Syllabus: Student Teacher Practicum

Class Orientation

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Office Hours  By appointment.

Attendance:  Regular attendance is required.  Appropriate communication must occur when being absent from student teaching assignment or practicum.

Grading:  Grades will be determined through the student teaching observations.

Practicum Schedule Fall 2018

All music department practicum sessions begin at 4:00

Wednesday 8/29  Expectations, explanations, syllabus
Wednesday 9/5  Evaluations, good beginnings, W9 forms
Wednesday 9/12  PDE  Ethical Conduct Standards
Wednesday 9/19  Control/Motivation in the student teaching environment
Wednesday 9/26  State, national, Westminster standards
Wednesday 10/3  Effective rehearsals [Band, orchestra, chorus]
Wednesday 10/10  PDE430 explanation, portfolios
Wednesday 10/17  Schedule review, planning for the 2nd half of student teaching
Wednesday 10/24  Guest Speaker
College Break  October 27, 28, 29, 30
Wednesday 10/31  Discussion, make up, catch up.
Wednesday 11/7  Portfolios evaluations
Wednesday 11/14  Resumes, Interviews, Applications, Getting a job, cover letter, portfolio.
Thanksgiving Break Nov. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25
Wednesday 11/28  Interview preparation  PDE430 [2]
Wednesday 12/5  Mock interviews  Times: TBA