

# Minnesota State University Moorhead

## MUS 231: Methods for Teaching Woodwinds I

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 1

Lecture Hours/Week: 0

Lab Hours/Week: 2

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

Methods and materials for teaching individual woodwind instruments in the public schools. Focus on clarinet and saxophone.

**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 02/21/2001 - Present

### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

### D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Analyze common pedagogical practices, materials and methods.
2. Become familiar with appropriate equipment, reeds, and accessories for each instrument.
3. Develop fundamental performance skills on each instrument.
4. Discover difficult solutions common to each instrument.
5. Discover solo and ensemble literature for each instrument.
6. Learn how to use Smartmusic software to aid in development.
7. Practice teaching on each instrument.

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

None

### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted