



**Checklist: Art Education BA/BS: K-12 Comprehensive Teacher Certificate Program  
Department of Art and Design, Grand Valley State University**

B.A. Degree Cognate: Third-semester proficiency in a foreign language (201 level)  
 B.S. Degree Cognate: CS 150 or PHI 103, STA 215, and STA 216 (9 credits)

**UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS**

Supplemental Writing Skills (after WRT 150)  
SWS \_\_\_\_\_.

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (39 CR)**

8 Foundations Courses (24 credits)

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2 Cultures Courses (6 credits)

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2 Courses from Upper Division Gen Ed Requirement (6 credits)

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The Block tuition rate is for 12-15 credits. You will pay extra tuitions for any credits over 15.

**FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS (18 CR)**

ART 150 (2D Design)  
ART 151 (3D Design)  
ART 152 (Color & Design)  
ART 153 (Creative Problem Solving)  
ART 155 (Intro to Drawing I)  
ART 157 (Intro to Drawing II)

**ART HISTORY (12 CR)**

ART 221 (Survey of Art History I)  
ART 222 (Survey of Art History II)  
ART \_\_\_\_\_,  
ART \_\_\_\_\_.

**ART EDUCATION (12 CR) (Complete four from five below)**

ART 245 (Intro to Jewelry & Metalsmithing)  
ART 260 (Intro to Painting)  
ART 265 (Intro to Printmaking)  
ART 270 (Intro to Sculpture)  
ART 275 (Intro to Ceramics)

**STUDIO EMPHASIS AREA (9 CR)**

ART \_\_\_\_\_ (Intermediate I)  
ART \_\_\_\_\_ (Intermediate II)  
ART \_\_\_\_\_ (Advanced I)

**DRAWING (6 CR)**

ART 257 (Life Drawing)  
ART 258 (Intermediate Drawing) or ART 355 (Advanced Drawing I)

**TWO STUDIO/ART EDUCATION ELECTIVES (6 CR)**

ART \_\_\_\_\_,  
ART \_\_\_\_\_.

**TEACHING ART (9 CR)**

ART 332 (Intro to Art Education)  
ART 333 (Curriculum Development & Practice)  
ART 335 (Digital Creativity)

**CAPSTONE (3 CR)**

ART 495 (Issues in Art)

**MTTC (State Required Tests)**

Passing score (minimum score of 220) on the MTTC Basic Skills (#96), and Content Area (#95- Visual Arts Education) tests will be required prior to obtaining certification. Content Area (#95) test can be taken during assisted or student teaching semester or before the graduation. MTTC website: <http://www.mttc.nesinc.com>

**PREREQUISITES TO COLLEGE OF EDUCATION APPLICATION (9 CR)**

A 3.00 GPA in major and passing MTTC Basic Skills (#96) test are required before admission to College of Education's Teacher Assisting. ED 315, ED 337, PSY 301 must be completed with grade of C or better BEFORE admission to Teacher Assisting.

EDF 315 (Diverse Perspectives on Education)  
EDI 337 (Assessment for Learning)  
PSY 301 (Educational Psychology)

**TEACHER ASSISTING (17 CR)**

EDI 331 (Methods & Strategies of Teach.)  
EDF 310 (Org & Managing Class Environments)  
EDR 321 (Content Area Literacy)  
EDT 370 (Technology in Education)  
EDS 379 (Universal Design for Learning)

**STUDENT TEACHING (13 CR)**

EDI 431 (Student Teaching)  
EDF 485 (The Context of Ed. Issues)

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<b>Freshman Year – Fall Semester</b>	<b>CR</b>	<b>Winter Semester</b>	<b>CR</b>
ART 150 (2D Design) ART 151 (3D Design) ART 155 (Intro to Drawing I)  1 BA or BS Cognate 1 General Ed (Math Sciences) *MTH 101 or its equivalent is prerequisite to all Math Sciences Courses)	3 3 3  3 3	ART 152 (Color & Design) ART 153 (Creative Problem Solving) ART 157 (Intro to Drawing II)  <u>Apply to Foundations Review</u> 1 BA or BS Cognate 1 General Ed (Writing 150)	3 3 3  3 3 3
<b>Sophomore Year – Fall Semester</b>		<b>Winter Semester</b>	
2 ART Intro Studio (245, 260, 265, 270, or 275) ART 221 (Survey of Art History I* SWS) ART 257 (Life Drawing)  1 General Ed 1 General Ed (Arts)	6 3 3  3	2 ART Intro Studio (245, 260, 265, 270, or 275) ART 222 (Survey of Art History II* SWS) ART 258 (Intermediate Drawing)  1 PSY 101* Gen Ed Foundations (*meets Gen Ed Social and Behavioral Sciences requirement)	6 3 3  3
<b>Junior Year – Fall Semester</b>		<b>Winter Semester</b>	
ART Studio Emphasis (Intermediate Studio I) ART 332 (Introduction to Art Education) ART History (200 level or above) 1 Studio/Art Education Elective  PSY 301 Child Development (*Pre-req PSY101)	3 3 3 3  3	ART Studio Emphasis (Intermediate Studio II) ART 333 (Curriculum and Development) ART History (300 level or above) 1 Studio/Art Education Elective  EDF 315* (Diverse Perspective on Education) meets Gen Ed Cultures US Diversity Requirement)	3 3 3 3  3
<b>Senior Year – Fall Semester</b>		<b>Winter Semester</b>	
ART Studio Emphasis (Advanced Studio I) ART 335* (Digital Creativity) Art Ed Core and Upper Division Gen Ed Requirements EDI 337 (Assessment for Learning) 1 General Ed (Life Sciences) 1 General Ed (Physical Sciences)  <u>Take MTTC Basic Skills Test (096)</u>	3 3 3 3 3  3	ART 495 Capstone (Issues in Art Education) 1 General Ed (Philosophy & Literature) 1 General Ed (Historical Perspectives) 1 General Ed (World Perspectives) (ANT 215* meets both Historical Perspectives and World Perspectives) 1 Upper Division Gen Ed Requirement (not from Art disciplinary) 1 BA or BS Cognate  <u>Application to College of Education</u>	3 3 3 3 3  3
<b>Teacher Assisting - Fall Semester</b>		<b>Student Teaching - Winter Semester</b>	
EDI 331 (Teacher Assisting) EDF 310 (Classroom Environments) EDR 320/321 (Reading)  * EDI 370 (Technology in Education) * EDS 379 (Universal Design) * EDI 370 and/or EDS 379 may be taken during <u>or</u> after Assisting – but must be taken before Student Teaching Semester	5 3 3  3 3	EDI 431 (Student Teaching) EDF 485 (Context of ED Issues) May be taken after Student Teaching - but before graduation  Take MTTC Content Area Test (Visual Arts Education #95) during Assisted or Student Teaching Semester.	10 3