

Music 20 - 59636 Beginning Piano Level 1

COURSE SYLLABUS

TIMES AND DATES

TH 6:00-6:50 PM - FORUM 10

ADDITIONAL LAB HOURS REQUIRED

CLASS WILL NOT MEET: TH-Nov 27(Thanksgiving)

DROP DATE - F-Aug 29. After this date a grade will be given.

INSTRUCTOR

Heather Chu - heather.chu@reedleycollege.edu

Office Hours - By Arrangement

REQUIRED MATERIALS

Alfred's All in One Adult Piano Course/Theory Book Vol 1

Fundamentals of Piano Theory

Manuscript Paper/Music Staff Paper

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This class is an introduction to proper piano playing technique and basic music theory skills.

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Students are expected to attend each class. More than (6) absences from class will result in a failing grade. If a student is tardy, it is the student's responsibility to make sure he or she is marked present after class so that the absence is changed to a tardy. Three tardies constitute an absence. A tardy in excess of 20 minutes is considered an absence. Students who exceed the absence limit after the drop date will receive an "F".

PERFORMANCES - One or more public performances(s) required per semester.

FINAL EXAM - Participation in performance(s)

GRADING CRITERIA

Your grade will be determined from a combination of homework, quizzes, midterm, playing tests, a final exam, lab hours, and the final recital. Completion of all portions of the class is mandatory.

Final grade will be computed as follows:

Playing Tests: 20%

Written and Theory Assignments: 20%

Quizzes/Midterms: 20%

Final Exam: 20%

Recital: 20%

Lab Hours: Required to pass but not graded

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES: If you have a verified need for an academic accommodation or materials in alternate media (i.e., Braille, large print, electronic text, etc.) per the Americans with disabilities Act (ADA) or Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, please contact the instructor as soon as possible.