

TRANSFER GUIDE/BDP

BA, Art & Visual Culture, Studio Art, 549C
Appalachian State University
2020-2021

[Department of Art](#)
[College of Fine & Applied Arts](#)
[Program of Study](#)

This transfer guide is for students completing an AFA in Visual Arts at a NC community college.

HOW-TO Use the Transfer Guide/BDP

The Transfer Guides/BDPs have three sections:

1. The NC Community College courses are listed in the top yellow section. Recommended and/or preferred courses are provided, with the equivalent Appalachian courses listed. If a specific course is not listed, students should use the blue hyperlink to access the [Comprehensive Articulation Agreement transfer course list](#). Students are welcome to choose any CAA course; however, students should choose courses that are available at their institution and satisfy their transfer degree requirements.
2. Appalachian courses are listed in the middle gray section. Once at Appalachian, students will work with a Hayes School of Music advisor to develop an individual graduation plan.
3. Important transfer and major information is listed in the bottom white sections. Students should refer to these sections for information regarding program requirements and other important information the department would like students to be aware of.

Please note - Transfer Guides/BDPs are developed based on the approved curriculum for that catalog year. Depending on term of entry and the curriculum posted for that catalog year, programs of study may have changed.

Community College Coursework: 61 Transfer hours		Associate in Fine Arts, Visual Arts			
Semester	NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
Semester 1: 14 hours	ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry	3	RC 1000	
	ART 114	Art History Survey I	3	ART 2030	Required for the major
	UGETC Social Science	PSY, SOC, POL, ECO	3		Choose one course
	UGETC Math	MAT 152 or higher	4		4 hour math is required for gen ed
	ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1		
	Semester hours		14		
Semester 2: 16 hours	ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	RC 2001	
	ART 115	Art History Survey II	3	ART 2130	Required for the major
	UGETC History	HIS 111, 112, 131 OR 132	3		Choose one course
	UGETC Science		4		Two 4 hour UGETC lab sciences are required for gen ed
	COM 120	Interpersonal Communication	3	COM 2121	Needed for gen completion
	Semester hours		16		
Semester 3: 15 hours	UGETC Humanity	ENG 231, 232, 241, OR 242	3		Choose one course
	PED 110 OR HEA 110	Fit and Well for Life	3	PH 1105	Fulfills wellness literacy requirement for gen ed
	ART 121	Two-Dimensional Drawing	3	ART 1001	Required for the major
	UGETC Science		4		Two 4 hour UGETC lab sciences are required for gen ed
	PSY 237 OR SOC 240	Social Psychology	3	PSY 2213	Needed for gen ed completion
	Semester hours		16		
Semester 4: 15 hours	FL 112	Elementary Foreign Language II	3	FL 1020	Required for the major
	ART 122	Three-Dimensional Drawing	3	ART 1002	Required for the major
	ART 131	Drawing I	3	ART 1003	Required for the major
	SOC 213	Sociology of the Family	3	SOC 1110	Needed for gen ed completion
	Pre-Major/GEC/Elective		3		
	Semester hours		15		
	Total AFA degree hours		61		

Appalachian Course Work: 60 hours				
Semester 5: 15 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	ART 2103	Drawing II	3	
	ART 2035	Seminar in Visual Culture	3	
	LLC 1040	Intermediate Foreign Language I	3	
	Studio Art elective	any 2000-level studio art course	3	
	Minor course		3	
Semester hours			15	
Semester 6: 15 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	Studio Art elective	any 2000-level studio art course	3	
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	LLC 1050	Intermediate Foreign Language II	3	
	Minor Course		3	
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Semester hours			15	
Semester 7: 15 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	Studio Art elective	any 3000-level studio art course	3	6sh of studio art required at 3000-level or higher
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	Art History		3	
	Minor course		3	
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Semester hours			15	
Semester 8: 15 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	ARH 4030	Seminar in Art Criticism & Theory	3	
	ART 4010	Advanced Studio Art	3	capstone
	ART (related area course)		1	see program of study for options
	Minor course		3	
	Elective		3	
	Elective		2	
Semester hours			15	
Total Appalachian hours			60	

Applying to Appalachian:

- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.25, from all post-secondary coursework, is required for admission to Appalachian.
- Students interested in applying to Appalachian should submit an on-line application and official college transcripts to be considered for admission.
- Students hoping to attend a summer or fall term are encouraged to apply by February 15th and those hoping to attend in the spring are encouraged to apply by October 15th.

Advising & Community College Course Selection:

- For UGETC, Pre-Major, Elective, or GEC course options please refer to the [Comprehensive Articulation Agreement transfer course list](#).
- Students should work with their community college academic advisor to ensure appropriate course selection for AA degree completion.

General Education Completion: Students following this transfer guide can expect to transfer to Appalachian with their general education requirements met. It should be noted that the AFA itself does not meet gen ed requirements, but rather the courses taken to complete the AFA degree.

BFA Degree Information:

- A minor is required for this major.
- Students majoring in Studio Art will be required to complete a portfolio review. All declared BFA majors must pass the portfolio review before enrolling in any 3000 level course within the major.
- Portfolio Content: 10 images of the applicant's best work; a 500 word essay; and appropriate documentation of art.
- Questions regarding the portfolio review should be sent to Jeana Klein at kleinje@appstate.edu.

Transfer Resources:

- Online & Transfer Services** transfer.appstate.edu
- Office of Admissions** admissions.appstate.edu
- Office of Financial Aid** financialaid.appstate.edu
- Scholarships** scholarships.appstate.edu
- Career Development** careers.appstate.edu
- University Housing** housing.appstate.edu
- Off-Campus Housing** offcampushousing.appstate.edu
- Campus Activities** campusactivities.appstate.edu

