

Band Options

Colby Community College has a diverse music program with multiple ensembles and private lessons offered to majors and non-majors.

- PEP BAND
- JAZZ BAND
- CONCERT BAND

The curriculum is designed for students who plan to pursue a career in the field of music or those who want to develop and improve their skills in performing and composing music. The student who completes the suggested courses is awarded the Associate of Arts degree.



Jazz Band

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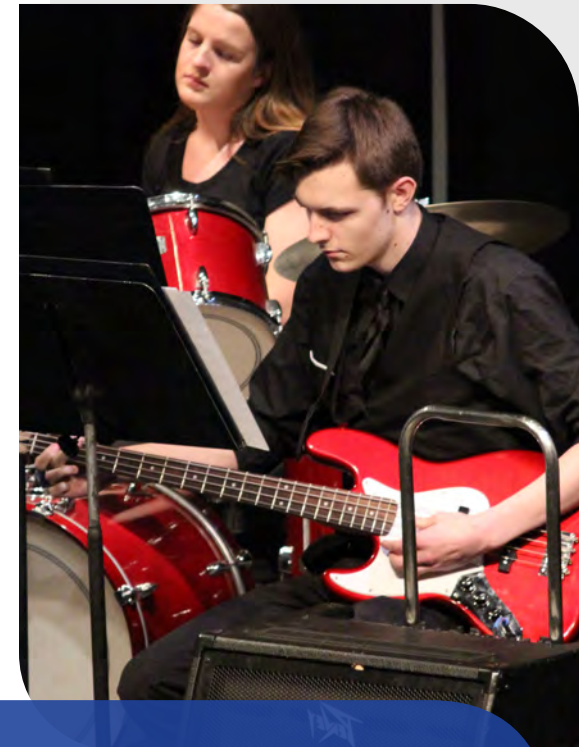
Equal Opportunity

CCC does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, gender, age, disability, national origin or ancestry, sexual orientation or religion. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding non-discrimination policies:

Vice President of Student Affairs

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Admission and Enrollment

Schedule a time to tour CCC at www.colbycc.edu/admissions and then:

1. Apply online!
2. Apply for Financial Aid (School Code: 001911).
3. Send copies of all ACT, SAT, and/or Accuplacer scores to Admissions.
4. Send medical history, TB and meningitis forms to Admissions (forms are online)
5. Select classes and enroll (an advisor will be assigned to help you select courses).
6. Select a housing option.
7. Review payment options.



ColbyCCBands



ColbyCCMusic



Co-curricular or Career

Many students in band ensembles are also involved with other campus events and work part-time jobs. While being successful at band requires dedication, reasonable schedule accommodations can be found.

Majoring in Music

Our curriculum is designed for students in such a way that students are able to:

1. Take advantage of scholarship opportunities via ensemble participation.
2. Complete as many general education requirements as possible
3. Essentially complete the first two years of Music Theory and Aural Skills courses before moving onto a four-year program.

Students entering the upper tier of Music Theory and Aural Skills will be given additional leadership and learning opportunities to prepare them for the competitive environment they will enter at a four-year institution.

Music careers include but are not excluded to education, performance, composing and music therapy.

Your Director

Michelle Meyer directs three bands (Concert Band, Jazz Ensemble, and Pep Band). She teaches aural skills and applied studies and serves as a CCC mentor teacher. In her career



spanning two decades, she has focused on the needs of rural education and high-needs schools in both Virginia and Kansas. While in Virginia, she was an instructor for the Virginia Governor's School for the Arts – a unique program for gifted and talented students across the Commonwealth. At Colby Community College, she provides professional development opportunities for local music teachers and reestablished the Colby Community Band, which performs during the summer. In 2020, she was named the Northwest Kansas Music Educators Association (KMEA) Outstanding College Music Educator.

Michelle has a bachelor's degree in music education from Kansas State University. After teaching in a public school in Kansas, she earned a Master of Arts in Music with a dual emphasis in clarinet performance and conducting from Radford University. She is a member of several professional organizations for band, music education, and clarinet performance, and is an active performer, conductor, clinician, and adjudicator throughout the Plains States.