

| VISUAL STUDIES EMPHASIS YEAR ONE | | STUDIO ART BFA | | ART AND DESIGN DEPARTMENT, GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY | | | | | | |
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| | | Students must meet with their advisor to complete a | | | | | | | | |
| Fall Semester | credit s | Winter Semester | credit s | General Education - Year One | Studio Art Program - Foundations - Year One | Studio Electives - Year One | Art History - Year One | General Electives - Year One | Credits - Year One | Total Credit s |
| ART 150, Foundations: 2D Design | 3 | ART 152, Foundations: Color and Design | 3 | | 6 | | | | | |
| ART 155, Foundations: Introduction to Drawing I | 3 | ART 157, Foundations: Introduction to Drawing II | 3 | | 6 | | | | | |
| ART 151, Foundations: 3D Design or ART 153, Foundations: Creative Problem Solving | 3 | ART 151, Foundations: 3D Design or ART 153, Foundations: Creative Problem Solving | 3 | | 6 | | | | | |
| Math or Writing Placement (WRT 150, Strategies in Writing) and a General Education elective | 7 | Math or Writing Placement (WRT 150, Strategies in Writing) and a General Education elective | 7 | 14 | | | | | | |
| Total Fall Semester = | 16 | Total Winter Semester = | 16 | 14 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| CUMULATIVE TOTALS = | | | | 14 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 32 | 32 |

| YEAR TWO | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Fall Semester | credit s | Winter Semester | credit s | General Education - Year Two | Studio Art - Emphasis Area requirement s - Year Two | Studio Electives - Year Two | Art History - Year Two | General Electives - Year Two | Credits - Year Two | Total Credit s |
| ART 393, Image Studio | 3 | ART 391, Civic Studio | 3 | | 6 | | | | | |
| ART 221, Survey of Art History I (SWS Gen. Ed. option) | 3 | ART 222, Survey of Art History II (SWS Gen. Ed. option) | 3 | | | | 6 | | | |
| Two Studio Electives | 6 | One Studio Elective | 3 | | | 9 | | | | |
| One General Education course | 3 | Two General Education courses | 6 | 9 | | | | | | |
| Total Fall Semester = | 15 | Total Winter Semester = | 15 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 0 | | |
| CUMULATIVE TOTALS = | | | | 23 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 0 | 30 | 62 |

| YEAR THREE | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Fall Semester | credit s | Winter Semester | credit s | General Education - Year Three | Emphasis Area requirement s - Year Three | Studio Electives - Year Three | Art History - Year Three | General Electives - Year Three | Credits - Year Three | Total Credit s |
| ART 394, Interactive Studio | 3 | ART 395, Space Studio | 3 | | 6 | | | | | |
| | | ART 396, Time Studio | 3 | | 6 | | | | | |
| One Art History Elective | 3 | One Art History Elective | 3 | | | | 6 | | | |
| One Studio Elective | 3 | One Studio Elective | 3 | | | 6 | | | | |
| Two General Education or Theme courses | 6 | Two General Education or Theme courses | 6 | 12 | | | | | | |
| Junior level writing requirement (3 Credits, can be tested out of) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Fall Semester = | 15 | Total Winter Semester = | 18 | 12 | 12 | 6 | 6 | 0 | | |
| CUMULATIVE TOTALS = | | | | 35 | 18 | 15 | 12 | 0 | 33 | 95 |

| YEAR FOUR | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Fall Semester | credit s | Winter Semester | credit s | General Education - Year Four | Emphasis Area requirement s - Year Four | Studio Electives - Year Four | Art History - Year Four | General Electives - Year Four | Credits - Year Four | Total Credit s |
| ART 392, Curatorial Studio | 3 | ART 498, Senior Project | 6 | | 9 | | | | | |
| Repeat one Visual Studies course | 3 | | | | 3 | | | | | |
| ART 495 Issues in Art (capstone) | 3 | | | | 3 | | | | | |
| Two Studio Electives | 6 | One Studio Elective | 3 | | | 6 | | | | |
| One General Education or Theme | 3 | Two General Education or Theme | 6 | 9 | | | | | | |
| Total Fall Semester = | 18 | Total Winter Semester = | 15 | 9 | 15 | 6 | 0 | 0 | | |
| CUMULATIVE TOTALS = | | | | 44 | 33 | 21 | 12 | 0 | 33 | 128 |

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| Foundations Portfolio Required |
| Junior Review Required |
| listed under the Studio requirements. |

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| Foundations credits required = | 18 |
| Required Emphasis area credits = | 33 |
| Emphasis Area credits total: = | 54 |

Students are urged to complete both WRT 150 and MTH 110 in their freshman year.

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