

**NorthWest Arkansas Community College**  
**Division of Communication and Arts**  
**Music Department**

**Course Number and Title**

MUAP 2001, Secondary Private Instrument/Voice II

**Catalog Description**

Continued private study of secondary-level voice or instrument. May be repeated once for up to 2 hours degree credit. MUAP 2001 is the continuation of work begun in MUAP 1001 and may also be repeated once for up to 2 total hours degree credit.

**Prerequisite**

Students taking private piano lessons under this course number must first take MUSI 1221 Beginning Piano Class or have consent of instructor.

**Credit hours/Contact hours/Load hours**

1 Credit hour/ .5 Contact hours/ .33 Load hours

**Target Audience/Transferability**

This course is designed as private training on instruments or voice for music majors and as an elective for non-music majors. Piano instruction under this number provides training toward proficiency requirements for most music majors. Transferability varies among institutions. (Students should contact target institutions for transferability.) The course is also structured to appeal to community members who want an introduction to instrumental or vocal training..

**Student Learning Outcomes**

Students will demonstrate improvement in performance skills in the following areas:

- Preparation (practice techniques)
- Technical ability (scales, arpeggios, etc, appropriate to instrument and level)
- Expressiveness

All students registered for credit will perform one or more pieces by memory.  
Students will learn repertoire appropriate to instrument and level.

**Topics**

Technical exercises, etudes appropriate to level of experience, standard literature, performance practices, practice techniques

**Forms of Assessment**

- Pre – Instructor will assess student's current ability in the listed criteria and from this assessment will determine which literature is best suited for the semester's work.
- Post – Students will perform before a panel of music instructors. Using feedback from this panel along with his/her own assessment, the instructor will determine how well the students have met the goals established at the beginning of the course. A chart reflecting progress will be completed for each student. Faculty use these jury results to assess at the course level.