

2024-25 ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

FINE AND PERFORMING ARTS (AAFPAD)

Associate in Arts

Description

This associate of Art in Fine and Performing Arts Degree is a transfer degree designed to be the first two years of a bachelor's degree at a four-year college/university or develop the needed skills to work in the creative industry. This degree gives you the ability to select one of the Visual Arts or Performing Arts concentrations.

The Visual Arts concentration is designed to be the first two years of a Bachelor of Fine Art (BFA) degree and/or a Bachelor of Art Education (BAE) degree. This degree also prepares students who are seeking careers/positions as visual artists: those artists who are seeking work with community art education programs: gallery managers; professional art studio internships; teaching assistants; and those who wish to work as apprentices in community theater set designs.

The Performing Arts concentration is designed to be the first two years of a Bachelor of Art Degree (BA) in Music, Dance, or Drama/Theater. This degree also prepares students who are seeking careers/positions as performing artists; those artists who are seeking work with performance education programs: performance venue managers; professional performance internships; performance teaching assistants; and those who wish to work as apprentices in community theater or performance venues.

Concentrations

Performing Arts (FPAP)

First Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
DAN 115 or DRA 152 or MUS 140	Dance Styles I Acting I Music Theory I	3
ENG 111	Composition I	4
Elective	Any math course that meets MTA	3
Elective	Nat. Sci Elective(s)	3
Elective	Restricted Fine Arts Electives (complete a minimum of 2 credits): COM 142, DAN 101, MUS 105, MUS 133, or MUS 204	2
Total		15

Second Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
DAN 215 or DRA 208 or MUS 142	Dance Styles II Acting II Music Theory II	3
Elective	Speech/Comp Elective(s)	3
DAN 180 or DRA 180 or MUS 180	Dance Appreciation: The World of Dance Theatre Appreciation: The World of Theatre Music Appreciation: Our World	3
Elective	Nat. Sci. Lab Elective(s)	3
ART 285 or MUS 285	Self-Management for Working Artists Self-Management for Working Artists	3
Total		15

Third Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
DAN 107 or DRA 204 or MUS 146	Beginning Ballet Improvisational Acting I Songwriting I	3
Elective	Soc. Sci. Elective(s) 1	3
BMG 155 or BMG 168	Business on the Internet Facilities and Event Management	3
Elective	Restricted Fine Arts Electives (complete a minimum of 3 credits): COM 142, COM 160, DAN 102, DAN 107, DAN 108, DRA 211, MUS 105, MUS 106, MUS 133, MUS 134, MUS 147, MUS 154, MUS 155, MUS 204, MUS 205	3
Total		12

Fourth Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
AUD 170 or COM 150 or VID 105	Introduction to Audio Technology Introduction to Radio Production Foundations in Digital Video I	3
Elective	Soc. Sci. Elective(s) 2	3

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BMG 250 or MUS 147 Elective	Principles of Marketing Art and Entertainment Law Arts/Human. Elective(s)	3 3
ART 295 or MUS 295 Elective	Arts Management Capstone Arts Management Capstone Restricted Fine Arts Electives (to reach a minimum of 60 credits if needed): COM 142, COM 160, DAN 102, DAN 107, DAN 108, DRA 211, MUS 105, MUS 106, MUS 133, MUS 134, MUS 147, MUS 154, MUS 155, MUS 204, MUS 205	3 3
Total		18

Total Credits Required: 60

Visual Arts (FPAV)

First Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
ART 111	Basic Drawing I	4
ENG 111	Composition I	4
Elective	Any math course that meets MTA	3
Elective	Nat. Sci. Elective(s)	3
Total		14

Second Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
ART 112	Basic Design I	4
COM 101	Fundamentals of Speaking	3
HUM 101 or HUM 102 or	Introduction to the Humanities - Ancient to Medieval Introduction to the Humanities - Renaissance to Modern	
HUM 103	Introduction to the Humanities - 20th Century to Present	3
Elective	Nat. Sci. Lab Elective(s)	3
Total		13

Third Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
ART 102	Color	4
ART 114	Painting I	4
Elective	Restricted Fine Art Elective: Choose one ART 120, ART 121, ART 125, ART 127, ART 129, or ART 136	4
Elective	Soc. Sci. Elective(s) 1	3
Total		15

Fourth Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
ART 108	Three-Dimensional Design	4
ART 122	Basic Drawing II	4
Elective	Arts/Human. Elective(s) 2 (Not HUM)	3
Elective	Soc. Sci. Elective(s) 2	3
Elective	General Education and/or open elective(s) to reach a minimum of 30 General Education and 60 total credits.	4
Total		18

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