# **Music: Diploma**

Faculty of Arts	kpu.ca/arts
Program Type	Undergraduate
Credential Granted	Diploma
Offered At	Langley
Start Date(s)	September January May
Intake Type	Open intake
Format	Full-time Part-time
Instructional Cycle	Semester-based
Curriculum Effective Date	01-Sep-2016
How to Apply	www.kpu.ca/admission

# **DESCRIPTION**

All prospective music students apply to enter the Bachelor of Music in Musical Arts Degree. Those students who wish to graduate with a Diploma in Music may apply after completing one of six concentrations.

The Diplomas in Music are two-year, four-semester programs. Each concentration is designed to help students develop their abilities in both academic and applied studies. All students receive four semesters of private instruction on their chosen instrument and participate in a large ensemble each semester. The core curriculum is augmented by electives chosen by the student in consultation with a faculty advisor.

The facilities at the Langley Campus have been designed to accommodate music instruction in solo performance, orchestral, band, choral, and chamber music.

Intake occurs once a year in September for full-time program students. It is expected that most students will enroll in a full-time program, but part-time participation will be allowed subject to seat availability and the fulfillment of the course prerequisites.

Credit for courses completed at other institutions may be transferred subject to the approval of the Music Chair. As well, first time registration for some courses may be allowed in January subject to the approval of the Music Chair and fulfillment of any course prerequisites.

It is recommended that prospective music students attend a music information session where program content and application procedures will be explained. For more information, please visit kpu.ca/music

# **Diploma Concentrations**

There are six concentrations within the Diploma program:

- Comprehensive Studies
- Guitar Performance
- Orchestral Instrument Performance
- Piano Performance
- Vocal Performance
- · General Studies

Students apply to the Bachelor of Music in Musical Arts Degree; they may declare their Diploma concentration later.

### **Foundation Courses**

Some prospective students may have musical talent but have not had private lessons or do not have the rudimentary knowledge of music theory necessary for university music study. Such students can be given the opportunity to register in one or more foundation courses to upgrade specific musical and technical skills. Generally these courses do not count toward the Bachelor of Music degree or Diploma programs. The Foundation courses include:

- Music Rudiments (i.e. Theory): MUSI 1120
- Songwriting and Arranging: MUSI 1291
- Music Technology: MUSI 1130
- History of Popular Music: MUSI 1111
- Classical Music in Western Culture: MUSI 1115
- Studio Lessons (i.e. Private Lessons): MUSI 1105 & MUSI 1205

# **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

In addition to the Faculty's Admission Requirements, which consist of KPU's undergraduate English Proficiency Requirement, the following program admission requirements apply:

**Audition/interview** - Applicants will have a scheduled audition on their instrument to demonstrate their musical and technical skills. For details, see the Music Department's website kpu.ca/arts/music

For all instruments except piano, the standard of practical work expected at the time of audition is equivalent to Royal Conservatory of Music (RCM) Grade 6. The entrance standard for piano is equivalent to RCM Grade 10.

A satisfactory score on the KPU Music Placement Test - The placement test assesses the knowledge and skill of the applicant in music theory, music history, and aural musicianship (i.e., ear training). The results will help determine the best point of entry for prospective students. For details, see the Music Department's website kpu.ca/arts/music

Applicants who have successfully completed the RCM – Advanced Rudiments Examination in Theory or Conservatory Canada, Theory IV may be exempt from writing the theory section of the placement test upon presentation of the certification of completion on or before the day of the audition.

Applicants who have successfully completed the RCM History 1 Examination may be exempt from writing the history section of the placement test upon presentation of the certification of completion on or before the day of the audition.

# **CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS**

# **Comprehensive Studies Concentration**

This concentration provides a solid foundation in the academic, theoretical, and practical areas of music. The curriculum prepares students for continuation into a Bachelor of Music degree program. Graduates can go on to further studies in the fields of music theory, composition, history, education or the arts in general.

