Bemidji State University

MUS 3607: Music Education II: Elementary Methods

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

   Credits: 3
   Lecture Hours/Week: *.*
   Lab Hours/Week: *.*
   OJT Hours/Week: *.*
   Prerequisites: None
   Corequisites: None
   MnTC Goals: None

   Philosophy, materials, techniques, and methods of instruction for a general music program in the elementary school. Topics include child development, classroom instruments, lesson planning, classroom management, program administration, and advocacy. Includes an individually scheduled, 25-hour practicum in the public schools. Prerequisites: MUS 2310, MUS 2607, MUS 3202, and MUS 3618.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 05/10/2010 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

   1. Alto Recorder
   2. Elementary General Music
   3. Lesson Plans
   4. Musical Proficiencies
   5. Six-String Guitar
   6. The Musical Lives of Young Children
   7. Thinking Skills in the Music Classroom

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

   1. design curricular experiences that encourage higher level thinking processes.
   2. develop their ability to diagnosis learner needs, state objectives, select and organize both content and learning experiences and to evaluate learning.
   3. review methodologies and materials in the field of general music education
   4. develop the leadership skills needed to present musical activities to children

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

   None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

   As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

   None noted