UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA FAIRBANKS

Student Learning Outcomes Assessment Plan Bachelor of Music Education

School of Music/College of Liberal Arts August 24, 2020

Expanded Statement of Institutional Purpose	Intended Objectives/Outcomes	Assessment Criteria and Procedures	Implementation (what, when, who)
MISSION STATEMENT: The University of Alaska Fairbanks Department of Music reflects the diverse and rich culture of of Alaska with a heritage of artistic and academic excellence. The Department also develops musicians and educators destined to become tomorrow's cultural leaders – those who will help shape the course of music not only in Alaska, but nationally and worldwide.	Theoretical and Historical Knowledge a. Music Theory: Students will demonstrate knowledge of the rudiments of music, followed by mastery of analysis of tonal and chromatic harmony and form.	Assessment: Final Exam Rubric: Comprehensive written exam Min. Standard: 70% of students meet or exceed expectations Assessment: Final Exam	The exams are administered by the course instructor at the end of the semester for all courses in the sequence. (MUS 131, 132, 231, 232)
	b. Music History: Students will demonstrate a comprehensive knowledge of Western Art Music from antiquity to the present.	Rubric: Comprehensive written exam Min. Standard: 70% of students meet or exceed expectations	The exams are administered by the course instructor at the end of the semester for all courses in the sequence. (MUS 221, 222) Data is collected at the end of each semester, assessment every other year by AOL
GOAL STATEMENT:			(Assurance of Learning) committee.
The Bachelor of Music Education degree program will create highly qualified music teachers who will possess the necessary skills for successful careers in the field of music education.	Applied Knowledge a. Applied Lessons: Students will demonstrate performance skills on their major instrument.	Assessment: Jury Rubric: Jury Evaluation Form Min. Standard: 70% of students meet or exceed expectations	Juries are administered at the end of each semester by a panel of faculty. (MUS 161, 162, 261, 262, 361, 362)
	b. Junior Recital: Students will perform a Junior recital, a required capstone of the private lesson sequence.	Assessment: Jury Rubric: Jury Evaluation Form Min. Standard: 70% of students meet or exceed expectations	Junior Recitals are graded by a panel of faculty. Data is collected at the end of each semester, assessment every other year by the AOL committee.
	Core Music Education Sequences	Assessment: Final Exams and written and oral presentations	Exams and written and oral presentations are administered by

a. Methods Courses: Students will demonstrate fluency in written and oral communication at a level consistent with scholarly standards and expectations in the following five areas: strings, woodwinds, brass, percussion, and voice.	Rubric: Scholarly written and oral exam Min. Standard: 70% of students meet or exceed expectations	the course instructor at the end of each semester for all five methods courses in the sequence. (MUS 315, five courses) Data is collected at the end of each semester, assessment every other year by the AOL committee.
b. Praxis Exams i. Core Academic Skills for Educators: Mathematics (5732) ii. Core Academic Skills for Educators: Reading (5712) iii. Core Academic Skills for Educators: Writing (5722) iv. Music Content Knowledge (5113)	Assessment: National Exam Rubric: Praxis Min. Standard: Passing scores of 150 (5732), 156 (5712), 162 (5722), and 154 (5113)	The Praxis exams are taken after the completion of the Music Theory and Music History sequences and prior to the Student Internship semester.
4. Student Internship a. Students will synthesize and apply the musical knowledge gained (theoretical, historical, academic, applied and/or educational) during their Student Internship.	Assessment: Reviews Rubric: School of Education rubrics Min. Standard: 70% of students meet or exceed expectations	The reviews are written and submitted by the mentor teachers and the university supervisor throughout the semester. (ED 454) Data is collected at the end of each semester, assessment every other year by the AOL committee.
5. Post-Bachelor of Music Education a. Students will apply for Masters programs or seek employment in K-12 public schools, parochial, or private schools	Assessment: Tracking of student employment Rubric: Survey of graduates through School of Education Min. Standard: 70% of students meet or exceed expectations	The survey is administered by the School of Education faculty after the completion of ED 454 Data is collected every spring and maintained by the School of Education.