To complete the Diploma in Music with a concentration in Comprehensive Studies, students must successfully complete:

Semester 1	
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One of: All of:

1 credit

2 credits

1 credit

MUSI 1150	The Language of Music I	3 credits
MUSI 1151	Aural Musicianship I	2 credits
MUSI 1153	History of Music I: Cornerstones of Music History	3 credits

MUSI 1157 Major Instrument 2 credits Concentration - I

A non-music elective

An English course, numbered 1100 or higher

One of:

MUSI 1154

MUSI 1155	Secondary Instrument - I*	1 credit
One of:		
MUSI 1167	Kwantlen String Orchestra I	2 credits
MUSI 1168	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble I	2 credits

Kwantlen Chorus I

Keyboard Skills I

## Semester 2

MUSI 1169

### All of:

MUSI 1250	The Language of Music II	3 credits
MUSI 1251	Aural Musicianship II	2 credits
MUSI 1253	History of Music II: Heroes, Politics, and War	3 credits
MUSI 1257	Major Instrument - Concentration - II	2 credits

A non-music elective

An English course, numbered 1100 or higher

#### One of:

MUSI 1254

MUSI 1255	Secondary Instrument - II*	1 credit
One of:		
MUSI 1267	Kwantlen String Orchestra II	2 credits
MUSI 1268	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble II	2 credits
MUSI 1269	Kwantlen Chorus II	2 credits

Keyboard Skills II

### Semester 3

#### ΔII of:

All Of:		
MUSI 2350	The Language of Music III	3 credits
MUSI 2351	Aural Musicianship III	2 credits
MUSI 2353	History of Music III: Music and the Arts	3 credits
MUSI 2357	Major Instrument Concentration - III	2 credits

Two non-music electives, totaling 6 credits

One of:		
MUSI 2367	Kwantlen String Orchestra III	2 credits
MUSI 2368	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble III	2 credits
MUSI 2369	Kwantlen Chorus III	2 credits

Keyboard Skills III

Secondary Instrument - III\*

1 credit

1 credit

#### Semester 4

MUSI 2354

MUSI 2355

### All of:

MUSI 2450	The Language of Music IV	3 credits
MUSI 2451	Aural Musicianship IV	2 credits
MUSI 2453	History of Music IV: Challenging the Conventions of Music	3 credits
MUSI 2457	Major Instrument Concentration- IV	2 credits

Two non-music electives, totaling 6 credits

#### One of:

MUSI 2454	Keyboard Skills IV	1 credit
MUSI 2455	Secondary Instrument - IV *	1 credit

#### One of:

MUSI 2467	Kwantlen String Orchestra IV	2 credits
MUSI 2468	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble IV	2 credits
MUSI 2469	Kwantlen Chorus IV	2 credits

\*Note: Upon graduation from the Diploma-Comprehensive Studies, all students must be able to demonstrate piano proficiency (including repertoire, sight reading, score reading) and knowledge of keyboard harmony skills equivalent to MUSI 2454. Enrolling in MUSI 1154-2454 Class Piano normally fulfills this. A student may choose to demonstrate proficiency in the required material at the beginning of each semester and, if successful, may be given permission to enrol in MUSI 1155-2455 Secondary Instrument.

# **Guitar Performance Concentration**

The guitar performance concentration is designed for musically and technically advanced students who plan to enter the field of performance. Graduates may continue to complete a Bachelor of Music degree and pursue graduate study. They may enter careers in public performance and teaching (university, conservatory, or private studio). Eligibility for the performance program is determined by audition.

To complete the Diploma in Music with a concentration in Guitar Performance, students must successfully complete:

### Semester 1

#### All of:

MUSI 1150	The Language of Music I	3 credits
MUSI 1151	Aural Musicianship I	2 credits

