Designed to prepare students for professional performance and teaching as well as for advanced study, the major in winds and percussion instruments offers a concentrated curriculum emphasizing applied studies, master classes, required participation in large and small ensembles, and recitals.

Program of Study

- Winds and Percussion Instruments Major (https://catalogs.northwestern.edu/undergraduate/music/winds-percussion-instruments/winds-percussion-instruments-major/)

WIND_PER 111-0 Applied Flute for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 112-0 Applied Oboe for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 113-0 Applied Clarinet for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 114-0 Applied Saxophone for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 115-0 Applied Bassoon for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 121-0 Applied Trumpet for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 122-0 Applied French Horn for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 123-0 Applied Euphonium for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 124-0 Applied Trombone for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 125-0 Applied Tuba for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 131-0 Applied Percussion for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 141-0 Warm-Up Class (0 Unit)
WIND_PER 151-0 Optional Recital (0 Unit)
WIND_PER 211-0 Applied Flute for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 212-0 Applied Oboe for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 213-0 Applied Clarinet for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 214-0 Applied Saxophone for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 215-0 Applied Bassoon for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 216-0 Applied Trumpet for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 217-0 Applied French Horn for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 218-0 Applied Euphonium for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 219-0 Applied Trombone for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 220-0 Applied Tuba for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 231-0 Applied Percussion for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 241-0 Warm-Up Class (0 Unit)
WIND_PER 251-0 Optional Recital (0 Unit)
WIND_PER 311-0 Applied Flute for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 312-0 Applied Oboe for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 313-0 Applied Clarinet for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 314-0 Applied Saxophone for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 315-0 Applied Bassoon for Music Majors (1 Unit)

WIND_PER 321-0 Applied Trumpet for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 322-0 Applied French Horn for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 323-0 Applied Euphonium for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 324-0 Applied Trombone for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 325-0 Applied Tuba for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 331-0 Applied Percussion for Music Majors (1 Unit)
WIND_PER 335-0 Selected Topics (0.5-1 Unit) Topics vary; announced before registration. May be repeated.
WIND_PER 347-0 Percussion Pedagogy (0.5 Unit) Methods, materials, and writings related to percussion playing and teaching.
WIND_PER 352-0 Preparing for an Audition (0.5 Unit)
WIND_PER 357-0 Reed Making (0.5 Unit)
WIND_PER 359-0 Teaching Techniques (0.5 Unit)
WIND_PER 360-0 Bass Clarinet (0.5 Unit)
WIND_PER 361-0 English Horn (0.5 Unit)
WIND_PER 362-0 Baroque Flute (0.5 Unit)
WIND_PER 370-0 Junior Recital (0 Unit)
WIND_PER 380-0 Senior Recital (0 Unit)
WIND_PER 390-0 Studio Class (0 Unit)
WIND_PER 392-0 Studio Ensemble for Music Majors (0.5 Unit)
WIND_PER 393-0 Repertoire Studies (0.5 Unit) Includes winds/brass/percussion orchestral repertoire, clarinet orchestral studies, and studies in woodwind and brass literature.
WIND_PER 399-0 Independent Study (0.5-1 Unit)