An Associate Arts lays the foundation for students to express themselves using a variety of creative disciplines and methods within the visual arts and prepare them for such fields as Museum Studies, Teaching, Studio Artist, Graphic Design, Art Therapy, Fashion and Marketing.

A – GENERAL EDUCATION CORE – 31 - 32 HOURS

010 – Communication (†) – 6 hours
011 – Additional Communication – 6 hours
Six hours of modern language from the same subject, other than English.
020 / 030 – Mathematics (†) or Natural Science* - 3 – 4 hours
*Select Mathematics or one 4-hour science course (3 hour lecture must be taken with corresponding 1 hour lab).
060 – History – 6 hours
070 – Government – 6 hours
090 – Institutionally Designated Option – 4 hours

B – FINE ARTS REQUIREMENTS – ART COURSES – 30 HOURS
The Department recommends the use of the Art Minor to fulfill these 30 hours.

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION – 61 - 62

« TSI Requirement (Texas Success Initiative - any other State-approved test) - Student must pass all three sections of State-approved test to graduate with this degree.
† Grade of "C" or better is required for graduation.