

**UCSD Music Department
Symphonic Orchestra
Music 134 and Music 234
Steven Schick-Professor**

2007-08 Attendance/Grade Policy (revised Sep. 14, 2007)

This is a performance class requiring regular attendance and participation. You will be expected to contribute to the success of each rehearsal and concert. Grades will be based primarily on attendance. There are TWO CONCERT SERIES per QUARTER consisting of the following attendance commitments:

Fall Quarter

1. Nine Monday night and two Wednesday night Full Orchestra Rehearsals.
2. Two Wednesday night String Sectionals
3. Two Friday Night Dress Rehearsals.
4. Two Saturday Night -Sunday Afternoon Concert Series.

Winter Quarter

1. Ten Monday night Full Orchestra Rehearsals.
2. Two Wednesday night String Sectionals
3. Two Friday Night Dress Rehearsals.
4. Two Saturday Night -Sunday Afternoon Concert Series.

Spring Quarter

1. Nine Monday night and one Wednesday night Full Orchestra Rehearsals.
2. Two Wednesday night String Sectionals
3. Two Friday Night Dress Rehearsals.
4. Two Saturday Night -Sunday Afternoon Concert Series.

Please refer to Rehearsal/Concert schedule for times and dates of all rehearsals and concerts.

Grade per quarter for Music 134 and Music 234 will be determined by the following:

To receive the grade of "A":

- No absences to any concert or dress rehearsal per quarter.
- No more than a single absence per concert series from Full Rehearsals.

To receive the grade of "B":

- No absences to any concert or dress rehearsal per quarter.
- No more than two absences per concert series from Full Rehearsals.

To receive the grade of "C":

- No more than one absence from a concert or dress rehearsal
- No more than four absences per quarter from Full Rehearsals.

The grade of "F" will be given to any student with two or more absences to a concert or dress rehearsal, or more than two absences per concert series from Full Rehearsals.

It is our expectation that every student member of the orchestra shall attend relevant sectional rehearsals, however for the purposes of grading only absences from full rehearsals will be counted.

PLEASE NOTE:

You will be required to re-audition for this course should you earn a grade of "C" or below.