

Checklist for Graphic Design BFA Majors entering Fall 2001

Total hours required .....129 (128)  
 General Studies .....48 (47)

Note: ART 103 Intro to Visual Arts—for 2 credits - IS substituted by ART 104 Intro to Visual Arts for Majors—for 3 credits, giving the Art Major a total of 48 General Studies credits and 129 Total credits.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

The courses listed below are the same as found in the 1999-2001 Shepherd Catalog, pages 70 & 71. For specific information on General Studies courses, see pages 50 - 52.

Below is a breakdown of the courses in the Art Department that you will need to take in order to graduate. Always keep a written record of the semester you have taken and passed each course. If you need to re-take a course, again the semester taken and passed is what should be on this record. YOU MUST BRING THIS SHEET ALONG WITH YOUR SCHOOL CATALOG FOR ADVISEMENT. Copies are not available.

COURSE NUMBER/TITLE/CREDITS	COURSE/SEMESTER TAKEN/GRADE
<b>Fine Art Core (must take ALL for a total of 21 credits; 18 of which are Art credits)</b>	
ART 140 Foundations of Design I 3	_____
ART 170 Foundations of Design II 3	_____
ART 203 Survey History of Western Art 3	_____
ART 208 Portfolio Development 1	_____
ART 204 Contemporary Art 3	_____
ART 304 Special Topics in Art History 3	_____
ART 490 Senior Review 2	_____
• Art 104 Intro to Visual Arts 3	_____
• <i>Tallied under General Studies</i>	

**Group I:** Select three classes (9 total credits), from the following list:

ART 260 Printmaking I 3	_____
PHOT 281 Black & White Photography I 3	_____
ART 270 Painting I 3	_____
ART 250 Sculpture I	_____
<i>Other Advisor Permission Only</i>	

**Group II:** Select three classes (9 total credits), from the following list:

ART 361 Printmaking II 3	_____
PHOT 282 Black & White Photography II 3	_____
ART 330 Painting II 3	_____
ART 350 Sculpture II	_____
ART 400 Special Topics in Studio Art	_____
<i>Other Advisor Permission Only</i>	

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<b>Graphic Design Concentration (45 hours Total)</b>			
<i>(Must take all of the first 33 credits listed:)</i>			
ART 115	Drawing I	3	_____
ART 215	Drawing II	3	_____
GRDS 171	Intro to Graphic Design I	3	_____
GRDS 271	Intro to Graphic Design II	3	_____
GRDS 272	Intro. to Computer Apps	3	_____
GRDS 370	Advanced Design	3	_____
GRDS 373	Digital Printing Technologies	3	_____
GRDS 374	Typography	3	_____
GRDS 400	Special Topics in Graphic Design	3	_____
GRDS 480	IS/Alt in Graphic Design	3	_____
GRDS 490	Capstone Portfolio	3	_____
<i>(Select 12 hours from the following:)</i>			
GRDS 375	Sem. History of GD	3	_____
GRDS 377	Illustration	3	_____
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GRDS 392	Co-Op in Graphic Design	1-3	_____
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GRDS 400	Special Topics in Graphic Design	3	_____
GRDS 470	Internship in Graphic Design	1-3	_____
GRDS 470	Internship in Graphic Design	1-3	_____
GRDS 479	Prof Exper. in GD	3	_____
GRDS 479	Prof Exper. in GD	3	_____
GRDS 480	IS/Alt in Graphic Design	3	_____
GRDS 481	Computer Applications in GD/Photo	3	_____
PHOT 385	Digital Computer Imagery	3	_____
	Electives (to be discussed with advisor)	3	_____
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Note: GRDS 392: Co-Op; GRDS 470 Internship and GRDS 479 may each be take 2 times for a total of up to 6 credits. A student may not have more than 6 graphic design credits towards graduation earned from either GRDS 392 or GRDS 470, or a combination of the two. More specific information about these opportunities is available through the department. *Additional credits earned beyond the 6 credit maximum from additional co-op or internship, will be given general credit, not design credit towards graduation.*

Each student may do only 1 (3 credit) GRDS 480: IS - Independent Study towards the total of design credits. *Any additional credits earned from additional such projects will be given general credit, not design credit towards graduation.*

