

Course Description

MVB, MVJ, MVK, MVP, MVS, MVV, MVW | Principal Instrument | 2.00 credits

Private instrumental for those music students who are not prepared to perform at the college music major level. Special fee.

Course Competencies

Competency 1: The student will demonstrate basic developing technical proficiency as appropriate to their skill level by:

- 1. Studying and playing repertoire and technical studies
- 2. Practicing music regularly over the course of the semester and demonstrating the acquired proficiency in lessons and performances
- 3. Developing their use of a practice method.

Competency 2: The student will demonstrate a understanding of basic music fundamentals as they pertain to performance such as rhythmic and note patterns, musical notation, sight reading, as it relates to the private lesson instrument or voice as appropriate to their skill level by:

- 1. Discussing harmonic language, musical notation, rhythmic and note patterns and other fundamental music building blocks
- 2. Demonstrating understanding of music fundamentals through performance in lessons.

Competency 3: The student will be able to perform basic developing music repertoire representative of their skill level by:

- 1. Demonstrating skill and proficiency in tone (as appropriate), rhythm, form and expression
- 2. Practicing music regularly and increasing proficiency

Competency 4: The student will demonstrate basic developing proficiency in musical expression as appropriate to their skill level by:

- 1. Demonstrating an understanding of musical style and expression as appropriate to the composer and repertoire
- 2. Demonstrating an understanding of the role of melody and harmony and how to express the composer's intent

Learning Outcomes

• Demonstrate an appreciation for aesthetics and creative activities