

ACADEMIC ROADMAP

Art & Design, BFA in Art Education (AED)

BFA-AS-AED

Fall 2023, GE23

Freshman Year (30 credits)

FIRST SEMESTER (Fall)

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
College Writing I	CWP 101 (GE23)	
Drawing 1	AAD 101	
Introduction to 2-D Design	AAD 102	
Themes/Issues in Contemp. Art	AAD 150	
Art History I or II	AAD 251 or AAD 252	

SECOND SEMESTER (Spring)

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
College Writing II	CWP 102 (GE23)	CWP 101
Introduction to 3-D Design	AAD 103	
Art History I or II	AAD 251 or AAD 252	
Drawing II	FAR 102	AAD 101
Math/Quant Reasoning (GE23)		

Notes and recommendations:

Attend at least one faculty office hour; visit Academic Commons (Math & Writing Centers, tutoring); view your degree audit sheet in Degree Works

Sophomore Year (60 credits)

THIRD SEMESTER (Fall)

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Nat Science & Sci Reasoning (GE23)		
Social Science GE23: Intro to Psych	PSY101	
GE23 course		
Studio Concentration A Course #1		
Studio Concentration B Course #1		

FOURTH SEMESTER (Spring)

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Fundamentals of Art inquiry	AED 200	AED major or instructor permission
Art for CH w Special Learning Needs IF Diversity GE23- diversity	ATS 325*	AED major
GE23 course		
Studio Concentration A Course #2		Intro course in Concentration A
Studio Concentration B Course #2		Intro course in Concentration B

Notes and recommendations:

STUDIO CONCENTRATIONS A & B (Choose 1 3D studio area and 1 2D studio area with your advisor.)

3D Studios: Ceramics, Fibers, Wood/Furniture, Jewelry/Metals, Sculpture, Graphic Design* (not all courses are open to AED students)

2D Studios: Drawing, Painting, Photography, Printmaking

Form a study group

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Junior Year (90 credits)

FIFTH SEMESTER (Fall)

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Foundations in Art Education	AED 300*	CWP102 + Math req, AED major
Arts in Living (GE23 World History & Global Awareness)	AED 315	
Art Society & New Media Technologies for Art Educators	AED 398*	Art Ed Major
Studio Concentration A Course #3		2 nd level course in Concentration A
Studio Concentration B Course #3		2 nd level course in Concentration B

SIXTH SEMESTER (Spring)

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Theoretical Constructs in Art Education	AED 301*	AED 300
Upper-Level Art History	FAR 3XX	AAD 251 & AAD 252
GE23 course		
Studio Concentration A Course #4		2 nd or 3 rd level course in concentration
Studio Breadth Elective		

Notes and recommendations:

Visit the Career Development Center; talk to your faculty advisor about graduate school options

Senior Year (120 credits)

SEVENTH SEMESTER (Fall)

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Functions & Practice in Art Education	AED 302*	AED 300 & AED 301
GE23 course		
Elective		
Studio Breadth Elective		
Studio Breadth Elective		

EIGHTH SEMESTER (Spring)

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Elementary St Teaching in Art (6 credits)	AED303	AED 302
Secondary St Teaching in Art (6 credits)	AED304	AED 302
Student Teaching Seminar	AED 400	AED 302

Notes and recommendations:

Apply for graduation; apply to graduate school, if applicable; visit the Career Development Center to have your resume reviewed

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

*: These 5 AED courses require 20 hours of PK-12 school art class observations for each course.

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