

Music Tested / Experience Rubric

The tested experience rubric is designed to establish situations where someone who may not hold a master's degree in music may be allowed to teach for the Pikes Peak State College Music Department.

An individual with a bachelor's degree in a MUSIC related field (music education, music theory, composition, performance) can be eligible to teach a core class (Music Appreciation, Fundamentals of Music) if they meet 6 points on the rubric below.

Tested Experience	0	1	2	3
Bachelor's level coursework in music performance, theory, or music history	None, automatic disqualification	Nine or more credit hours at the bachelor level	Twelve or more credit hours at the bachelor level	
History of performances in diverse performance spaces within the last 5 years and/or Community music experience in subject area (working at/running music venues, hosting music related events)	One to two shows in the last five years.	Three to four shows in the last five years.	Five or more shows within the last five years.	
Presentations at music education conferences or masterclass facilitator/lecturer	None	1-2 events	3-4 events	5-6 events
Portfolio of professional quality recordings/compositions as deemed by MUSIC department members	No participation	Good Quality	Outstanding Quality	
Minimum years of teaching experience in a classroom setting	None	Less than 1 year	1-2 years	3-5 years

