

# B.A. in Education: Subject Matter Education (Music) + B.M. in Music Education (Vocal)

Academic Program Guide for **New First-Year Students** (Effective Fall 2018)

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*Students who entered Rowan University prior to Fall 2018 should follow the guide for their program and start year in consultation with their advisor.*

## Rowan University Graduation Requirements for all Majors / Degrees

- Students must complete at least 120 semester hours (sh) of coursework that apply to their Rowan University degree.
- Students must have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 in Rowan University coursework. (Transfer courses/credit do not count toward the RU GPA.)
- A minimum of 30 sh of coursework must be completed at/through Rowan University.
- Only grades of “D-” or above may apply to graduation/degree requirements. (Some programs may set higher minimums.)
- Students must meet the Rowan Core and Rowan Experience Requirements.
  - An individual course can potentially satisfy one Rowan Core literacy and/or multiple Rowan Experience attributes.
  - Rowan Core & Rowan Experience designations are listed in course details in Section Tally ([www.rowan.edu/registrar](http://www.rowan.edu/registrar)) and may also be searched on that site under “Attributes.” A list of Rowan Core courses is here: <https://confluence.rowan.edu/display/AS/Rowan+Core+Course+List>.
- Students must apply for graduation and should do so for the term in which they will complete all program requirements.

## Program-Specific Graduation Requirements for this Major / Degree

- Students must receive an overall GPA of 3.0 and a GPA of 3.0 in required major courses.
- Students must complete all requirements for the Bachelor of Arts in Education, including passage of PRAXIS examinations and required benchmarks.

## Rowan Core Requirements<sup>1</sup>

*Students must satisfy all six Rowan Core Literacies. A minimum total of 3 sh of coursework is required to satisfy each Literacy.*

*With the exception of the 9 sh counted here for Communicative Literacy, credits attached to the courses in this section will apply elsewhere.*

- (COML) Communicative Literacy: *Must be met by the following three courses or their official equivalents:*
- COMP 01111 College Composition I (3 sh)    
  COMP 01112 College Composition II (3 sh)    
  CMS 04205 Public Speaking (3 sh)
- (ARTL) Artistic Literacy     *Recommendation from major:*
- (GLBL) Global Literacy     *Recommendation from major:*
- (HUML) Humanistic Literacy     *Recommendation from major:* FNDS 21150 or SPED 08130 (3 sh count under Non-Program)
- (QNTL) Quantitative Literacy     *Recommendation from major:*
- (SCIL) Scientific Literacy     *Recommendation from major:*

Subtotal of credits counted in this section: 9 sh

## Rowan Experience Requirements

*Students must satisfy all three Rowan Experience attributes. Credits attached to the courses in this section will apply elsewhere.*

- (LIT) Broad-Based Literature Attribute     *Recommendation from major:*
- (WI) Writing Intensive Attribute     *Recommendation from major:*
- (RS) Rowan Seminar Attribute<sup>2</sup>     *Recommendation from major:*

## Non-Program Courses (20 sh)

Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes / Notes	Sem/Yr	Grade	Credits
	Any Lab Science course satisfying the Scientific Literacy	Satisfies Scientific Literacy; Biology recommended			4
FNDS 21150	History of American Education	Satisfies Humanistic Literacy			3
SPED 08130	Human Exceptionality	Satisfies Humanistic Literacy			3
READ 30319	Teaching Reading and Writing in the Content Area				3
SMED 33420	Educational Technology	Pre-req for program entry			1
FNDS 21230	Characteristics of Knowledge Acquisition				3
MUSG 06447, MUSG 06448 or MUSG 06115	Music in World Cultures I: Asia and Oceania, Music in World Cultures II or Growth and Development of Jazz	Satisfies Global Literacy; Satisfies Global Literacy; Satisfies Artistic Literacy			3
<b>Subtotal: 20 sh</b>					

<sup>1</sup> The Rowan Core requirements are waived for transfer students with an earned A.A. or A.S. degree from a NJ community/county college.

<sup>2</sup> The Rowan Seminar requirement is waived for all students transferring 24 or more approved credits into Rowan University at the time of initial entry.

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## Total Major Requirements (104 sh)

### SUMMARY OF MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

- 65 sh of Music Courses (69 sh for students with piano or organ focus)
  - 39 sh of Education Courses
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- 104 sh total (108 sh for students with piano or organ focus)

