DESCRIPTION
Repertoire Orchestra provides music education majors with a working knowledge of the repertoire found in the Prescribed Music List (PML). Each week, students will conduct and sight read string works from the middle and high school PML.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Develop a working knowledge of the secondary strings PML.
- Construct a notebook in which each page will describe, in detail, a work from the PML for later reference as a secondary strings teacher.
- Develop conducting/rehearsal technique through observation and practice.
- (Optional) Practice on a secondary instrument.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS
- Assigned string instrument.
- Pencil.

POLICIES AND EXPECTATIONS
Attendance
- Attendance at all sessions is mandatory.
- If you must miss rehearsal due to a last-minute emergency, contact the student workers immediately. The student workers will inform the conductor. Documentation may be required.
- Attendance will take place in the moments immediately preceding the rehearsal start time.
- Excessive absences or tardiness may result in a failing grade or the student’s dismissal from the ensemble.
- Each unexcused absence beyond one (1) will lower a student’s cumulative grade.
by one letter. For example: If Jane Doe misses two (2) rehearsals over the course of the semester, the best grade that she can earn in orchestra is a “B.”

Rehearsal Preparation
You are not expected to prepare for these rehearsals unless you have been assigned to conduct a piece in rehearsal. Instrumentalists are expected to read at sight.

Sheet Music
Binders will be assigned, in which the repertoire for the semester will be contained. Each week we will begin promptly with the next piece in the binder, working our way through the entire collection.

GRADING
Students will be evaluated based on attendance and the completion of Repertoire Note Forms.

UNIVERSITY POLICIES

Academic Integrity (A-9.1)
Academic integrity is a responsibility of all university faculty and students. Faculty members promote academic integrity in multiple ways including instruction on the components of academic honesty, as well as abiding by university policy on penalties for cheating and plagiarism.

Definition of Academic Dishonesty
Academic dishonesty includes both cheating and plagiarism. Cheating includes but is not limited to (1) using or attempting to use unauthorized materials to aid in achieving a better grade on a component of a class; (2) the falsification or invention of any information, including citations, on an assigned exercise; and/or (3) helping or attempting to help another in an act of cheating or plagiarism. Plagiarism is presenting the words or ideas of another person as if they were your own. Examples of plagiarism are (1) submitting an assignment as if it were one's own work when, in fact, it is at least partly the work of another; (2) submitting a work that has been purchased or otherwise obtained from an Internet source or another source; and (3) incorporating the words or ideas of an author into one's paper without giving the author due credit.

Please read the complete policy at http://www.sfasu.edu/policies/academic_integrity.asp

Withheld Grades Semester Grades Policy (A-54)
Ordinarily, at the discretion of the instructor of record and with the approval of the academic chair/director, a grade of WH will be assigned only if the student cannot complete the course work because of unavoidable circumstances. Students must complete
the work within one calendar year from the end of the semester in which they receive a WH, or the grade automatically becomes an F. If students register for the same course in future terms the WH will automatically become an F and will be counted as a repeated course for the purpose of computing the grade point average.

Students with Disabilities
To obtain disability related accommodations, alternate formats and/or auxiliary aids, students with disabilities must contact the Office of Disability Services (ODS), Human Services Building, and Room 325, 468-3004 / 468-1004 (TDD) as early as possible in the semester. Once verified, ODS will notify the course instructor and outline the accommodation and/or auxiliary aids to be provided. Failure to request services in a timely manner may delay your accommodations. For additional information, go to http://www.sfasu.edu/disabilityservices/.