

**ACADEMIC ROADMAP**  
**Buffalo State BFA Art Education Program: 120 credits -GEN ED 23 program**

**Freshman Year**

<b>FIRST SEMESTER (FALL)</b>		
Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Themes & Issues of Contemporary Art	AAD150	
Drawing I (Foundations Studio)	AAD101	
Intro to 2D Design (Foundations St)	AAD102	
Art History I	AAD251	
College Writing I (GE23)	CWP 101	

<b>SECOND SEMESTER (SPRING)</b>		
Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Art History II	AAD252	
Drawing II (Foundations Studio)	FAR102	FAR101
Intro to 3D Design (Foundations St)	AAD103	
Math/Quantitative Reasoning (GE23)		
College Writing II	CWP 102	CWP 101 or Equiv.

**Sophomore Year**

<b>THIRD SEMESTER (FALL)</b>		
Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Nat Science & Scientific Reasoning (GE23)		
Social Science GE23: Intro to Psych	PSY101	
GE23 course		
Studio Concentration A Course #1		
Studio Concentration B Course #1		

<b>FOURTH SEMESTER (SPRING)</b>		
Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Inclusive Art Classrooms* (GE23 Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, Social Justice)	AED335	AED major
GE23 course		
Fundamentals of Art Inquiry	AED200	Art Ed major
Studio Concentration A Course #2		Course #1
Studio Concentration B Course #2		Course #1

**Junior Year**

<b>FIFTH SEMESTER (FALL)</b>		
Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Foundations in Art Education*	AED300	CWP102 + Math
Art, Society & New Media Tech for AED* -OR- Arts in Living (GE23 World His/Global)	AED398 -OR- AED315	Art Ed Major (398)
GE23		
Studio Concentration A Course #3		Course #2
Studio Concentration B Course #3		Course #2

<b>SIXTH SEMESTER (SPRING)</b>		
Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Theoretical Constructs in Art Education*	AED301	AED300, PSY
Upper-Level Art History	FAR3XX	AAD250 & 251
GE23 course		
Studio Concentration A Course #4		
Studio Breadth Elective		

**Senior Year**

<b>SEVENTH SEMESTER (FALL)</b>		
Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Functions & Practice in Art Education*	AED302	AED301
Art, Society & New Media Tech for AED* -OR- Arts in Living (GE World Hist/Global)	AED398 -OR- AED315	Art Ed Major (398)
Elective course		
Studio Breadth Elective		
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<b>EIGHTH SEMESTER (SPRING)</b>		
Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Elementary St Teaching in Art (6 credits)	AED 303	AED302
Secondary St Teaching in Art (6 credits)	AED304	AED302
Student Teaching Seminar	AED400	AED302

**STUDIOS:** 4 Foundation Studios + 4 in Concentration A + 3 in Concentration B + 3 studios in 3 non-concentration areas (*chosen through advisement*)  
 Students take at least 2 studios EVERY semester (except during student teaching); if 3 are needed, take them in 2<sup>nd</sup> year.

**STUDIO CONCENTRATIONS A & B (choose 1 3D studio & 1 2D studio with your adviser)**

**3D Studios**

ceramics    jewelry/metals    wood/furniture  
 sculpture    graphic design\* (*some courses*)

**2D Studios**

painting & drawing    photography  
 fibers

**Usual Studio Times:**

Mon/Wed	Tues/Thurs
9:00-11:40	9:25- 12:05
12:00-2:40	1:40- 4:20
3:00- 5:40	
6:00- 8:40	6:00- 8:40

**BFA Art Education Required:** \*Course has 20 hours of PK-12 art class observation, linked to that class.

**3.0 GPA to enter and to be maintained throughout the program.**

Studio Portfolio submitted as part of the application process for all Art Education programs.