

- Minimum 30 of the last 60 credits earned at PennWest.
- Minimum of 38 major credits must be completed at PennWest or a State System (PASSHE) university.
- Minimum Total of 42 Credits in Advanced Coursework.

General Education

Foundations: (15-18 Credits)

First Year Seminar (3 Credits)

- ☐ FYS 1000 Navigating the First Year at PennWest

Quantitative Reasoning (3 Credits)

- ☐ _____

Written Communication (3-6 Credits)

- ☐ ENGL 1100 Intro. to Comp. & ENGL 1200 College Comp.
☐ Or ENGL 1200 College Composition

Oral Communication (3 Credits)

- ☐ _____

Technological Literacy (3 Credits)

- ☐ ART 1300 Digital Art Foundations

Discoveries: (24-27 Credits)

Arts and Humanities (6 Credits)

- ☐ ARTH 1301 Global Art History to 1300
Or ARTH 1302 Global Art History Since 1300
☐ _____

Social Sciences (6 Credits)

- ☐ _____
☐ _____

Natural Sciences and Technology (6 Credits)

- ☐ _____
☐ _____

Flex Discoveries (If DSP into ENGL 1200) (9 Credits)

- ☐ _____
☐ _____
☐ _____

Essential Skills:

Intensive Writing

- ☐ Any Course with GCIW Attribute

Capstone

- ☐ ART 4308 Senior Design Portfolio

General Education Notes:

If Directed Self-Placement (DSP) includes ENGL 1100, the student will complete 6 courses in Foundations and 8 courses in Discoveries. If DSP into ENGL 1200, the student will complete 5 courses in Foundations and 9 courses in Discoveries. DSP into ENGL 1100 reduces the number of Gen Ed Flex courses to 6 vs. 9.

Program Requirements

Required Major Courses: (60 Credits)

- ☐ ART 1100 2D Design
☐ ART 1200 3 Dimensional Design
☐ ART 1106 Drawing I
☐ ART 1206 Drawing II
☐ ART 2008 Typography
☐ ART 2108 Visual Literacy
☐ ART 3008 Advanced Typography
☐ ART 3108 Visual Communications
☐ ART 3208 Designing for the Web
☐ ART 3308 Branding Design
☐ ART 4008 Motion Design
☐ ART 4108 Graphic Design Systems
☐ ART 4208 Contextual Design
☐ ART 4308 Senior Design Portfolio
☐ **2D Studio Art Elective - Choose One:** ART 2011 Painting I or ART 2012 Printmaking
☐ _____
☐ **3D Art Elective - Choose One:** ART 2010 Introduction to Jewelry and Metals, ART 2004 Ceramics I, ART 2013 Sculpture I, or ART 2014 Wood Furniture I
☐ _____
☐ **Art Cognate Course - Choose One:** ART 3511 Digital Drawing & Painting, ART 3309 Graphic Novel Art & Design, ART 2005 Introduction to Photography, ART 2105 Introduction to Digital Filmmaking, ART 2101 2D Animation Principles, or ART 2001 3D Animation Principles, Any 2000 level or above course with the prefix DGMT will also fulfill the art cognate.
☐ _____
☐ Any Art History Course
☐ Any 3000-Level or higher Art History
☐ Any 3000-Level or higher Art History

Major Electives: (15 Credits)

- ☐ Any ART, ARED, or ARTH course
☐ Any ART, ARED, or ARTH course
☐ Any ART, ARED, or ARTH course
☐ Any ART, ARED, or ARTH course
☐ Any ART, ARED, or ARTH course

Free Elective: (3 Credits)

- ☐ _____

Suggested Four Year Course Sequence

Year 1

Fall Semester

ART 1100 2D Design
ART 1106 Drawing 1
ART 1300 Digital Art Foundations
ARTH 1301 Global Art History to 1300
Or ARTH 1302 Global Art History since 1300
FYS 1000 Navigating the First Year at PennWest

Spring Semester

ART 2008 Typography
ART 1200 3 Dimensional Design
ART 1206 Drawing II
Quantitative Reasoning
Written Composition

Year 3

Fall Semester

ART 3308 Branding Design
ART 4008 Motion Design
Art Cognate
Art and Humanities
Social Sciences

Spring Semester

ART 4108 Graphic Design Systems
ARTH 3000 level or higher
ART Elective
Flex Discoveries
Natural Sciences and Technology

Year 2

Fall Semester

ART 2108 Visual Literacy
ART 3008 Advanced Typography
2D Studio Art Elective
ARTH 3000 level or higher
Social Sciences

Spring Semester

ART 3108 Visual Communications
ART 3208 Designing for the Web
3D Studio Art Elective
Natural Sciences and Technology
Oral Communication

Year 4

Fall Semester

ART 4208 Contextual Design
ART Elective
ART Elective
ARTH 3000+ Course
Flex Discoveries

Spring Semester

ART 4308 Design Portfolio Seminar
Art History
ART Elective
ART Elective
Free Elective