

# MMEd STRING Planning and Tracking Sheet

## Master of Music Education Track: String

**Timeline for program: 2 to 7 years to complete.**

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Program Structure:

1. Candidates elect to complete the program of study as a six-week summer residency program (3 weeks online followed by 3 weeks onsite) or using a combination of online courses in the fall, spring and summer, with a minimum one summer residency during the program of study.
2. With the exception of seminar style or retrospective courses, much of the program coursework, whether required or elective, may be taken through the college's MECA program and platform without restriction with at least 24 credits taken at the 500-level. Inclusion of seminar or retrospective courses will be limited to 4 credits and must be approved by the Dean of Graduate Studies.

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### Graduate Core and Major Area

These courses are required of all candidates and are intended to improve the candidate's growth as scholar, educator and classroom technician. Everyone will take 562 Introduction to Graduate Study, a curriculum elective, and three advanced methods courses. Band, for example, will take 552, 553, and 554. Titles of those courses are listed further down the document under Advanced Methods Courses.

Course #	Course Title	Credits	Semester
562	Introduction to Graduate Study	2	
	Approved Professional Education Elective	2	
	Required Advanced Methods Courses by Track		
<b>String Track</b>	551A String Methods I: String Music Ed in 21 <sup>st</sup>	2	
	551B String Methods II: Eclectic Styles	2	
	548 Integrating Winds & Percussion into Orch.	2	
	Total Credits	10	

### Other Studies in Music

These courses are required in all areas and are intended to continue the candidate's personal musical growth. While some of these courses are available online, ensemble playing and courses such as conducting are essential parts of a musician's growth and require a more hands-on approach.

Course #	Course Title	Credits	Semester
534	Orchestral Conducting (Onsite Requirement)	2	
523	String Arranging	2	
549	Survey of String Literature	2	
	Approved Music History/Musicology/Ethnomusicology	2	
	Applied Music and Ensembles (at least 1 credit must be onsite)	4	
	Total Credits	12	

