

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS • Studio Art Major

Degree Guideline

This degree guideline provides only a summary of the requirements for the degree and major indicated above. For complete information about degree requirements, consult *The Undergraduate Catalog* and the pertinent *General Information* catalog. For questions, please contact the Office of the Dean, Student Affairs in DFA 1.103 (512-471-5011).

See reverse side for "Notes" and additional requirements.

Area/Requirement	Course	Hrs	✓
Core Curriculum¹		42	
First-year Signature Course	<i>UGS 302 or 303</i>	3	
English Composition (Communication)	<i>RHE 306</i>	3	
	<i>Writing Course</i>	3	
Humanities	<i>E 316L/M/N/P</i>	3	
American & Texas Government	<i>GOV 310L</i>	3	
	<i>GOV 312L</i>	3	
American History	<i>6 hours</i>	6	
Social & Behavioral Sciences	<i>3 hours</i>	3	
Mathematics	<i>3 hours</i>	3	
Science & Technology Part I	<i>6 hours</i>	6	
Science & Technology Part II	<i>3 hours</i>	3	
Visual & Performing Arts	<i>3 hours</i>	3	

Flags²			
Writing ³	<i>2 courses</i>		
Quantitative Reasoning	<i>1 course</i>		
Global Cultures	<i>1 course</i>		
Cultural Diversity	<i>1 course</i>		
Independent Inquiry	<i>1 course</i>		
Ethics and Leadership	<i>1 course</i>		

Entrance Deficiencies⁴			
Foreign Language, Language Arts, Social Science, Natural Science, Math			

Electives⁵			
Completed hours		6	

Area/Requirement	Course	Hrs	✓
Major Requirements		72	
Art + Art History (AAH) Core	<i>ARH 302, 303, and 304⁶</i>	9	
	<i>ART 301C, 302C, 303C</i>	9	
Track 1: Emphasis in Photography, Print, and Painting/Drawing	<i>ART 317K, 310P, 311K, 315K or 316K</i>	12	
	<i>Upper-division ART⁷</i>	24	
	<i>3 hours chosen from ART 313K, 316V, 317C, 318C</i>	3	
Track 2: Emphasis in Sculpture, Transmedia, and Painting/Drawing	<i>ART 313K, 311K, 315K or 316K, and 3 hours chosen from: 316V, 317C, 318C</i>	12	
	<i>Upper-division ART⁷</i>	24	
	<i>ART 317K or 310P</i>	3	
Track 3: Emphasis in Transmedia, Sculpture, and Photography	<i>ART 313K, 317K, and 6 hours chosen from ART 316V, 317C, 318C</i>	12	
	<i>Upper-division ART⁷</i>	24	
	<i>3 hours chosen from: ART 310P, 311K, 315K, 316K</i>	3	
Track 4: Emphasis in Photography, Print, and Sculpture	<i>ART 317K, 310P, 313K</i>	9	
	<i>Upper-division ART⁷</i>	27	
	<i>3 hours chosen from: 316V, 317C, 318C, 311K, 315K, 316K</i>	3	
Track 5: Emphasis in Transmedia, Painting/Drawing, and Print	<i>ART 316V, 311K, 310P, 315K or 316K</i>	12	
	<i>Upper-division ART⁷</i>	24	
	<i>ART 313K or 317K</i>	3	
Upper-division Studio Art	<i>6 hours ART 350T</i>	6	
	<i>ART 350S</i>	3	
Art History	<i>Upper-division ARH</i>	6	

Minimum Hours Required	120
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Notes

- 1 Consult the School of Undergraduate Studies for complete lists of courses that may be used fulfill the core curriculum requirements.
- 2 Courses used to fulfill flag requirements may fulfill other degree requirements as well; therefore, students should select courses carefully. If flag requirements are not satisfied within the minimum number of semester hours required for the degree and major, the student will need to complete additional coursework to fulfill these flag requirements.
- 3 Courses used to fulfill a writing flag requirement may also be used to fulfill other degree requirements, except RHE 306.
- 4 Courses used to fulfill entrance deficiencies do not count toward the degree; all entrance deficiencies must be removed by appropriate courses in order to graduate.
- 5 Students who complete all stated degree requirements without earning the 120 semester hours required for the B.F.A: Studio Art Major must complete additional elective coursework until 120 hours are earned.
- 6 Three semester hours of art history used to fulfill major degree requirements may also be counted toward the visual and performing arts requirement of the core curriculum. Please consult the School of Undergraduate Studies for a complete list of courses that may be used for the visual and performing arts requirement.
- 7 Only specific courses are approved to count towards this requirement. Consult the track options chart in the office of the Department of Art + Art History Undergraduate Academic Advisor.

General Degree Requirements

Grade Point Average (GPA) Requirements: To graduate, students must have a GPA of at least 2.00 based on all courses undertaken at the university; a 2.50 GPA is required on all upper-division studio art courses taken in residence at the university.

Flag Requirements: Extra courses may be necessary if all flag requirements are not met through regular degree requirements, so courses should be chosen carefully. The following flags are required of all students in the College of Fine Arts: Quantitative Reasoning, Global Cultures, Cultural Diversity, Independent Inquiry, Ethics and Leadership, and Writing (2 courses). Courses used to fulfill flag requirements may also be used to fulfill degree requirements. For more information, see the *2016-2018 Undergraduate Catalog*.

Residency Requirements: Students must fulfill all residency requirements in order to graduate. Refer to chapter 1 in the *2016-2018 Undergraduate Catalog* for university residency requirements; refer to the College of Fine Arts' chapter for college residency requirements.

- Students must complete at least 60 semester hours of coursework counted toward the degree in residence.
- At least 6 semester hours of upper-division coursework in the major must be completed in residence.
- The last 18 hours of coursework in the major must be taken in residence.

Completing Degree Requirements: A minimum of 120 hours and all degree requirements stated in the *2016-2018 Undergraduate Catalog* must be completed in order to earn the degree.