

Visual Arts

Associate of Arts in Visual Arts–VA4

Students will gain a basic understanding of two-and/or three-dimensional design and apply those principles to their own work. They will develop technical proficiency and an understanding of aesthetic principles basic to one or more media to prepare them to transfer to a four-year art program or further explore their medium of choice. Students seeking a bachelor of arts degree may want to take courses to meet the freshman art core (ARTS 1301, 1303, 1304, 1311, 1312, 1316, 1317), recommended by the Texas Association of Schools of Arts, as well as courses in painting, sculpture, ceramics, digital imaging, and photography. Students should select a transfer university early in their program and seek the advice of an academic advisor, counselor, or art instructor about course selection and prerequisites for their program.

FIRST SEMESTER			SCH
—	ARTS 1303	Art History I or	
—	ARTS 1304	Art History II	3
—	ARTS 1311	Design I*	3
—	ARTS 1316	Drawing I	3
—	ENGL 1301	English Composition I	3
—	HIST - - - -	Social/Behavioral Science: History	3
			15
SECOND SEMESTER			
—	ARTS 1303	Art History I or	
—	ARTS 1304	Art History II	3
—	- - - -	Humanities: Other	3
—	ARTS 1317	Drawing II	3
—	ENGL 1302	English Composition II	3
—	- - - -	Natural Science	4
			16
THIRD SEMESTER			
—	ARTS - - - -	Art Elective	3
—	- - - -	Humanities: Visual/Performing Arts	3
—	GOVT 2301	American Government I	3
—	HIST - - - -	Social/Behavioral Science: History	3
—	- - - -	Communication: Other	3
—	- - - -	Social/Behavioral Science: Other	3
—	KINE - - - -	Health, Wellness & Kinesiology	1
			19
FOURTH SEMESTER			
—	GOVT 2302	American Government II	3
—	COSC 1301	Microcomputer Applications	3
—	- - - -	Natural Science	4
—	MATH - - - -	Mathematics**	3
—	ARTS - - - -	Elective	3
			16
Total Semester Credit Hours for Degree			66

● Students should plan to take this capstone course in their last semester and should speak with their advisor prior to registering for the final semester. Core curriculum courses are shown in bold type. Field of Study (FOS) courses are underlined. Core and Field of Study courses are shown in bold and underline type.

✦ Students completing a high school Tech Prep Program may receive credit for indicated courses.

Visual Arts: Imaging

Associate of Arts in Visual Arts: Imaging–VI4

Students will gain a basic understanding of imaging software and the technical aspects of digital imaging to be able to manipulate image for aesthetic or graphic arts productions and/or online presentations.

FIRST SEMESTER			SCH
—	ENGL 1301	English Composition I	3
—	----	Social/Behavioral Science: History	3
—	KINE ----	Health, Wellness & Kinesiology	1
—	ARTS 1316	Drawing I	3
—	ARTS 2313	Design Communications I	3
—	ARTS 1304	Art History II	3
			16
SECOND SEMESTER			
—	ENGL 1302	English Composition II	3
—	HIST ----	Social/Behavioral Science: History	3
—	----	Communication: Other	3
—	COSC 1301	Microcomputer Applications	3
—	ARTS 2314	Design Communications II	3
—	ARTS 1311	Design I*	3
			18
THIRD SEMESTER			
—	GOVT 2301	American Government I	
		or	
—	GOVT 2302	American Government II	3
—	----	Natural Science	4
—	----	Social/Behavioral Science: Other	3
—	ARTS 2348	Digital Art I	3
—	ARTS 1317	Drawing II	3
			16
FOURTH SEMESTER			
—	GOVT 2301	American Government I	
		or	
—	GOVT 2302	American Government II	3
—	----	Natural Science	4
—	----	Humanities: Other	3
—	MATH ----	Mathematics**	3
—	ARTS 2349	Digital Art II	3
			16
Total Semester Credit Hours for Degree			66

* Offered once a year.

** Math to be chosen from MATH 1316, 1324, or 1332.