# Requirements for the Master of Music Education

**College of Fine Arts**  
**The University of Oklahoma**

## General Requirements

| Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis) | 32 |
| Minimum Total Hours (Thesis) | 32 |

## Required Courses

**Required Courses (6 hours):**
- MUED 5212 Introduction to Research in Music Education
- MUED 6212 Measurement and Evaluation in Music Education
- MUED 6442 Current Trends in Music Education

**Core Courses (9 hours):**
- **Music History (6 hours)**  
  Any graduate credit MUHI, MUSC or MULI course may be taken.  
- **Music Theory (3 hours)**  
  Any graduate credit MUTH course except for MUTH 5812 and MUTH 5822.

**Electives (17 hours):**
- **General (4 hours)**  
  Electives as approved in music education, music history/literature, and/or music theory, applied music, composition, conducting, ethnomusicology or Thesis Research (for Thesis students only).
- **Outside/Music Theory (3 hours)**  
  One approved academic course outside the School of Music or one additional course in Music Theory.

### Degree Emphasis (10 hours)

**Kodaly Concepts**
- MUED 5553 Kodaly Concept I
- MUED 5562 Solfege I
- MUED 5563 Kodaly Concept II
- MUED 5572 Solfege II

**National Board Certification in Music**
- MUED 5970 National Board Certification Seminar (2 hours)
- MUED 5990 Practicum in Music Teaching (2 hours)
- American Council of Education Transfer Credit (National Certification Portfolio) (3 hours)
- American Council of Education Transfer Credit (National Certification Completion) (3 hours) **OR**
  - Approved MUED elective (3 hours)

**Vocal/Standard**
- MUED 5522 Vocal Pedagogy I
- MUED 5562 Solfege I
- MUED 5970 Multicultural Music Seminar (1 hour)
- MUED 5970 Choral Conducting Seminar (1 hour)
- VOIC 5010 Voice (4 hours)

- **MUED 5980 Research for Master’s Thesis (Thesis students only)**  
  - 4 hours

The master’s degree requires the equivalent of at least two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master’s degree must carry graduate credit.

Master’s degree programs which require a thesis consist of at least 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master’s degree programs require at least 32 credit hours.

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may not be applied to the master’s degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

The requirements listed on this degree check sheet apply to the following concentrations in General Music Education:

- **Kodaly Concepts**  
  - MUED 5212 (2 hours)
  - MUED 5553 Kodaly Concept I (3 hours)
  - MUED 5562 Solfege I (3 hours)

- **National Board Certification in Music**  
  - MUED 5970 National Board Certification Seminar (2 hours)

- **Vocal/Standard**  
  - MUED 5522 Vocal Pedagogy I (3 hours)

*Approval by advisory committee must be given no later than second semester of study if student plans to do a thesis.

#A recent video recording, with good audio quality, of classroom instruction or ensemble rehearsal that demonstrates teaching effectiveness is required.

A student who has done satisfactory graduate work and has earned a 3.0 grade point average may file for master’s candidacy.