MUSI 1153	History of Music I: Cornerstones of Music History	3 credits	MUSI 2369 Semester 4	Kwantlen Chorus III	2 credits	
MUSI 1156	Major Instrument Applied -I	3 credits	All of:			
MUSI 1171	Guitar Chamber Ensemble I	2 credits		The Lenguage of Music IV	O ==== di4=	
	rse, numbered 1100 or higher	2 credits	MUSI 2450	The Language of Music IV	3 credits	
·	ise, numbered 1100 of higher		MUSI 2451	Aural Musicianship IV	2 credits	
One of: MUSI 1154	Keyboard Skills I	2 credits	MUSI 2453	History of Music IV: Challenging the Conventions of Music	3 credits	
MUSI 1155 One of:	Secondary Instrument - I*	2 credits	MUSI 2456	Major Instrument - Performance IV	3 credits	
MUSI 1167	Kwantlen String Orchestra I	2 credits	MUSI 2471	Guitar Chamber Ensemble IV	2 credits	
MUSI 1168	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble I	2 credits		elective, totaling 3 credits		
MUSI 1169	Kwantlen Chorus I	2 credits	One of:	olocatro, totaling o orodito		
			MUSI 2454	Keyboard Skills IV	1 credits	
Semester 2			MUSI 2455	Secondary Instrument - IV*	1 credits	
All of:			One of:	Cocondary monument	roround	
MUSI 1250	The Language of Music II	3 credits	MUSI 2467	Kwantlen String Orchestra IV	2 credits	
MUSI 1251	Aural Musicianship II	2 credits	MUSI 2468	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble IV	2 credits	
MUSI 1253	History of Music II: Heroes, Politics, and War	3 credits	MUSI 2469	Kwantlen Chorus IV	2 credits	
MUSI 1256	Major Instrument - Performance II	3 credits	Music Elective		2 ordans	
MUSI 1271	Guitar Chamber Ensemble II	2 credits	MUSI 1133	Fretboard Studies I	2 credits	
	rse, numbered 1100 or higher	2 oround	MUSI 1233	Fretboard Studies II	2 credits	
One of:	ree, manifered 1 ree of migner		* Note: Upon grade	uation from the Guitar Performa	ince	
MUSI 1254	Keyboard Skills II	1 credits		concentration, all students must be able to demonstrate poroficiency (including repertoire, sight reading, score read		
MUSI 1255	Secondary Instrument - II*	1 credits	knowledge of keyboard harmony skills equivalent to MUSI 2			
One of:	Coolinary monament	roround		154-2454 Class Piano normally fulfills this. A to demonstrate proficiency in the required		
MUSI 1267	Kwantlen String Orchestra II	2 credits	material at the beg	inning of each semester and, if	er and, if successful,	
MUSI 1268	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble II	2 credits	may be given perm Instrument.	nission to enrol in MUSI 1155-24	455 Secondary	
MUSI 1269	Kwantlen Chorus II	2 credits		nstrument Performa	200	
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Semester 3					tau ta daataa d	
All of:				rument performance concentrat echnically advanced students w		
MUSI 2350	The Language of Music III	3 credits	the field of perform	ance. Graduates may continue	to complete	
MUSI 2351	Aural Musicianship III	2 credits		c degree and pursue graduate s in public performance and teach		
MUSI 2353	History of Music III: Music and the Arts	3 credits		ivate studio). Eligibility for the p		
MUSI 2356	Major Instrument Applied - III	3 credits		iploma in Music with a concentr		
MUSI 2371	Guitar Chamber Ensemble III	2 credits	Orchestral Instrume complete:	ent Performance, students mus	t successfully	
One non-music	elective, totaling 3 credits		·			
One of:			Semester 1			
MUSI 2354	Keyboard Skills III	1 credits	All of:			
MUSI 2355	Secondary Instrument - III*	1 credits	MUSI 1150	The Language of Music I	3 credits	
One of:			MUSI 1151	Aural Musicianship I	2 credits	
MUSI 2367	Kwantlen String Orchestra III	2 credits	MUSI 1153	History of Music I:	3 credits	
MUSI 2368	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble III	2 credits		Cornerstones of Music History		