GENERAL STUDIES COURSE CHECKSHEET

COURSE NUMBER/TITLE/CREDITS	COURSE/SEMESTER TAKEN/GRADE
<b>H u m a n i t i e s</b> (20 semester hours due to ART 104 Intro to Visual Arts being 3 credits)	
Musc 111 Intro to Music	2 _____
ART 104 Intro to Visual Arts/majors	3 _____
ENG 101 Written English	3 _____
ENG 102 Written English	3 _____
ENG 204 Survey of Am Lit	3 _____
ENG 208 Survey of World Lit I ~or~	3 _____
ENG 209 Survey of World Lit I I	
COMM 202 Speech	3 _____
<b>L i f e o r P h y s i c a l S c i e n c e</b> (8 semester hours, must be from the same series, such as BIO 101 & 102)	
BIOL 101 General Bio ~and~	4 _____
BIOL 102 General Bio	4 _____
BIOL 208 Plants as Organisms ~and~	
BIOL 209 Animals as Organisms	
CHEM 101& 101L Chem in Society (& lab) ~and~	
CHEM 102& 102L Chem in Society (& lab)	
CHEM 120& 120L College Chem (& lab) ~and~	
CHEM 122& 122L College Chem (& lab)	
CHEM 207& 207L General Chem (& lab) ~and~	
CHEM 209& 209L General Chem (& lab)	
GSCI 101 Astronomy I ~and~	
GSCI 102 Astronomy II	
GSCI 103 Gen Physical Science I ~and~	
GSCI 104 Gen Physical Science II	
PHYS 201, 201L College Physics I ~and~	
PHYS 202, 202L College Physics II	
PHYS 221, 221L General Physics ~and~	
PHYS 222, 222L General Physics	
<b>M a t h</b> (3 semester hours)	
MATH 101 Intro to Math	3 _____
<b>S o c i a l S c i e n c e</b> (15 semester hours)	
ECON 123 Contemporary Econ ~or~	3 _____
ECON 205 Princ of Macroecon	
HIST 101 Ancient - Medieval~and/or~	3 _____
HIST 102 Ren - Fr. Rev ~and/or~	3 _____
HIST 103 Fr Rev - Present (need 2 courses)	
PSCI 100 Politics & Gov ~or~	3 _____
PSCI 101 Am Fed Gov	
SOCI 203 General Sociology	3 _____
<b>Physical Education</b> (2 semester hours, see pages 207 & 208 for listings)	
GSPE	1 _____
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SUGGESTED overview of BFA in Graphic Design semester by semester curriculum:

**Note:** Each semester a minimum of 15 credits are suggested. Fewer credits taken per semester may result in more than 4 years to complete the program. In addition, many art courses are offered in a required sequence and only once a year. Skipping one course one semester may put a full year behind in the program.

Total hours required .....128

**FRESHMAN YEAR:**

**Fall Semester**

ART 140 Foundations Design I (3)  
GRDS 171 Intro GD I (3)  
ART 115 Drawing I (3)  
ART 104 Intro to Visual Arts (3)  
ENG 101 Written English (3)  
GSPE (1)  
Total: 16

**Spring Semester**

ART 170 Foundations Design II (3)  
GRDS 272 Intro GD II (3)  
GRDS 272 Intro to Comp Apps (3)  
ART 215 Drawing II (3)  
ENG 102 Written English (3)  
GSPE (1)  
Total: 16

**SOPHOMORE YEAR:**

**Fall Semester**

ART 203 Survey West Art (3)  
GRDS 372 Typography (3)  
Group I (i.e. PHOT 181Photo I) (3)  
  
Science with Lab (4)  
General Studies (COMM 202 Speech) (3)  
Total: 16

**Spring Semester**

ART 204 Contemp Art (3)  
GRDS 373 Digital Printing Tech (3)  
Group II (i.e. PHOT 282 Photo II) (3)  
ART 208 Portfolio Dev (1)  
Science with Lab (4)  
General Studies (3)  
Total: 17

**JUNIOR YEAR:**

**Fall Semester**

GRDS selection (6)  
Group I (3-6)  
Group II (3-6)  
ART 304 Spec Topics Art Hist (3)  
General Studies (6)  
Total: 15-18

**Spring Semester**

GRDS selections (6)  
Group I (3-6) *as needed*  
Group II (3-6)  
  
General Studies (6)  
Total: 15-18

**SENIOR YEAR:**

**Fall Semester**

GRDS selection (6-9)  
  
Group I or II (3-6) *as needed*  
General Studies (6+) *as needed*  
Total: 15-18

**Spring Semester**

GRDS 490 Capstone Portfolio (3)  
GRDS selections (3-6)  
ART 490 Senior Review (2)  
General Studies (6+) *as needed*  
Total: 17