GRAPHIC DESIGN TECHNOLOGY
ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE
82 CREDIT HOURS
FALL, SPRING & SUMMER START

First Semester (13 Hours)

	Program Requirements	Hours	✓	General Education Courses	Hours	✓
1st				GTGE 1111 College Cornerstone	1	
FULL	GRD 1133 Basic Drawing	3		ENGL 1113 Freshman Composition I ⊕ OR ENGL 1033 Technical Writing I ⊕	3	
	GRD 1143 Basic Design	3				
	VIS 1123 Publishing I	3				
				Cowboy Up! New Student Orientation	0	

Second Semester (15 Hours)

	Program Requirements	Hours	✓	General Education Courses	Hours	✓
FULL	GRD 1213 Advertising Design I Prerequisites: GRD 1133, GRD 1143 and VIS 1123	3		ENGL 1213 Freshman Composition II OR Prerequisite: ENGL 1113 ENGL 2033 Technical Writing II Prerequisite: ENGL 1033	3	
	VIS 1203 Introduction to Typography Prerequisites: GRD 1133, GRD 1143 and VIS 1123	3				
	VIS 1343 Digital Illustration Prerequisite: VIS 1123	3				
	VIS 1373 Digital Imaging	3				

Third Semester (12 Hours)

	Program Requirements	Hours	✓	General Education Courses	Hours	✓
FULL	GRD 1333 Design Production Prerequisites: GRD 1143, GRD 1213 and VIS 1203	3		MATH 1493 Math for Critical Thinking ⊕ OR MATH 1513 Pre-Calculus ⊕	3	
	MMT 2453 Interface Design Prerequisites: GRD 1143 and VIS 1373	3				
	VIS 1223 Publishing II Prerequisite: VIS 1123	3				

Fourth Semester (12 Hours)

	Program Requirements	Hours	✓	General Education Courses	Hours	✓
FULL	GRD 2413 Advertising Design II Prerequisites: GRD 1213, GRD 1333, VIS 1343 and VIS 1373; Corequisite: GRD 2423	3				
	GRD 2423 Advanced Design Production Prerequisites: GRD 1333, VIS 1343 and VIS 1373; Corequisite: GRD 2413	3				
	MMT 2423 Introduction to Online Media Design Prerequisites: MMT 2453, VIS 1123 and VIS 1373	3				
	VIS 2533 Advanced Digital Imaging Prerequisite: VIS 1373	3				

Fifth Semester (12 Hours)

	Program Requirements	Hours	✓	General Education Courses	Hours	✓
FULL	GRD 2523 Branding/Identity Design Prerequisites: GRD 2413 and GRD 2423; Corequisite: GRD 2543	3		HIST 1483 US History to 1865 OR HIST 1493 US History since 1865	3	
	GRD 2543 Graphic Design Practicum Prerequisites: GRD 2413 and GRD 2423; Corequisite: GRD 2523	3				
	MMT 1143 Introduction to Motion Graphics Prerequisite: GRD 1143	3				

FULL = Full Semester Class; **1st** = First Half Class; **2nd** = Second Half Class   ★ Recommended   ⊕ Corequisite strategies course available. See advisor for details.

Sixth Semester (9 Hours)

	Program Requirements	Hours	✔	General Education Courses	Hours	✔
FULL	GRD 2803 Graphic Design Internship Prerequisites: GRD 2543 and a 2.0 GPA or higher	3		POLS 1113 US Government	3	
				Approved Humanities Elective PHIL 1213 Ethics ★	3	

Seventh Semester (9 Hours)

	Program Requirements	Hours	✔	General Education Courses	Hours	✔
FULL	GRD 2623 Consumer Design Prerequisites: GRD 2523 and GRD 2543	3				
	GRD 2696 Graphic Design Capstone Prerequisites: All required courses on GRD plan of study; Corequisite: GRD 2623	6				

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