

Wind Band Conducting Certificate

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23 credits

| Code | Title | Hours |
|---------------------------|--|-------|
| MUSC 1110 | Music Theory I (Prerequisite: MUSC 1100 or grade C or higher on Music Department theory test) ¹ | 3 |
| MUSC 1120 | Music Theory II (Prerequisite: MUSC 1110) | 3 |
| MUSC 1130 | Ear Training & Sight Singing I | 1 |
| MUSC 1140 | Ear Training/Sight Singing II (Prerequisite: MUSC 1130) | 1 |
| MUSC 2350 | Fundamentals of Conducting | 2 |
| MUSC 3310R | Symphonic Band (2 semesters) | 2 |
| MUSC 3380 | Instrumental Conducting (Prerequisite: MUSC 2350) | 2 |
| MUSC 3640 or MUSC 3650 | Music History & Literature II Music History and Literature III | 3 |
| MUSC 3830R | Private Lessons in Conducting (2 semesters. Prerequisite: MUSC 3380) *Lessons must focus on Wind Band Conducting | 2 |
| MUSC 4600 | Music Rehearsal Techniques | 2 |
| MUSC 4635 | Woodwind, Brass, and Percussion Pedagogy and Literature | 2 |

¹ Students may request to take the Music Theory test from the Music Department Chair or the test is offered on the first day of MUSC 1100. Students passing with a grade of C or higher may test out of the MUSC 1100 requirement.

Completion Requirements

1. Complete all coursework with a grade of C or higher.
2. Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.

Wind Band Conducting Certificate Program Learning Outcomes

At the successful conclusion of this program, students will be able to:

1. Analyze and mark scores in preparation for rehearsal and performance.
2. Conduct a piece of music for wind band efficiently and expressively.
3. Lead an effective wind band ensemble rehearsal.