

Art (BFA), Design Track 1: Graphic Design

The following plan is possible on the presumption that an incoming student has an Associate of Arts (AA) degree and has completed the equivalent of the following courses prior to enrolling at Truman State University. If the following course equivalents have not been completed, this plan will need to be adjusted accordingly. This plan also assumes you plan to complete the program full-time (taking at least 12 credit hours per semester).

- ART 101: Observational Drawing (3 cr)
- ART 201: Design, Software and Process (3 cr)
- ART 211: 3D Design (3 cr)
- ART 219: Digital Illustration (3 cr)
- ART 220: Layout and Type (3 cr)
- Art History 200-level course (3 cr)

FALL - Semester 1

AA Degree Satisfies Requirements

FALL - Semester 3

AA Degree Satisfies Requirements

- Dialogues Requirements
- ART 101: Observational Drawing
- ART 201: Design, Software, and Process
- Art History 200-level Requirement

FALL - Semester 5

- ART 321: Concept and Design (3 cr)
 - Art Studio course (6 hours, any semester) (3 cr)
 - Art History course (*) (3 cr)
 - JINS 3XX: WE/_____ (3 cr)
 - Elective(s) AND/OR Dialogues Curriculum course (3 cr)
- (*) = 9 credit hours: One at 200 level, one at 300 level and one at either 200 or 300

FALL - Semester 7

- ART 421: Professional Practices (3 cr)
 - ART 425: Capstone Experience/Seminar (1 cr)
 - Art History course (*) (3 cr)
 - Elective(s) (3 cr)
 - Dialogues Curriculum course (3 cr)
- (*) = 9 credit hours: One at 200 level, one at 300 level and one at either 200 or 300

SPRING - Semester 2

AA Degree Satisfies Requirements

SPRING - Semester 4

AA Degree Satisfies Requirements

- Dialogues Requirements
- ART 211: 3D Design
- ART 220: Layout and Type
- ART 219: Digital Illustration

SPRING - Semester 6

- ART 420: Design & Message (3 cr)
 - Art Studio course (6 hours, any semester) (3 cr)
 - Art History course (*) (3 cr)
 - Elective(s) AND/OR Dialogues Curriculum course (3-6 cr)
- (*) = 9 credit hours: One at 200 level, one at 300 level and one at either 200 or 300

SPRING - Semester 8

- ART 488: Capstone Experience: Design (1-3 cr)
- Elective(s) (3 cr)
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- Dialogues Curriculum course (3 cr)
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- The AA degree the student is holding is assumed to be in Design or something similar; if not, this plan will need to be adjusted accordingly.

- WE = Writing Enhanced course

- If you have not completed the Civics Exam, we recommend doing so in your first year.

- Truman students are required to complete a Portfolio to graduate. We recommend starting to compile your work for the Portfolio sooner than later.

- Students must complete their Application to Graduate the semester prior to graduating. Apply to graduate through TruView.

- Graduating seniors need to complete their seniors test and questionnaire. We recommend reviewing

the Assessment & Testing page to plan accordingly.

- The Dialogues curriculum requires a certain number of courses/credit hours in the following Perspectives: Social, Arts and Humanities, STEM, Communications, and Statistics. The exact number of courses a student will be required to take during their undergraduate career varies individually according to the credit transferred in.