



**BACHELOR of ARTS in VISUAL STUDIES (#509)
ART EDUCATION CONCENTRATION**

Department of Art
Potter College of Arts & Letters
Western Kentucky University

The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s). Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.

Success Markers

SAMPLE - 4 year plan

FIRST YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	<i>Visit the Math Lab for free tutoring</i>	ART 105 – History of Art to 1300 OR ART 106 – History of Art Since 1300 (E-AH)	3	ART 105 – History of Art to 1300 OR ART 106 – History of Art Since 1300
ART 130 2-D Design OR ART 131 3-D Design		3	ART 130 2-D Design or ART 131 3-D Design	3
ART 140 Drawing		3	Natural and Physical Sciences (E-NS)	3
ENG 100 Intro to College Writing (F-W1)		3	HIST 101 World History I OR HIST 102 World History II (F-SB)	3
COMM 145 Fund of Public Speaking & Communications (F-OC)		3	MATH 109 General Mathematics (F-QR)	3
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15

SECOND YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	ART 200 level, Basic Studio selection (1)	3	ART 200 level, Basic Studio selection (3)	3
	ART 200 level Basic Studio selection (2)	3	ART 200 level Basic Studio selection (4)	3
<i>Volunteer with the WKU ALIVE Center or join a Student Organization</i>	ART 240 Drawing *	3	Choose One: ENG 300 Writing in Disciplines COMM 200 Comm Foundations GEOG 300 Writing Geosciences (F-W2)	3
	Natural and Physical Sciences with Lab (E-NS, LS)	3	Social and Behavioral Sciences (E-SB)	3
	ENG 200 Intro to Literature (F-AH)	3	World Language, if needed, OR General Elective	3
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	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	18	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15

-World Language Proficiency: All students entering in Fall 2014 or later must demonstrate proficiency in a world language at the Novice High level before completing 60 credit hours. Novice high is the ability to communicate in writing and speaking on familiar topics in simple sentences. To meet this requirement, students may take college language courses or take a proficiency test. For more information go to www.wku.edu/modernlanguages/placement/.

THIRD YEAR <i>Visit Career Services</i>	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	ART 200 level Basic Studio selection (5)	3	ART 300 level Studio, Advanced Studio Elective (1)*	3
	ART 200 level Basic Studio selection (6)	3	ART 340 Drawing*	3
	ART 311 Art Ed. Methods I*	3	ART 325 Art of Asia, Africa, and Americas*	3
	EDU 250 Intro. To Education	3	ART 411 Art Ed. Methods II*	3
	Connections: Local to Global Understanding (K-LG)	3	Connections: Social and Cultural (K-SC)	3
	Connections: Systems (K-SY)	3	PSY 310 Educational Psychology: Development and Learning	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	18	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	18

FOURTH YEAR <i>Apply for graduation</i> <i>Celebrate</i>	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	ART 300-400 level Studio, Advanced Studio elective*	3	ELED 490, MGE 490 or SEC 490* (student teaching)	10
	ART 300-400 level Studio, Advanced Studio elective*	3	EDU 489 Student Teaching Seminar*	3
	ART 300-400 level Art History Elective*	3		
	ART 490 Special Problems-Art Ed. Portfolio*	3		
	ART 413 Art Ed. Methods III*	3		
	SPED 330 Intro to Exceptional Education: Diversity in Learning	3		
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	18	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	13

Total Credit Hours:130

* Denotes prerequisite courses before program admission
Course prerequisites are in parentheses and italics after each course listing.

For more Information:

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Course Descriptions: <http://www.wku.edu/undergraduatecatalog/>