### MUSIC COURSES

Course #	Course Name	Course Designations / Notes	Sem	Grade	Credits
MUS 01109	Major Applied Voice I		1 <sup>st</sup>		2
MUS 04130	Music Theory I Written	Some sections satisfy Rowan Seminar requirement	1 <sup>st</sup>		2
MUS 04132	Music Theory I Aural		1 <sup>st</sup>		2
MUS 97100	Piano Class I		1 <sup>st</sup>		1
MUS 01110	Major Applied Voice II		2 <sup>nd</sup>		2
MUS 04131	Music Theory II Written		2 <sup>nd</sup>		2
MUS 04132	Music Theory II Aural		2 <sup>nd</sup>		2
MUS 97101	Piano Class II		2 <sup>nd</sup>		1
MUS 01209	Major Applied Voice III		3 <sup>rd</sup>		2
MUS 04240	Music Theory III Written		3 <sup>rd</sup>		2
MUS 04242	Music Theory III Aural		3 <sup>rd</sup>		2
MUSG 06214	Development of Musical Styles and Forms I				3
MUSG 06215	Development of Musical Styles and Forms II				3
MUSG 06335	Development of Musical Styles and Forms III				3
MUS 97200	Piano Class III		3 <sup>rd</sup>		1
MUS 01210	Major Applied Voice IV		4 <sup>th</sup>		2
MUS 04241	Music Theory IV Written		4 <sup>th</sup>		2
MUS 04243	Music Theory IV Aural		4 <sup>th</sup>		2
MUS 97201	Piano Class IV		4 <sup>th</sup>		1
MUS 97213	Choral Conducting I	Spring Semester Only	4 <sup>th</sup>		2
MUS 01309	Major Applied Voice V		5 <sup>th</sup>		2
MUS 97313	Choral Conducting II	Fall Semester Only	5 <sup>th</sup>		2
MUS 01310	Major Applied Voice VI		6 <sup>th</sup>		2
MUS 01409	Major Applied Voice VII		7 <sup>th</sup>		2
MUS 08100-08226	7 Assigned Ensembles + 1 of choice				8
MUS 01050-01057	Student Recitals	Registering for 7 Semesters			0
MUS 97382	Percussion Class				1
MUSG 06303	Choral Literature				2
MUS 97400	Voice Class	Voice studio majors exempted			1
MUS 04202, 04203 or 04204	Language Through Vocal Repertoire	Voice studio majors in consultation with studio teacher			1
MUS 08194	Opera Company				1
MUS 97112 or 97111	High Strings Class				1
MUS 97111	Low Strings Class				1

Choose two of the following brass instrument methods courses.

	Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes / Notes	Sem	Grade	Credits
<input type="radio"/>	MUS 97300	French Horn Class				0.5
<input type="radio"/>	MUS 97301	Trombone Class				0.5
<input type="radio"/>	MUS 97309	Trumpet Class				0.5
<input type="radio"/>	MUS 97310	Tuba Class				0.5

Choose two of the following woodwind instrument methods courses.

	Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes / Notes	Sem	Grade	Credits
<input type="radio"/>	MUS 97401	Bassoon Class				0.5
<input type="radio"/>	MUS 97402	Clarinet Class				0.5
<input type="radio"/>	MUS 97403	Saxophone Class				0.5
<input type="radio"/>	MUS 97409	Flute Class				0.5
<input type="radio"/>	MUS 97410	Oboe Class				0.5

Subtotal: 65 sh

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Students with a piano or organ focus must also take the following courses.

Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes / Notes	Sem	Grade	Credits
<input type="radio"/> MUSG 06120	Keyboard Literature				3
<input type="radio"/> SMED 32507	Piano Pedagogy and Accompanying				1
Subtotal:					4 sh

### EDUCATION COURSES

Course #	Course Name	Course Designations / Notes	Sem	Grade	Credits
SMED 01120	Foundations of Music Education		1 <sup>st</sup>		3
ELEM 02210	Principles and Pedagogies in the Inclusive Classroom		2 <sup>nd</sup>		2
ELEM 02210	Seminar: Virtual Teach Live (section 2)		2 <sup>nd</sup>		1
SMED 33420	Educational Technology/Music				1
FNDS 21230	Characteristics of Knowledge Acquisition				3
EDUC 21150	History of American Education				3
INCL 02250	Introduction to Instruction and Assessment/Music		3 <sup>rd</sup>		3
READ 30319	Teaching Reading and Writing in the Content Area		3 <sup>rd</sup>		3
SMED 32329	Teaching and Learning A/General Elem. Music Methods	Fall Semester Only	4 <sup>th</sup>		3
SMED 32330	Teaching and Learning B/Instrumental or Vocal Methods	Spring Semester Only	5 <sup>th</sup>		3
SMED 03313	Residency I: Elementary Music				1
SMED 03314	Residency II: Secondary Music				1
SMED 32413	Residency II Elementary				5
SMED 32414	Residency II Secondary				5
SMED 32412	Clinical Practice Seminar	Concurrent with Residency II			1
SECD 03350	Teaching Students of Cultural and Linguistic Diversity	Concurrent with Residency II			1
Subtotal:					39 sh

## Benchmark Requirements

Students must complete the following benchmark requirements.

Test Name	Notes	Year	Score
Praxis Core: Reading (test # 5712)	Pass all parts by Junior year	1 or 2	157*
Praxis Core: Math (test #5732)		1 or 2	150*
Praxis Core: Writing (test #5722)		1 or 2	162*
Praxis II: Music Content (test #5113)	Pass prior to residency	3	153*
edTPA Portfolio (submitted during Residency 2)	Tasks 1, 2, and 3 submitted during Clinical Practice	4	TBD*
Must have GPA of at least 3.0 to enter SMED 40462 Clinical Practice I and SMED 40464 Clinical Practice II		4	

\*Grades reflect minimum passing scores

## Free Electives for this Major/Degree (14 sh)

There are no Free Electives for this course, but students must take courses satisfying any remaining Rowan Core or Rowan Experience requirements that are not fulfilled by Major or Non-Program courses.

Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes / Notes	Sem	Grade	Credits
Subtotal:					14 sh

Total Program Credits Required for this Major / Degree: 147 SH  
(151 sh for students with a piano or organ focus)