MUSI 1156	Major Instrument Applied	3 credits	MUSI 2374	Woodwind Ensemble III	2 credits
One of:			MUSI 2375	Brass Ensemble III	2 credits
MUSI 1173	Percussion Ensemble I	2 credits	MUSI 2379	String Chamber Ensemble III	2 credits
MUSI 1174	Woodwind Ensemble I	2 credits	One non-musi	c elective, totaling 3 credits	
MUSI 1175	Brass Ensemble I	2 credits	One of:		
MUSI 1179	String Chamber Ensemble I	2 credits	MUSI 2354	Keyboard Skills III	1 credits
An English cou	urse, numbered 1100 or higher		MUSI 2355	Secondary Instrument - III*	1 credits
One of:			One of:		
MUSI 1154	Keyboard Skills I	1 credits	MUSI 2367	Kwantlen String Orchestra III	2 credits
MUSI 1155	Secondary Instrument – I*	1 credits	MUSI 2368	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble III	2 credits
One of:			Semester 4		
MUSI 1167	Kwantlen String Orchestra I	2 credits			
MUSI 1168	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble I	2 credits	All of:		
			MUSI 2450	The Language of Music IV	3 credits
Semester 2			MUSI 2451	Aural Musicianship IV	2 credits
All of: MUSI 1250	The Language of Music II	3 credits	MUSI 2453	History of Music IV: Challenging the Conventions of Music	3 credits
MUSI 1251	Aural Musicianship II	2 credits	MUSI 2456	Major Instrument -	3 credits
MUSI 1253	History of Music II: Heroes, Politics, and War	3 credits		Performance IV	o orogino
MUSI 1256	Major Instrument -	3 credits	One of:	Denoveries Francisco IV	0
	Performance II		MUSI 2473	Percussion Ensemble IV	2 credits
One of:			MUSI 2474	Woodwind Ensemble IV	2 credits
MUSI 1273	Percussion Ensemble II	2 credits	MUSI 2475	Brass Ensemble IV	2 credits
MUSI 1274	Woodwind Ensemble II	2 credits	MUSI 2479	String Chamber Ensemble IV	2 credits
MUSI 1275	Brass Ensemble II	2 credits		c elective, totaling 3 credits	
MUSI 1279	String Chamber Ensemble II	2 credits	One of:		
An English cou	urse, numbered 1100 or higher		MUSI 2454	Keyboard Skills IV	1 credits
One of:			MUSI 2455	Secondary Instrument – IV*	1 credits
MUSI 1254	Keyboard Skills II	1 credits	One of:		
MUSI 1255	Secondary Instrument – II*	1 credits	MUSI 2467	Kwantlen String Orchestra IV	2 credits
One of:			MUSI 2468	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble IV	2 credits
MUSI 1267	Kwantlen String Orchestra II	2 credits		duation from the Orchestral Instr centration, all students must be a	
MUSI 1268	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble II	2 credits	demonstrate piane	o proficiency (including repertoir	e, sight reading
Semester 3			equivalent to MUS	d knowledge of keyboard harmo BI 2454. Enrolling in MUSI 1154- Ifills this. A student may choose	2454 Class
All of:			proficiency in the	required material at the beginnir	ng of each
MUSI 2350	The Language of Music III	3 credits		uccessful, may be given permis: Secondary Instrument.	sion to enroi in
MUSI 2351	Aural Musicianship III	2 credits	Piano Perfo	rmance Concentration	on
MUSI 2353	History of Music III: Music and the Arts	3 credits	The performance	concentration is designed for milvanced students who plan to en	usically
MUSI 2356	Major Instrument Applied – III	3 credits	field of performan	ce. Graduates may continue to	complete a
One of:			enter careers in p	ublic performance and teaching	(university,
MUSI 2373	Percussion Ensemble III	2 credits	conservatory, or p	orivate studio). Eligibility for the pained by audition	ertormance

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program is determined by audition.

To complete the Diploma in Music with a concentration in Piano Performance, students must successfully complete:

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All of:		
MUSI 1150	The Language of Music I	3 credits
MUSI 1151	Aural Musicianship I	2 credits
MUSI 1153	History of Music I: Cornerstones of Music History	3 credits
MUSI 1156	Major Instrument Applied	3 credits
MUSI 1158	Piano Repertoire I: The Baroque Period	2 credits
MUSI 1172	Piano Chamber Ensemble I	2 credits
An English cou	rse, numbered 1100 or higher	
One of:		
MUSI 1167	Kwantlen String Orchestra I	2 credits
MUSI 1168	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble I	2 credits
MUSI 1169	Kwantlen Chorus I	2 credits
Semester 2		
All of :		
MUSI 1250	The Language of Music II	3 credits
MUSI 1251	Aural Musicianship II	2 credits
MUSI 1253	History of Music II: Heroes, Politics, and War	3 credits
MUSI 1256	Major Instrument - Performance II	3 credits
MUSI 1258	Piano Repertoire II: The Classical Period	2 credits
MUSI 1272	Piano Chamber Ensemble II	2 credits
An English cou	rse, numbered 1100 or higher	
One of :		
MUSI 1267	Kwantlen String Orchestra II	2 credits
MUSI 1268	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble II	2 credits
MUSI 1269	Kwantlen Chorus II	2 credits
Semester 3		
All of:		
MUSI 2350	The Language of Music III	3 credits
MUSI 2351	Aural Musicianship III	2 credits
MUSI 2353	History of Music III: Music and the Arts	3 credits
MUSI 2356	Major Instrument Applied - III	3 credits
MUSI 2358	Piano Repertoire III: The Romantic Period	2 credits
MUSI 2372	Piano Chamber Ensemble III	2 credits

One non-music elective, totaling 3 credits

One	of	:
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MUSI 2367	Kwantlen String Orchestra III	2 credits
MUSI 2368	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble III	2 credits
MUSI 2369	Kwantlen Chorus III	2 credits

