VISUAL ARTS

Students completing an Associate of Arts (AA) degree at COM will meet the following requirements:

1. Complete a minimum of 60 semester credit hours that may be comprised of courses from the core curriculum, institutional requirements, and Fields of Study.
2. Maintain at least a 2.0 grade point average (GPA). Only credit-bearing College of the Mainland courses will be used to calculate a GPA.
3. Complete last 15 credit hours toward this degree at COM, with the exception of reverse transfer.
4. Satisfy TSI liability.

College of the Mainland's Visual Arts Program offers courses dedicated to the creative growth of students as makers and visionaries. Classes include lecture courses in art history and art appreciation, as well as hands-on studio courses in ceramics, sculpture, painting, photography, design, drawing and digital media. Courses emphasize design skills, relevant content development, originality, critical dialog, and portfolio development for academic transfer to four-year universities or schools of art. Students may also use COM art courses for personal enrichment, or as electives enhancing the creative thinking required by other disciplines in a highly competitive world.

Associate of Arts - Visual Arts

Full-Time Student Schedule

Course	Title	Semester Credit Hours
Semester #1		
PSYC 1300	Psychology for Success	3
ENGL 1301	Composition I	3
MATH 1332	Contemporary Math (Quantitative Reasoning)	3
Select from one of the following:		4
BIOL 1408	Biology for Non-Science Majors I	
GEOL 1403	Physical Geology	
CHEM 1406	Introductory Chemistry I	
Select from one of the following:		3
ARTS 1311	Design I	
ARTS 1316	Drawing I	
ARTS 1312	Design II	
	Semester Credit Hours	**16**
Semester #2		
Select from one of the following:		3
ARTS 1311	Design I	
ARTS 1316	Drawing I	
ARTS 2348	Digital Media	
ENGL 1302	Composition II	3
ARTS 1303 or ARTS 1304	Art History I or Art History II	3
HIST 1301 or HIST 1302	U S History I or U S History II	3
SPCH 1315 or SPCH 1318	Public Speaking or Interpersonal Communication	3
	Semester Credit Hours	**15**
Semester #3		
GOVT 2305 or GOVT 2306	Federal Government (Federal Constitution & Topics) or Texas Government (texas Constitution & Topics)	3
HIST 1301 or HIST 1302	U S History I or U S History II	3
PHED 1164	Introduction to Physical Fitness and Wellness	1
Select from one of the following:		3
ARTS 2323	Life Drawing	
ARTS 2346	Ceramics I	
ARTS 2356	Photography I	
Select from one of the following:		4
BIOL 1407	Biology for Science Majors II	
GEOL 1403	Physical Geology	
CHEM 1406	Introductory Chemistry I	
	Semester Credit Hours	**14**
Semester #4		
Select from one of the following:		3
PHIL 1301	Introduction to Philosophy	
HUMA 1301	Introduction to the Humanities I	
ENGL 2322	British Literature I	
Select from one of the following:		3
PSYC 2301	General Psychology	
SOCI 1301	Introduction to Sociology	
ECON 2301	Principles of Macroeconomics	
Select from one of the following:		3
ARTS 2356	Photography I	
ARTS 2316	Painting I	
ARTS 2326	Sculpture I	
GOVT 2305 or GOVT 2306	Federal Government (Federal Constitution & Topics) or Texas Government (texas Constitution & Topics)	3
Select from one of the following:		3
ARTS 2347	Ceramics II	
ARTS 2357	Photography II	
ARTS 1317	Drawing II	
	Semester Credit Hours	**15**
	Total Semester Credit Hours	**60**