 301: Functional Keyboard  
MUCC 340/342: Band/Orchestra Tech* | MUCC 302: Functional Keyboard  
MUCC 340/342: Band/Orchestra Tech* |

*The Band/Choral/Orchestra techniques course will be offered in both the fall and spring semesters and can be taken in *either* semester of the junior year.*
### Course Requirements

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<td>Students must complete the required number of credits within each Gen Ed designation. No more than eight Gen Ed credits can come from the same department. AC and AE must be taken from different departments. <strong>Note:</strong> Music Education, Performance, and Theory/History/Composition are considered to be different departments. Further, students must satisfy at least one of the AE, AC or XC modes outside of Crane. <strong>Note:</strong> At least 36 credits must be Liberal Arts (LA) credits. All courses receive LA credit unless the course title has an &quot;@&quot; in front of it in the Schedule of Classes.</td>
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### Freshman Experience:
- FW - Writing and Critical Thinking (4 cr)
- FM - Freshman Math (3 cr)
- FC - Critical Thinking (1 course)

### Modes of Inquiry:
- SB or SP - Scientific Inquiry (3 cr)
- SA - Social Analysis (3 cr); Must be Child Development, PSYC-220
- AH - American History (3 cr)
- WC - Western Civilization (3 cr) Satisfied by Lit & Style I or II, MUCB-201 or 202
- XC - Cross-Cultural (3 cr) Must be taken outside of Crane if AE is taken in Crane
- XC must be taken outside of Crane if AE is taken in Crane

### Modern Language Proficiency:
- ML - Students must complete through the equivalent of French or Spanish 103, or any single 200-level ML course. Students entering with proficiency lower than the 103-level courses begin in either 101 or 102, and take either one, two, or three courses. See Gen. Ed. Manual for placement info. Credits for ML courses count as LA electives.

### Physical Education:
- PE - Students must complete **4 courses** with PE designation. Courses from the Physical Education Department satisfy this requirement, but do not count as Degree credits nor as LA credits. PE courses offered by other departments (i.e. Dance) do count as Degree credits and often (but not always) as LA credits. Up to half of the requirement can be satisfied by taking the same activity twice. Sports or skills (such as Varsity Lacrosse, Fitness Training or Archery) count as different activities; in Dance, ballet, modern, and jazz dance are considered different activities.

### Liberal Arts Electives:
- These courses cannot have an "@" in front of the title in the Schedule of Classes. These courses must be taken outside of Crane. Must include Literacy in the Arts, EDLS-307 (3 cr), and School Health, HLTH-230 (2 cr)
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**Other Courses/Workshops and NYS Certification Requirements:**
In order to be eligible for Initial Teacher Certification in New York State, applicants must meet the following state requirements:

- Completion of the course: Literacy in the Arts, EDLS-307 (3 cr, will count as LA Elective credits)
- Completion of the required workshops by taking School Health, HLTH-230 (2 cr, will count as LA Elective credits)
- 100 hours of field observation
- Completion of New York State Teacher Certification Examinations (3 exams)
- Be fingerprinted by University Police