### Music Courses

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### Recommended Professional Courses

**Psychology (1):** PSYC 102 (satisfies both undergrad general education and certification)

**Educational Psychology (1):** EPS 405

**Foundations (1):** EPFE 400

**Assessment (1):** ETR 440

**Exceptional Children (HB 150) (1):** TLSE 457

One from: EPFE 201 or IDSP 211 (satisfies both undergrad general education and certification)

### Certification

[http://www3.niu.edu/teachers/](http://www3.niu.edu/teachers/)

**Admission to Teacher Certification** [MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE REGISTERING FOR MUED 350]

**TB Test** [MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE REGISTERING FOR MUED 150 AND RENEWED ANNUALLY]

**Criminal Background Check** [MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE REGISTERING FOR MUED 150]

**National Sex Offender Database Checked**

**Clinical Hours** (completed as part of MUED 150, 250, 350, 352)

**Test of Academic Proficiency (TAP)** [MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE REGISTERING FOR MUED 250]

**Content Area Test** [MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE REGISTERING FOR MUED 490 & 495]

**APT Test** [MUST BE COMPLETED DURING STUDENT TEACHING, REQUIRED FOR CERTIFICATION & GRADUATION]

### Other Music Courses (by emphasis)

- **All Emphases:** MUSP 335, Conducting I
- **All Emphases:** MUSP 101, Beginning Group Piano OR MUSP 110, Piano: Secondary
- **All Emphases:** MUSP 102, Intermediate Group Piano OR MUSP 110, Piano: Secondary
- **All Emphases:** MUTC 305, Orchestration OR MUTC 307, Wind & Percussion Scoring
- **Instrumental:** MUSP 336, Conducting II; Instr OR MUSP 337, Conducting III: Choral
- **Instrumental:** MUED 170, Instrumental Techniques and Materials: Flute, Clarinet Sax
- **Instrumental:** MUED 171, Instrumental Techniques and Materials: Brass
- **Instrumental:** MUED 172, Instrumental Techniques and Materials: Percussion
- **Instrumental:** MUED 173, Instrumental Techniques and Materials: Double Reeds
- **Instrumental:** MUSC 174, Instrumental Techniques and Materials: Strings
- **Instrumental:** MUSE 342, University Chorus OR MUSP 114, Voice: Secondary
- **Vocal:** MUSP 337, Conducting III: Choral
- **Vocal:** MUSP 103, Advanced Group Piano (2 sem.) OR MUSP 110, Piano: Secondary (2 sem.)
- **Vocal:** MUSP 205, Diction for Singers I
- **Vocal:** MUSP 206, Diction for Singers II