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	Semester 4		
•	All of :		
	MUSI 2450	The Language of Music IV	3 credits
	MUSI 2451	Aural Musicianship IV	2 credits
	MUSI 2453	History of Music IV: Challenging the Conventions of Music	3 credits
	MUSI 2456	Major Instrument - Performance IV	3 credits
	MUSI 2458	Piano Repertoire IV: The Twentieth Century	2 credits
	MUSI 2472	Piano Chamber Ensemble IV	2 credits
	One non-music	elective, totaling 3 credits	

#### One of:

MUSI 2467	Kwantlen String Orchestra IV	2 credits
MUSI 2468	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble IV	2 credits
MUSI 2469	Kwantlen Chorus IV	2 credits

# **Vocal Performance Concentration**

The performance concentration is designed for musically and technically advanced students who plan to enter the field of performance. Graduates may continue to complete a Bachelor of Music degree and pursue graduate study. They may enter careers in public performance and teaching (university, conservatory, or private studio). Eligibility for the performance program is determined by audition.

To complete the Diploma in Music with a concentration in Vocal Performance, students must successfully complete:

## Semester 1

MUSI 1155

#### All of:

MUSI 1150	The Language of Music I	3 credits	
MUSI 1151	Aural Musicianship I	2 credits	
MUSI 1153	History of Music I: Cornerstones of Music History	3 credits	
MUSI 1156	Major Instrument Applied	3 credits	
MUSI 1169	Kwantlen Chorus I	2 credits	
An English cou	rse, numbered 1100 or higher		
A German lang	uage course		
One of:			
MUSI 1154	Keyboard Skills I	1 credits	

Secondary Instrument - I\*

1 credits

#### Semester 2

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MUSI 1250	The Language of Music II	3 credits	
MUSI 1251	Aural Musicianship II	2 credits	
MUSI 1253	History of Music II: Heroes, Politics, and War	3 credits	
MUSI 1256	Major Instrument - Performance II	3 credits	
MUSI 1269	Kwantlen Chorus II	2 credits	
An English course, numbered 1100 or higher			
A German language course			

## One of:

MUSI 1254	Keyboard Skills II	1 credits
MUSI 1255	Secondary Instrument - II*	1 credits

#### Semester 3

#### All of:

MUSI 2350	The Language of Music III	3 credits
MUSI 2351	Aural Musicianship III	2 credits
MUSI 2353	History of Music III: Music and the Arts	3 credits
MUSI 2356	Major Instrument Applied - III	3 credits
MUSI 2359	Lyric Diction I	1 credits
MUSI 2369	Kwantlen Chorus III	2 credits
One non-music elective, totaling 3 credits		

### One of:

MUSI 2354	Keyboard Skills III	1 credits
MUSI 2355	Secondary Instrument - III*	1 credits

# Semester 4

### All of:

MUSI 2450	The Language of Music IV	3 credits
MUSI 2451	Aural Musicianship IV	2 credits
MUSI 2453	History of Music IV: Challenging the Conventions of Music	3 credits
MUSI 2456	Major Instrument - Performance IV	3 credits
MUSI 2459	Lyric Diction II	1 credits
MUSI 2469	Kwantlen Chorus IV	2 credits
One non-music	elective, totaling 3 credits	

### One of:

MUSI 2454	Keyboard Skills IV	1 credits
MUSI 2455	Secondary Instrument - IV*	1 credits

<sup>\*</sup> **Note**: Upon graduation from the Vocal Performance concentration, all students must be able to demonstrate piano proficiency (including repertoire, sight reading, score reading) and

knowledge of keyboard harmony skills equivalent to MUSI 2454. Enrolling in MUSI 1154-2454 Class Piano normally fulfills this. A student may choose to demonstrate proficiency in the required material at the beginning of each semester and, if successful, may be given permission to enrol in MUSI 1155-2455 Secondary Instrument.

# **General Studies Concentration**

This concentration provides a broad education in music, integrating theoretical, historical, and performance studies while enabling students to master the skills needed for a wide array of professions. The core curriculum consists of 46 music credits. The student supplements with a further 14 credits of electives that must include a minimum of 9 non-music undergraduate credits\*. Through a careful choice of electives, this concentration can lead to further study in liberal arts, music therapy, music education, business and arts management.

