**COLLIN COLLEGE**

**COURSE SYLLABUS**

Course Information

**Course Number:** MUSI 1303

**Course Title:** Fundamentals of Music

**Course Description:** Introduction to the basic elements of music theory, including scales, intervals, keys, triads, elementary ear training, notation, meter, and rhythm. Course does not apply to a music major degree.

**Course Credit Hours:** 3

Lecture Hours: 3

**Student Learning Outcomes:**

* **State-mandated Outcomes:** Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

1. Construct all major and minor scales and key signatures.
2. Construct simple and compound intervals, triads and seventh chords of any quality.
3. Identify and perform basic rhythmic and pitch patterns common in tonal music, and properly notate basic rhythms in simple or compound meters.
4. Identify fundamental musical elements aurally and/or on the keyboard.
5. Use appropriate musical vocabulary to describe theoretical concepts.

* **Additional Collin Outcomes**: Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

1. Reproduce and identify pitches on the grand staff and keyboard.
2. Transcribe a rhythmic passage from one time signature to another.
3. Generate and aurally identify major, natural minor, harmonic minor, and melodic minor scales.
4. Transcribe a rhythmic dictation.
5. Generate and aurally identify any interval.
6. Generate and aurally identify major, minor, augmented and diminished triads.
7. Generate and aurally identify inverted triads.
8. Apply Roman numeral harmonic analysis to a four-part chorale with tonic, subdominant and dominant seventh chords.

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**Collin College Academic Policies:** See the current *Collin Student Handbook*

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