Syllabus for:

Jazz Pedagogy Practicum MUS362.1

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Goals of the Course:

- Help student to develop their teaching style.
- Provide the student with practical teaching techniques.
- Familiarize the student with commercially available pedagogical materials.

Required Texts:

• Student will be assigned specific readings by the instructor.

Attendance:

- Attendance at all practicum meetings is mandatory. Sessions missed due to excused absences (those accompanied by a physician's note) will be made up upon consultation with the instructor.
- Students showing up 20 minutes past the scheduled start of the lesson will be counted as an unexcused absence.

Grading: a grade will be assigned at the conclusion of each session on the rubric and initialed by student.

- Student will be graded on:
 - □ Attendance (25%)
 - □ Preparedness (75%) of assigned reading, writing and portfolio projects.
 - □ Practicum grade will be factored in with other lessons, practica and small and large ensembles to compute the 'performance unit' grade.