



## Fine Arts: Studio Arts (Graphic Design)

curriculum code: 1445 | HEGIS code: 5610

minimum credit hours required: 60

This degree program includes courses in graphic design, typography and layout, video and sound, animation, drawing, three-dimensional design, and photography. Introductory courses provide students with technical skills and software knowledge to produce engaging visual communication projects. Later coursework will foster opportunities for students to refine skills, create meaningful design, and develop a professional portfolio. The art and design facilities, technical labs, and access to visual resources on campus, such as the Weeks Gallery, will provide students with a solid foundation in design and sought-after skill sets.

REQUIRED COURSES	CR	JCC	SUNY	LAS
INT 1555: Inquire	2	Inquiry- Critical & Integrative Reasoning		X
ENG 1510: English Composition I	3	College Composition	HUMN	H
ENG 1530: English Composition II	3	College Comp & Oral Communication	COMW & COMO	H
Mathematics Elective - SUNY Gen Ed	3	SUNY Mathematics & Quantitative Reasoning	MATH	N
Natural Sciences Elective - SUNY Gen Ed	3	SUNY Natural Science & Scientific Reasoning	NSCI	N
Social Sciences Elective - SUNY Gen Ed	3	SUNY Social Science	SOSC	S
ART 1560: Art in Culture II	3	Cultural Understanding	ARTS	H
ART 1540: 3-D Design, Concepts, Materials	3	Applied Learning	ARTS	H
ART 1510: Drawing I	3		ARTS	
ART 1530: 2-D Design & Color	3		ARTS	H
ART 1550: Art in Culture I	3			H
ART 1670: Photo I: Digital	3		ARTS	H
ART 1730: Graphic Design I	3		ARTS	H
ART 1740: Typography and Layout	3		ARTS	
ART 1750: Graphic Design II	3		ARTS	
ART 2540: 4D Design	3		ARTS	
ART 2560: Art & Design: Portfolio & Professionalism	4		ARTS	H
Program Core Electives choose from: ART 1500, ART 1520, ART 1610-1621, ART 2510, ART 2610-2621, ART 2550, ART 2570, ART Internships	6			
Open Electives (ART 1500 is recommended) up to 3 credits may need to be SUNY Gen ed- category specific and may need to fill JCC Essentials Global Perspective, Cultural Understanding, and Diversity requirements.	3	Global Perspectives & Diversity	(1 category, to include DIVE)	
<b>TOTAL CREDITS: 60</b>			<b>49</b>	<b>38</b>

**IMPORTANT POINTS:**

- Students should consult with their advisor in their choice of program electives to better prepare for transfer or employment.
- The importance of developing a good portfolio of visual art experiences cannot be overstated. Almost all career opportunities will be based on the quality of your portfolio. Students must learn the due date for application and portfolio review from transfer institutions.