

VISUAL STUDIES, BACHELOR OF ARTS

Summary of Graduation Requirements

Subject Area	Credits
General Education Core (https://catalog.nsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-information/general-education-core-program/)	40
Major Requirements	63
Electives	18
Total Credit Hours	121

Curriculum

Course	Title	Credits
First Year		
ENG 101	College English I	3
ENG 102	College English II	3
FIA 114	Basic Design	3
FIA 115	Basic Design II	3
FIA 120	Drawing	3
FIA 110	Introduction to Art	3
HED 100	Personal and Community Health	2
FIA 280	Computer Applications in the Arts	3
SEM 101 & SEM 102	Spartan Seminar 101 and Spartan Seminar 102	2
PED 100	Fundamentals of Fitness for Life	1
XXX XXX	Foreign Language	3
Credits		29
Second Year		
BIO 100	Biological Science	3
CHM 100 or SCI 101	Man/Environment or Physical Science for Non-Science Majors	3
Select one of the following:		1
CHM 100L	Chemistry: Man & Environment Laboratory	
PHY 100L	Physical Science Laboratory	
BIO 100L	Biological Science Lab	
FIA 140 or FIA 240	Ceramics or Sculpture	3
FIA 220	Life Drawing	3
SEM 201	Spartan Seminar 201	1
HUM 210 or HUM 211	Humanties or Humanities	3
FIA 234	Painting	3
FIA 295	Sophomore/Junior Review	1
FIA 201	Basic Art Appreciation	3
MTH 103	Mathematics in General Education	3
HIS 100	History of World Societies I	3
SOC 101	Introduction to the Social Sciences	3
Credits		33
Third Year		
FIA 270	History of Art Survey I	3

FIA 271	History of Art Survey II	3
ENG 285	Public Speaking	3
FIA 370	African/Afro-American Art	3
Select one of the following FIA XXX Electives:		3
FIA 165	Foundations of Photo 1	
FDM 149	Apparel Production I	
FIA 260	Introduction to Graphic Design	
Select one of the following FIA XXX Electives:		3
FIA 265	Studio Lighting 1	
FDM 250	Pattern-Making I	
FIA 360	Typography	
Select one of the following Electives:		3
FIA 365	Elemen Photography	
FDM 362	Fashion Forecasting and Sourcing	
FIA 362	Graphic Design I	
XXX XXX	Cultural Elective	3
XXX XXX	General Education Elective	3
XXX XXX	General Education or Foreign Language Elective	3
Credits		30

Fourth Year

FIA 470	Printmaking Workshop 2	3
FIA 491	Advanced Studio Problems	3
FIA 495	Portfolio Preparation and Sr Exhibition	2
FIA 465 or FIA 460	Studio Workshop 1 or Advanced Graphic Design	3
FIA 466 or FIA 461	Studio Workshop 2 or Advanced Graphic Design	3
FIA 467 or FIA 462	Studio Workshop 3 or Design in Commerce	3
FIA 468 or FIA 469	Studio Workshop 4 or Printmaking Workshop 1 - Intalglio Printmaking	3
XXX XXX	General Education Elective	6
XXX XXX	Free Elective	3
Credits		29
Total Credits		121