Semester 1	Credits	Success Marker
ART 100 Drawing Foundation I	3	
ART 102 2-D Foundation	3	
ARTH 282/292*	3	
Foundational Studies	3	
Foundational Studies	3	
Total hours	**15**	

Notes/Comments: *May count as BFA and Knowledge Domain credit*

Semester 2	Credits	Success Marker
ART 103 3-D Foundation	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
ARTH 282/292*	3	
Foundational Studies	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Total hours	**15**	

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Semester 3	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 327 Beginning Illustration	3	
ARTS 200 Beginning Life Drawing	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
Foundational Studies	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Total hours	**15**	

Notes/Comments: "BFA Portfolio Review"

Semester 4	Credits	Success Marker
ARTD 201 Intro to Visual Communication	3	
ARTS 437 Intermediate Illustration	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Total hours	**15**	

Notes/Comments:

Semester 5	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 437 Intermediate Illustration	3	
ARTS 447 Computer Raster Apps	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
ARTH Elective	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Total hours	**15**	

Notes/Comments:

Semester 6	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 324 Painting II	3	
ARTS 438 Advanced Illustration	3	
ARTS 448 Computer Vector Applications for Illustration	3	
University Elective	3	
University Elective	3	
Total hours	**15**	

Notes/Comments:

Semester 7	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 438 Advanced Illustration	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
ARTH Elective	3	
University Elective	3	
Total hours	**15**	

Notes/Comments:

Semester 8	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 406 Senior Project Illustration	3	
ARTS/ARTD 300/400 Elective	3	
ARTD 370 2-D Animation	3	
University Elective	3	
University Elective	3	
Total hours	**15**	

Notes/Comments:

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