

Cleveland State University
College of Arts and Sciences
Bachelor of Arts in Film and Media Arts

<i>First Year</i>							
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
ASC 101 Intro to University Life	1		Intro	ENG 102 College Writing II	3		W/C
ENG 101 College Writing I	3		W/C	Math/Quantitative Literacy	3		M/QL
Math/Quantitative Literacy	3		M/QL	FMA 121 Short Script Analysis	3	X	
FMA 141 Analysis of Film Language	3	X	A&H	FMA 151 Production I	3	X	
FMA 131 Intro to Screen Performance	3	X		FMA 171 Postproduction I	3	X	
FMA 101 Technical Foundations	3	X					
<i>Semester Total</i>	16			<i>Semester Total</i>	15		

<i>Second Year</i>							
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
FMA 252 Production II - A	3	X	SPAC	FMA 253 Production II - B	3	X	
FMA 261 Visual Storytelling OR FMA 411 Production Mngmt	3	X		FMA 261 Visual Storytelling OR FMA 411 Production Mngmt	3	X	
FMA 142 Film History	3	X		FMA 243 Film History II	3	X	
Social Diversity Elective (AA)	3		DIV-AA	Social Science Elective**	3		SS
Natural Science Elective	3		NS	Natural Science Elective	3		NS
				Natural Science Elective Lab	1		NSLab
<i>Semester Total</i>	15			<i>Semester Total</i>	16		

Choose BFA/2 Concentration Path OR BA Path

<i>Third Year</i>							
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
FMA Elective 300/400 level (WAC)	3	X	WAC	FMA Film Studies Elective 300/400 level	3	X	
FMA Elective	3	X		FMA Elective	3	X	
Social Diversity Elective (US)	3		DIV-US	Arts & Humanities Elective**	3		A&H
Foreign Language Requirement	3		A&S FLR	Foreign Language Requirement	3		A&S FLR
General Elective* 300/400 Level	3			General Elective* 300/400 level	3		
<i>Semester Total</i>	15			<i>Semester Total</i>	15		

<i>Fourth Year</i>							
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
FMA 445 The Doc or FMA 324 Prod III Prep	3	X	WAC	FMA 401 Doc Production OR FMA 353 Production III	3	X	CAP
Social Science Elective**	3		SS	General Elective* 300/400 Level	3		
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General Elective* 300/400 Level	3			General Elective*	1-3		
<i>Apply for Spring graduation by the middle of this term</i>							
<i>Semester Total</i>	15			<i>Semester Total</i>	13-15		
Credit Total: 120-122 (minimum 120 required for degree)							

The plan above is a suggested guide to ensure that all General Education, College, University, and Major requirements are met within 4 years of study. Students may deviate from the suggested placement of Gen Ed courses, although the M/QL and W/C requirements should be completed during the first year of study. This plan assumes college-level readiness in both mathematics and English and that Foreign Language Deficiency requirements have been met.

Gen Ed Key:	
INTRO = Introduction to University Life Requirement (one course)	SS = Social Sciences Requirement (2 courses from different departments**)
W/C = Writing/Composition Requirement (2 courses; C or better required)	A&H = Arts & Humanities Requirement (2 courses from different departments**)
M/QL = Mathematics/Quantitative Literacy Requirement (2 courses)	DIV = Social Diversity Requirement (one US Diversity & one African American Exp.)
NS = Natural Science (2 courses, one of which must have a lab)	WAC/SPAC = Writing/Speaking Across the Curriculum (3 courses, one in major)
	CAP = Capstone Requirement

* General Electives ensure that a student accumulates the minimum 120 required credit hours for graduation. Of these 120 credit hours, a minimum of 36 credit hours must be upper division (300 or 400-level courses).

** Of the SS and A&H courses, one must be focused on Africa, Latin America, or the Middle East

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