



WHAT IS ART?

Art inspires individuals to unlock their creative potential. Art offers a wide variety of opportunities designed to introduce non-artists to lifelong learning opportunities and modes of expression, and help serious artists develop their hands-on as well as critical thinking skills.

CAREERS IN ART

- Fine Artist
- Art Director
- Illustrator
- Curator

For more Career Resources to help you explore the possibilities, see the other side.

WHAT DEGREE DO I GET AT WWCC?

For transferring to a university to pursue a major in Art, you may want to complete an Associate in Arts-DTA at WWCC. Below are recommended courses to prepare you for this major. Check out www.wwcc.edu/associateinarts for specific degree requirements.

RECOMMENDED COURSES

Every university and major may require slightly different prerequisites. It is highly recommended that you speak with a representative at the future institution to identify specific prerequisite coursework or other requirements to be ready for your major (eg-minimum GPA requirements) and work with your advisor to develop an Education Plan including proper courses. The courses listed below are recommended only, completion of these courses does not guarantee admissions to institutions or programs.

COMMUNICATIONS (13 CREDITS REQUIRED)

- ENGL&101-Composition I
- ENGL&102-Composition II
- Select a Communications Studies course with your Advisor

HUMANITIES (15 CREDITS REQUIRED)

- ART&100-Art Appreciation
- ENGL210-Myth & Folklore
- PHIL&101-Intro to Philosophy

NATURAL SCIENCES (15 CREDITS REQUIRED)

- Select three courses with your Advisor. Consider Anatomy & Physiology, or Chemistry

The AA degree requires an additional 3 credits for Physical Activity courses, First Year Experience, and a Diversity course for completion.

QUANTITATIVE (5 CREDITS REQUIRED)

- MATH&107-Math in Society

SOCIAL SCIENCES (15 CREDITS REQUIRED)

- PSYC&100-General Psychology
- SOC&101-Intro to Sociology
- BUS&101-Intro to Business

ELECTIVES (24 CREDITS REQUIRED)

- ART101-Drawing I
- ART107-Intro to Digital Art
- ART130-Painting I
- Other courses to consider include: DRMA&101-Intro to Theater, ENGL147-Comics as Literature, or Humanities courses.

Important Notes:

While an advisor is available to help research and plan courses, it is the student's responsibility to research and communicate with schools and programs to which they intend to apply to verify prerequisites and requirements as these vary and are subject to change.

SOME SCHOOLS WITH AN ART PROGRAM:

- Boise State University
- Oregon State University
- Washington State University
- Central Washington University
- University of Idaho
- Eastern Oregon University
- University of Washington

This is general guide for planning purposes and does not include specific dates for specific schools; that information must be obtained from your prospective colleges and universities. There are more schools offering a major in Art. For more Transfer Tips and Resources including schools with this pathway, see the other side or visit www.wwcc.edu/transfer-center/programs

CAREER RESOURCES

- Society of Illustrators - www.societyillustrators.org

For more information and resources, please visit our Career website at: www.wvcc.edu/career-services

TRANSFER TIPS & RESOURCES

Please visit the Transfer Center at www.wvcc.edu/transfer

[Many programs require Art students to have a portfolio of their work as part of their admissions to an art program.](#)

By the end of the First year or 3rd quarter.....

- ✓ Select a major or area of study and select the appropriate WWCC degree to meet your goals
- ✓ Narrow your potential transfer schools to 3-5 schools
- ✓ Make a list of transfer requirements for your school(s) and major
- ✓ With your advisor, draw up an education plan to plot out the courses for degree completion and major readiness

Other things to do:

- Talk with college representatives that visit WWCC
- Contact an advisor at the transfer institution in which you are interested, make sure your education plan will work for the major
- Visit the campus (if applicable) of your potential transfer school
- Fill out interest cards to receive information from schools
- Apply for TRiO and/or the Honors program if eligible

In the Second Year....

Fall

- ✓ Apply for admissions to your transfer school(s) of choice, (providing copies of official transcripts from all schools you have attended)
- ✓ Contact an advisor at your prospective transfer school
- ✓ Research scholarship eligibility and deadlines, prepare to apply

Winter

- ✓ Complete the FAFSA and additional financial aid material required by your transfer school
- ✓ Complete scholarship applications
- ✓ Start considering housing options at your transfer school
- ✓ Apply for your degree at WWCC

Spring

- ✓ Complete graduation requirements for WWCC
- ✓ Accept/reject university offers
- ✓ Apply for housing (If needed)
- ✓ Request final transcript from WWCC after grades and degree(s) are posted
- ✓ Attend an Orientation session at transfer institution

FALL	WINTER	SPRING	SUMMER
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