

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Fine Arts with a Major in Art Education for Museums and Cultural Institutions (BFA)

Degree Program Guide

The Degree Program Guide is a suggested curriculum to complete this degree program in four years. It is just one of several plans that will work and is presented only as broad guidance to students. Each student is strongly encouraged to develop a customized plan in consultation with their academic advisor. Additional information can also be found in Degree Works.

Course	Title	Credit Hours
Freshman		
Fall		
ENGL 110C	English Composition (Grade of C or better required)	3
Mathematical Skills		3
Elective or Language and Culture I (May be waived; See requirement details)		0-3
Human Creativity (May not use ARTH 121A or ARTS 122A)		3
Human Behavior		3
Credit Hours		12-15
Spring		
Oral Communication		
Information Literacy and Research		3
Elective or Language and Culture II (May be waived; See requirement details)		0-3
ARTH 150	Global Survey of Art History	3
ARTS 231	Drawing I: Fundamentals of Drawing	3
Credit Hours		12-15
Sophomore		
Fall		
ENGL 211C or ENGL 231C	Writing, Rhetoric, and Research (Grade of C or better required) or Writing, Rhetoric, and Research: Special Topics	3
The Nature of Science I		4
ARTS 202	Two-Dimensional Design and Color Theory	3
ARTE 301	Foundations of Art Education	3
Impact of Technology (https://catalog.odu.edu/undergraduate/requirements-undergraduate-degrees/#impact)		3
Credit Hours		16
Spring		
Philosophy and Ethics		
The Nature of Science II		4
ARTS 203	Three-Dimensional Design	3
ARTS 279	Digital Basics	3

ARTE 305	Elementary Art Education Methods and Classroom Management	3
Credit Hours		16
Junior		
Fall		
ARTS 261	Introduction to Sculpture	3
ARTS 263	Introduction to Ceramics	3
ARTE 306	Secondary Art Education Methods and Classroom Management	3
ARTH 350W	Art Criticism *	3
Literature		3
Interpreting the Past (https://catalog.odu.edu/undergraduate/requirements-undergraduate-degrees/#interpret)		3
Credit Hours		18
Spring		
ARTH 200-level Survey course		3
ARTS 211	Introduction to Digital Photography	3
ARTS 241	Painting I	3
Upper-Level Focus Area Course		3
ARTE 411	Curriculum and Instruction in Art Education	3
SPED 313	Fundamentals of Human Growth and Development: Birth through Adolescence	3
Credit Hours		18
Senior		
Fall		
ARTH 360 or ARTH 305	Asian Art or Egyptian Art	3
ARTE 480	Capstone in Art Education	3
Upper-Level Focus Area Course		3
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ARTH 300/400-level Elective		3
Credit Hours		15
Spring		
ARTE 485	Museum and Cultural Institutions Internship	6
ARTS 472	Art Therapy	3
ARTH 300/400-level Elective		3
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Credit Hours		15
Total Credit Hours		122-128

* Students who select ARTH 230 as their survey course take ARTH 351W instead of ARTH 350W.