

**Cleveland State University
College of Arts and Sciences
Bachelor of Arts in Art:
Design**

First Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
ASC 101 Introduction to University Life	1		Intro	Arts and Humanities Elective (not Art)**	3		A&H
ENG 101 College Writing I	3		W/C	ENG 102 College Writing II	3		W/C
Math/Quantitative Literacy	3		M/QL	Math/Quantitative Literacy	3		M/QL
Art 252, 253, 281, 286 or other Arts & Humanities	3	X	A&H	Art 250: Visual Literacy or other Social Science Elective**	3	X	SS
Art 244: Intro Visual Technology	3	X		Art 242: Intro Type and Design	3	X	
<i>Semester Total</i>	13			<i>Semester Total</i>	15		

Second Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
Social Science Elective **	3		SS	Natural Science Elective	3		NS
Natural Science Elective	3		NS	Natural Science Elective Lab	1		NS
Art 342: Advanced Typography	3	X		Art 347: Intermediate Visual Technology: Web	3	X	
Foreign Language Requirement	4		A&S-FLR	ART 348: Intermediate Visual Technology: Motion	3	X	
General Elective*	3			Foreign Language Requirement	4		A&S-FLR
				General Elective*	3		
<i>Semester Total</i>	16			<i>Semester Total</i>	17		

Third Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
US Social Diversity Elective**	3		DIV-US	Art 388: African-American Art or other AA Div Elective	3		DIV-AA
Art 346: Human-Centered Graphic Design	3	X		Art 343: Data Visualization and Information Design	3	X	
Design Elective	3	X		Design Elective 300/400 level	3	X	
Art History+ 300/400 level (WAC/SPAC)	3	X	WAC/SPAC	Art History Elective+	3	X	
General Elective*	3			General Elective* (WAC)	3		WAC
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Fourth Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
Art 442: Integrated Design Strategies	3	X		Art 450: Design Studio Capstone	3	X	CAP
Art 446: Graphic Design for Social and Cultural Contexts	3	X		Design Elective 300/400 level	3	X	
General Elective	3			General Elective*	3		
Art History Elective+	3	X		General Elective*	3		
General Elective* (WAC)	3		WAC	General Elective*	3		
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<i>Semester Total</i>	15			<i>Semester Total</i>	15		
Credit Total: 121 (minimum 120 required for degree)							

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NS = Natural Science (2 courses, one of which must have a lab)	WAC/SPAC = Writing/Speaking Across the Curriculum (3 courses, one in major)
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ART 211, 221, 231, or 232	3	X		ART 211, 221, 231, or 232	3	X		
ART 120:Foundations 2D OR ART 126:Foundations 3D	3	X		Social Diversity (US) Elective	3		DIV-US	
General Elective*	3							
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ART 226: Foundations Sculpture	3	X		Art 388: African-American Art	3		DIV-AA	
ART 211, 221, 231, or 232	3	X		ART 211, 221, 231, or 232	3	X		
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Natural Science Elective	3		NS	Art History Elective + (WAC/SPAC)	3	X	WAC/SPAC	
Natural Science Elective Lab	1		NS	Studio Art Elective 300/400-level^	3	X		
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Studio Art Elective 300/400-level^	3	X		Studio Art Elective 300/400-level ^	3	X		
Art 437: Topics in Interdisciplinary Art or Art 439:	3	X		Art 451: Art Studio Capstone	3	X	CAP	
Art History Elective + 300/400 level	3	X		Art History Elective + 300/400 level	3	X		
General Elective* (WAC) 300/400 level	3		WAC	General Elective* (WAC)	3		WAC	
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