

STEVENSON

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Transfer Plan Frederick Community College A.A.S. in Graphic Design

This transfer plan is intended for students pursuing an Associate of Applied Science in Graphic Design at Frederick Community College who are interested in pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Graphic Design at Stevenson University. The equivalencies below demonstrate how a student can meet both the requirements of the associate degree and prepare for a seamless transfer to Stevenson.

- Only courses that have course equivalencies are displayed. This guide does not show all transferable courses from this college. It also does not display all Stevenson University courses that will fulfill a specific requirement.
- Program requirements must be completed with a grade of C or better, and general education courses must be passed with a grade of D or better with the exception of College Composition.
- Stevenson University will accept up to 70 credits from 2-year institutions. Up to 90 credits can be applied to degree requirements from a combination of 2-year institutions, 4-year institutions, and non-direct classroom instruction (including CLEP, AP, and other nationally recognized standardized examination scores). For additional information about credit transfer, please see <https://www.stevenson.edu/admissions-aid/getting-started/transfer-students/>
- For scholarship information please see the “Paying for College” page on: <http://www.stevenson.edu/transfer>
- Transfer plans are intended to be used as planning tools. If you need additional assistance in selecting courses to take prior to transferring to Stevenson University, contact Stevenson Admissions at 443-352-4450.

	Frederick	Stevenson University	Category	Credits transferred
Discipline Courses	ARTT 101 Foundations of Studio Art	ART 110 Fundamentals Of Design I	Program Requirement	3
	COMM 111 Intro to Mass Comm	Communication-Intensive	General Education	3
	GRPH 111 Graphic Design I	GDES 125 Fundamentals of Digital Media	Program Requirement	3
	GRPH 112 Communication Graphics II	GDES 210 Communication Design I	Program Requirement	3
	GRPH 132 Digital Photography I	PHOTO 141 Basic Digital Photography	Program Requirement	3
	ARTT 106 Drawing I	ART 116 Drawing I	Program Requirement and Fine Arts	3
	GRPH 114 Web Design I	GDES 208 Web Design I	Program Requirement	3
	FILM 114 Digital Video Production	FMI-102 Cinema II	Program Requirement	4
	ARTT 204 Illustration I	ART 250 Alternative Processes	Program Requirement (Studio Elective)	3
	GRPH 212 Comm. Graphics III	GDES 211 Communication Design II	Program Requirement	3

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	GRPH 214 Web Design II	Substitute for GDES 308 Web Design II	Program Requirement	3
	GRPH 215 Professional & Transfer Portfolio & INTR 103 Internship	GDES 290 & GDES 390 Internship	Program Requirement	4
Elective	CMIS 106 Object Design and Program AR 103, 104, or 105 ENGL 102	IS 240 ART 106 Introduction to Art History ENGL 152	Elective Program Requirement General Education	3 3 3
English Composition (3 credits)	ENGL 101 English Composition	ENG 151: English Composition	General Education	3
Biological and Physical Sciences	Biological & Physical Sciences Gen Ed	<i>Scientific Reasoning (non-lab) requirement</i>	General Education	3
Mathematics	Mathematics Gen Ed	<i>Mathematics Requirement</i>	General Education	3-4
Social and Behavioral Sciences	Social & Behavioral Science Gen Ed (recommend Cultural Competence)	Social Science requirement	General Education	3
PE/Health Class	PE/Health /Nutrition	Elective	General Elective	1
Total		60 credits Please note: A minimum of 60 credits is needed for the associate's degree.		

Remaining Courses

Students who complete the plan above (including recommended courses) and earn the Associate of Arts in Arts & Humanities: Graphic Design Concentration will take the following courses at Stevenson to meet the B.S. requirements. Students who transfer before completing the AA or who do not follow the plan outlined above may have more general education and program requirements to take and fewer free electives.

General Education Requirements (16 credits)

Scientific Reasoning - Lab (SR-L) 4
 200-level Writing Intensive (WI) 3
 (2) Humanities electives 6
 Social Science elective 3

Major Requirements (33 credits)

ART 113 Fundamentals of Design II 3
 ART 117 Drawing II 3
 ART 205 Graphic Design History 3 (Humanities)
 ART 305 Topics in Art History 3 (Humanities and Writing Intensive)
 GDES 230 Typography I 3

- GDES 310 Graphic Design III 3
- GDES 330 Typography II 3
- GDES 410 Portfolio & Professional Development 3
- GDES 450 Senior Capstone 3

Six credits of Design Studio electives from the following:

- ART 215 Painting I 3 credits
- ART 217 Figure Drawing 3 credits
- ART 219 Printmaking 3 credits
- ART 315 Surface Design 3 credits
- ART 351 Special Topics 3 credits
- PHOTO 140 Historic Photographic Processes 3 credits
- PHOTO 241 Intermediate Digital Photography 3 credits
- PHOTO 341 Advanced Studio Photography 3 credits
- PHOTO 342 Documentary and Photojournalism 3 credits
- IAD 380 Advanced Interactive Studio 3 credits
- IAD 381 Mobile and Responsive Design 3 credits
- ANIM 330 Typography in Motion 3 credits
- ANIM 331 Intermediate Motion Graphics 3 credits
- GDES 370 The Relationship of Design and Business 3 credits
- GDES 380 Professional Design Studio 3 credits
- GDES 440 Designing for a Target Market 3 credits
- GDES 480 Design Studio Special Topics 3 credits

Additional Credits Needed: 9 credits of electives if needed to reach 120

Students must reach a total of 120 credits for the BS degree.

Students are encouraged to pursue a discipline minor, professional minor, and/or additional internships with general elective credits.

Total Credits at SU: 60

Suggested Course Sequence

YEAR 3				
SEMESTER	FALL		SPRING	
RECOMMENDED COURSES	GDES 310	3	GDES 330	3
	GDES 230	3	ART 113	3
	Elective	3	ART 205	3
	Elective	3	ART 117	3
	CM 101	3	200-level Writing	3
CREDITS	15 credits		15 credits	
SEMESTER	FALL		SPRING	
RECOMMENDED COURSES	GDES 410	3	GDES 450	3
	ART 305	3	Studio Elective (#2)	3
	Scientific Reasoning - Lab (SR-L)	3	General Elective	3
	Studio Elective (#1)	3	Humanities Elective (3 credits)	3
	Humanities Elective (3 credits)	3	Social Science Elective (3 credits)	3

CREDITS	16 credits			15 credits