**ALTERNATIVE CLASS A PROGRAM CHECKLIST**

**Program:** Music, Choral (P-12)  
**Total Hours:** 42-45

**Institution:** UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA AT BIRMINGHAM

**Candidate's Name:**  
**Issued to candidate on:**  
**by:**

### PROFESSIONAL STUDIES 22-25

- **Teaching Field Specific Methods Course(s):**
  - MU 531 Methods of Teaching Music: Young Learners 3

- **Learner Development, Learner Differences, and Learning Environments:**
  - MU 532 Methods I: Choral Music 3

- **Professional Learning and Ethical Practice:**
  - MU 521 Foundations of Graduate Study in Music 3

- **Leadership and Collaboration:**
  - MU 562 Methods II: Choral Music 3

- **Survey of Special Education Course:**
  - Survey of Special Education Course (required if not completed previously).
  - ECY 600 Introduction to Exceptional Learner 0-3

- **EHS 597 Special Problems in Education: Diversity** 3

### TEACHING FIELD 16

- **MU 629 Music Research** 3
- **MU 615 Technology for Music Instruction** 3
- **Music Theory** Choose 3 hours from the following: 3
  - MU 545 Modal Counterpoint  
  - MU 555 Form and Analysis
- **Music History** Choose 3 hours from the following: 3
  - MU 561 Seminar in Music Literature
  - MU 564 American Music
  - MU 566 Music in World Cultures
- **Applied Music**
  - MUP 540 Voice 2
- **Music Ensembles**
  - MUP 520 Concert Choir 2

### INTERNSHIP

- **EHS 690 Internship Seminar in Secondary Education** 1  
- **EMU 690 Internship in Music Education** 6

**The internship shall be divided between early childhood/elementary and middle/secondary grades.**

### ADDITIONAL COURSES 4

- **Using Assessment Data to Improve Student Learning:**
  - EPR 510 or EPR 511 Measurement and Evaluation 3

### Literacy (including technology): 1

- **EDR 521 Reading Strategies in the Content Area**
- **(Technology standards are met in MU 615.)**

### Special needs are addressed in ECY 600

**ALSBE Requirements for Alternative Class A Certification in Music-Choral (P-12):**

Once a candidate has completed all the above courses and has met all admission, exit, and certification requirements, the candidate will be eligible for the Alternative Class A certification in Music-Choral (P-12). To be eligible for this certification, the candidate must:

- Submit a completed application for certification during the last term of enrollment in the Alternative Class A Music-Choral (P-12) Program (and no later than 60 calendar months following completion of this degree program)
- Successfully complete all courses on the Alternative Class A program checklist, meet the criteria of UAB's Graduate School for completing the corresponding master's degree program, and earn an overall GPA of 3.25
- Meet all requirements for the Alabama Educator Certification Assessment Program (AECAP)

**Dean of Education:**

**Date:** 10/14/2022