

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Complete at Community College				Complete at Bridgewater College		
BACHELOR'S DEGREE REQUIREMENT		SATISFIED BY		BACHELOR'S DEGREE REQUIREMENT		
Course	Credits	CC Course	Notes	Course	Credits	Notes
Elective credit	1-2	SDV 100 or 101		CL 150	1	
Writing Intensive	3	ENG 111		CL 400	1-3	
CL 200	3	ENG 112 OR 113		ART 455	3	
Creative/Artistic Practices	3	Art 101 or 102		Context	6	Art 202 or COMM 240, PWR 310 or COMM 410
Study of Human Narrative	3	Any UCGS Literature		Studio Focus	15	Art 322, 323, 328, 344, 346, 347, 456, 470, MUS 309
Study of the Past	3	Any UCGS History		Capstone	6	Art 457 and Art 461
Scientific Study of People/Society	3	Any UCGS Soc/Beh Sci		Electives	29	
Math Req	3-5	Any UCGS Math				Meet with a faculty advisor to discuss options for elective credits such as:
Scientific Study of Nature	4	Any UCGS Nat Science				Taking additional ART classes
Communication	3-4	Any UCGS Course	Recommend: CST 100 or 110			Completing a double major
AA Req	3-4	Any UCGS Course	Recommend ITE 152			Adding a minor
ART 130	3	ART 121				
ART 120	3	ART 131				
General Elective	3	ART 132	Elective credit			
Art 300	3	ART 215				
General Electives	6	Select Two: ART 130, 140, 180, 223, Art 125, 153, 231,271	Elective			
Additional Electives	8-10	Select from above or other to reach 60 credits	Consider second major; or education certification			
Pre-Transfer Credits	60			Post-Transfer Credits	60	

TRANSFER GUIDANCE

Guaranteed Admission Agreement:

- Applicable Associate Degrees: AA or AS
 - Minimum GPA requirement: 2.5/4.0
 - Course requirements: Students must earn a grade of 'C' or higher in VCCS courses for credit to be transferred into Bridgewater.
 - Maximum credits applicable for transfer: 68
- Testing requirements: Bridgewater College is test optional. Students using the GAA are not required to submit standardized test scores for admittance

IMPORTANT LINKS & DATES:

- Transfer Info, Application, & Financial Aid Information: www.bridgewater.edu/transfer
- Deposit: On or before June 1
- FAFSA-Free Applications for Federal Student Aid: For highest aid, submit by March 1. Visit www.Studentaid.gov for more info
- Admissions Applications: No Deadline- Rolling Admissions

WHAT SHOULD I CONSIDER WHEN SELECTING COURSES?

- Connect with the transfer counselor at Bridgewater within your first year for help choosing the correct courses for your program.

IS THIS DEGREE RIGHT FOR ME?

- The art major is a great place to follow your passion and build great creative, technical, and visual skills in ceramics, sculpture, drawing, painting, photography, and intermedia arts. Advanced studio and capstone courses allow you to create artwork in a direction of your choosing and present it to the public.

WHAT IS THE IMPACT ON MY DEGREE OF WORK I HAVE ALREADY COMPLETED?

- **Associate Transfer Degree Completion:** The completion of an Associate Degree results in all lower-division general education requirements being met, except for CL 150 (a transfer orientation class that introduces students to the BC Academic community) and CL 400(a senior portfolio class).
- **Credit for Prior Learning:** AP, IB, and CLEP are evaluated for credits. See this link for AP Equivalencies: <https://bridgewater.app.box.com/s/yp8uq0l32pexh5tfywiufc7g9azwlk2d>
- **Catalog Year:** Catalog year determined by first semester of attendance at the community college post high-school graduation.
- **Dual Enrollment – Completion of Associate Degree in HS:** The completion of an Associate Degree concurrent with high school results in course work towards your degree and most general education courses satisfied. Students will be enrolled as a freshman for orientation and engagement purposes.

IS THIS COLLEGE RIGHT FOR ME?

- Small class sizes with academic advisors in each department. All in-person.
- 23 NCAA DIII Sports
- Commuting or on-campus housing.
- Robust career services, academic support services, and clubs and activities.
- Study Abroad in Europe, Latin America, Africa and Asia

DID YOU KNOW THAT...

- BC awards merit scholarships to transfer students based on the cumulative GPA from community college course work. www.bridgewater.edu/admissions-aid
- 100% of students receive financial assistance.
- There are 55 different majors and minors.
- The Student: Faculty ratio is 13:1, with the average class size being 19.

WHAT CAN I DO WITH THIS DEGREE?

- Nearly every type of organization needs employees who have skills in digital media. Our graduates enter the workforce with a portfolio and a broad range of digital media skills, and are prepared for employment in design, marketing, media production, social media specialization and more. Students who continue in the Master in Digital Media Strategy program are prepared for employment in areas including sales, public relations, interorganizational communication, digital media communication coordinating, content marketing management, social media coordinating, and digital media strategy.

PROGRAM SUCCESSES & HIGHLIGHTS

- Our graduates enter the workforce with a portfolio and a broad range of practical and creative problem-solving skills. For committed artists, making a living in the arts can be tough. Whether or not you are a painter or sculptor, or plan to work in the photography or design industries, pairing the art major with another major or minor(s) can enhance your skill set and marketability. Our graduates succeed as artists, designers, teachers, entrepreneurs, and more.

WHAT ARE MY CHANCES FOR GETTING ACCEPTED?

- An art portfolio is not required for acceptance into the Digital Media Arts Major. A strong work ethic and passion for the visual arts are the greatest indicators of future success.

DO MORE WITH YOUR DEGREE!

- A major in digital media arts gives you options to express your creativity while developing creative and critical thinking skills as you learn new ways of engaging with visual art and digital media that can be applied to a variety of careers. It is also flexible by design, allowing you to easily add a second major or minor to customize your studies for the careers that interest you! You may also wish to consider pairing studies in the Teacher Education Program.