

2026-2027 Bachelor of Design in Illustration - 120 credits

Semester-by-Semester Worksheet



Student Name:

Student ID:

Y E A R 1	Fall Courses	Cr	Notes	Spring Courses	Cr	Notes
	ACAD 101: Princ of Learning Academy	1		HMXP 102: Human Experience	3	
	WRIT 101: Composition	3		Physical Activity course	1	PESH 100 or DANA
	VCOM 101: Visual Comm Seminar	1		ARTH 175: Ancient & Medieval Art	3	
	DESF 101: Design Proc, Methds & Mind	3		VCOM 151: Design Fundamentals	3	
	DESF 120: Design Drawing	3	NOT section 1 or 2	DESF 154: Design and Color	3	
	DESF 161: Intro to Computer Imag	3		VCOM 121: Des Draw II: Struc & Form	3	
	Total:	14		Total:	16	
Y E A R 2	Fall Courses	Cr	Notes	Spring Courses	Cr	Notes
	CRTW 201: Crit Read, Think & Writing	3		Quantitative Skills	3	e.g. MATH 111 or 112
	ARTH 176: Renaissance to Present	3		VCOM 374: Hist of Graph Des & Illus	3	
	VCOM 220: Illustration: The Figure	3		VCOM 258: Intro to Typography	3	
	DESF 222: Vis Thinking & Symb Comm	3		VCOM 326: Character Design	3	offered spring of odd years
	VCOM 301: Visual Comm Seminar I	1		VCOM 425: Illus: Persuas & Prop	3	offered spring of odd years
	Directed Elective	3	Appropriate VCOM, ARTS, DIFD			
	Total:	16		Total:	15	
Y E A R 3	Fall Courses	Cr	Notes	Spring Courses	Cr	Notes
	Constitution & Social Science	3	PLSC 201 or ECON 103	Natural Science Lab	4	e.g. BIO 150 & 151 or GEOL 110 & 113
	Science or Math	3	e.g. PHYS 253 or MATH 241	VCOM 388: GA Production Practices	3	
	VCOM 259: Intro to Graphic Design	3		VCOM 324: World Building	3	offered spring of even years
	VCOM 401: Visual Comm Seminar II	1		VCOM 427: Narrative & Editorial	3	offered spring of even years
	VCOM 423: Children's Books	3	offered fall of even years	WRIT 465: Prep of Oral & Written Repts	3	
	VCOM 424: Animation I	3	offered fall of even years			
	Total:	16		Total:	16	
Y E A R 4	Fall Courses	Cr	Notes	Spring Courses	Cr	Notes
	BADM 180 or FINC 211: Bus./Finance	3	Contemporary Bus Iss or Per Fin	Elective	1	Any course of interest
	VCOM 320: Creature Design	3	offered fall of odd years	Social Science	3	e.g. PSYC 101 or SOCL 101
	VCOM 420: Graphic Novels	3	offered fall of odd years	VCOM 262: Intro to Web Design	3	
	VCOM 486: Senior Thesis I	2		VCOM 487: Senior Thesis II	2	
	VCOM 501: Visual Comm Seminar II	1		VCOM 578: Professional Portfolio	3	
	Design History Elective	3	Appropriate VCOM, ARTS, DIFD			
	Total:	15		Total:	12	

Additional Notes: