

Visual Arts Concentration

Degree Type

Associate in Arts

The Visual Arts concentration provides necessary fundamental courses resulting in a quality portfolio of artwork ready for transfer. The Visual Arts concentration provides transfer opportunities within the Massachusetts Public Higher Education system and articulates precisely with the University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth Fine Arts 2D Painting or 3D Sculpture programs.

Students who are matriculated and place into developmental math and/or English are required to begin the course sequence in the first semester. Please see an [advisor](#) with questions.

Learn more about the program and apply at [Associate in Arts - Visual Arts](#)

Requirements

First Semester

Item #		Title	Credits
ENL101	M	English Composition I	3
ART209		Printmaking Techniques	3
ART125	M	History of Art: Stone Age to Gothic	3
ART100		Drawing I	3
ART101	M	Design I	3

Second Semester

Item #		Title	Credits
ENL102	M	English Composition II	3
ART103		Painting I	3
ART200		Drawing II	3
ART136		Three-Dimensional Design	3
ART134		Art History: Renaissance to Modern	3
ART219		Portfolio Preparation for Artists and Graphic Designers	1

Third Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
	Natural or Physical Science	4
	Behavioral & Social Sciences	3
	Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning	3
	ART Elective or COM131	3
ART216	Life Drawing	3

Fourth Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
	Natural or Physical Science	3-4
	Behavioral & Social Sciences	3
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ART229	Painting II	3
ART201	Design II	3
Total Credits		62-63

Transfer Information

[Regional Resources](#)

Career Outlook

Careers in the Visual Arts are constantly changing but could include electronic imaging, graphic design, illustration, teaching, museum and gallery work, display, advertising, and industrial design, as well as the areas of painting, printmaking, sculpture and performance art. It is recommended that students complete this concentration and transfer to complete a bachelor's degree.

This [occupational profile](#) is provided by O*NET.

See also: [What can I do with this major?](#)

Note: The Associate in Arts degree does not indicate a specialized degree in a concentration. Students who complete this concentration will satisfy the requirements of [MassTransfer](#). For additional information pertaining to degree requirements, please refer to [Degree Requirements](#).

Related Information:

- [Art Club](#)
- [Higgins Art Gallery](#)
- [Tilden Arts Center](#)