To complete the Diploma in Music with a concentration in General Studies, students must successfully complete:

# Four courses (12 credits) in Music Theory selected from:

MUSI 1150	The Language of Music I	3 credits
MUSI 1250	The Language of Music II	3 credits
MUSI 2350	The Language of Music III	3 credits
MUSI 2450	The Language of Music IV	3 credits

# Two courses (4 credits) in Aural Musicianship selected from:

MUSI 1151	Aural Musicianship I	2 credits
MUSI 1251	Aural Musicianship II	2 credits
MUSI 2351	Aural Musicianship III	2 credits
MUSI 2451	Aural Musicianship IV	2 credits

# Four courses (12 credits) in Music History selected from:

MUSI 1111	History of Popular Music	3 credits
MUSI 1115	Classical Music in Western Culture	3 credits
MUSI 1153	History of Music I: Cornerstones of Music History	3 credits
MUSI 1253	History of Music II: Heroes, Politics, and War	3 credits
MUSI 2353	History of Music III: Music and the Arts	3 credits
MUSI 2453	History of Music IV: Challenging the Conventions of Music	3 credits

# Two courses (2 credits) in Keyboard Skills† selected from:

Keyboard Skills I	1 credit
Keyboard Skills II	1 credit
Keyboard Skills III	1 credit
Keyboard Skills IV	1 credit
	Keyboard Skills II Keyboard Skills III

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# Four Private Music Instruction‡ courses (8 credits) selected from:

MUSI 1105	Major Instrument - Foundation I	2 credits
MUSI 1157	Major Instrument - Concentration I	2 credits
MUSI 1205	Major Instrument - Foundation II	2 credits
MUSI 1257	Major Instrument - Concentration II	2 credits
MUSI 2357	Major Instrument - Concentration III	2 credits
MUSI 2457	Major Instrument - Concentration IV	2 credits

# Four Large Ensemble courses (8 credits) selected from:

MUSI 1167	Kwantlen Strings I	2 credits
MUSI 1168	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble I	2 credits
MUSI 1169	Kwantlen Chorus I	2 credits
MUSI 1267	Kwantlen Strings II	2 credits
MUSI 1268	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble II	2 credits
MUSI 1269	Kwantlen Chorus II	2 credits
MUSI 2367	Kwantlen Strings III	2 credits
MUSI 2368	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble III	2 credits
MUSI 2369	Kwantlen Chorus III	2 credits
MUSI 2467	Kwantlen Strings IV	2 credits
MUSI 2468	Kwantlen Wind Ensemble IV	2 credits
MUSI 2469	Kwantlen Chorus IV	2 credits

# Elective courses (14 credits), including:

Up to 9 credits from non-music undergraduate 14 credits courses, and at least 5 credits from courses in MUSI.

The 9 credits of non-music electives may include any non-music undergraduate courses offered at KPU. Music electives may be any other diploma-level music courses (MUSI 1100 and higher). The following is a partial list of music electives: Music and Computers; Introduction to the Music Industry; and various small chamber ensembles (Jazz Combo, Percussion Ensemble, etc.).

Selected courses within the diploma program may be applied to third-year entry into the BMMA program.

### Notes:

- \* It is strongly recommended that students take ENGL 1100, if they are considering any degree program upon completion of the Diploma in Music General Studies Concentration.
- † Students with keyboard experience may be excused from one or both of the these courses, depending on the level of proficiency already achieved. In that case, secondary instruction in piano or other suitable instrument will be required. This will be achieved by completing MUSI 1155 and 1255. In addition, piano majors may apply for a course substitution totaling a minimum of 2 credits.

‡ Students may request a course substitution of one or all of MUSI 1156, 1256, 2356, and 2456 for any of the private music instruction courses.

# OTHER INFORMATION

# **Private Lessons**

Students may major in one of the following: piano, voice, strings, woodwinds, brass, guitar, or percussion. Private lessons are generally available only to students enrolled full time in the music programs.

# **Secondary Lessons**

Students may be eligible for secondary lessons only if they have successfully met all Keyboard Skills requirements (covered in MUSI 1154, 1254, 2354, 2454).

# Private Lesson and Chamber Ensemble Policies and Fees

To be eligible for private lessons, a student must enroll in a minimum of 9 credits per semester excluding the lessons themselves. Part-time music students must consult with the Music Chair regarding their private instruction options.

Fees in addition to course tuition apply for private music lessons and chamber ensembles. Please contact the Music Department for further information.

# CREDENTIAL AWARDED

Upon successful completion of their concentration, students are eligible to receive a **Diploma in Music**.