



Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA)

Art

Studio Art

2025-2026

		H	Course #	Course Title	Min. Grade	GEC	Prerequisite	Additional Notes
FIRST YEAR	FALL	3	Choose 1	Communication	C	010	For all 010 courses: Satisfactory scores on English portion of ACT test and TSI examination or ENGL 0301. For ENGL 1302, a grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1301.	See General Education Core for more details. Options: ENGL 1301
		3	ARTS 1303 or 1304	Art History I or Art History II		050		Satisfies General Education Core.
		3	ARTS 1311	2D Foundations				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
		3	ARTS 1316	Drawing I				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
		3	POLS 2305	U.S. Federal Govt & Politics		070		
			UNIV	1301 Learning Framework 1101 Academic and Career Success 1001/1300 Living and Working by Design				As required, based on a number of factors such as credit hours earned, TSI status, high school rank, major declaration, etc.
	15 Semester Total Hours							
	SPRING	3	Choose 1	Communication	C	010	For all 010 courses: Satisfactory scores on English portion of ACT test and TSI examination or ENGL 0301. For ENGL 1302, a grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1301.	See General Education Core for more details. Options: ENGL 1302 or ENGL 1305
		3	Choose 1	American History		060		See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1301 or HIST 2327
		3	Choose 1	Mathematics	C	020	College Ready TSI status in Mathematics or MATH 0314/0332/0342.	See General Education Core for course options. MATH 1314 or higher recommended.
3		ARTS 1312	3D Foundations				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
3		ARTS 1317	Drawing II	C			Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
15 Semester Total Hours								
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SECOND YEAR	FALL	3	Choose 1	American History		060		See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1302 or HIST 2328
		4	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences		030/090	May apply pending course selection	See General Education Core for course options. 1 credit hour of lab may apply to category 090.
		3	Choose 1	Integrative/Experimental Learning Option		090		See General Education Core for course options.
		3	ARTS 1303 or 1304	Art History I or Art History II				ARTS 1303 and ARTS 1304 must both be completed. One will be applied to the core curriculum, the other to the major requirements.
		3	ARTS 23XX	Studio Art Lower Level Elective	C			See Degree Plan for course options.
	16 Semester Total Hours							
	SPRING	3	Choose 1	Language, Philosophy & Culture		040		See General Education Core for course options.
		4	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences		030/090	May apply pending course selection	See General Education Core for course options. 1 credit hour of lab may apply to category 090.
		3	ARTS 23XX	Studio Art Lower Level Elective	C			See Degree Plan for course options.
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The 2024-2026 list of core courses can be found in the 2024-2026 Undergraduate Catalog: www.utrgv.edu/catalog > See "Bachelors Degree Program Regulations"

Symbols Key

Minimum Grade: A - Excellent; B - Good; C - Satisfactory; D - Below Average; CR - Credit; P - Passing; S - Satisfactory.
Bolded Course #: Program Admission Requirement

General Education Core (GEC) Sections: 010 - Communication; 020 - Mathematics; 030 - Life and Physical Sciences; 040 - Language, Philosophy & Culture; 050 - Creative Arts; 060 - American History; 070 - Government/Political Science; 080 - Social and Behavioral Sciences; 090 - Applied Communication and Literacies; 090 - Humanities; 090 - Leadership; 090 - Science Labs; 090 - Interdisciplinary; 090 - Technologies; 090 - Language Diversity & Writing.

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THIRD YEAR	FALL	3	POLS 2306	Texas Government & Politics		070		
		3	ARTS 23XX	Studio Art Lower Level Elective	C			See Degree Plan for course options.
		3	ARTS 3311	Intermediate Drawing			Grade of C or better in ARTS 1317.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
		3	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective	C			See Degree Plan for course options.
		3	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective	C			See Degree Plan for course options.
		3	ARTS 335X-435X	Art History Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
	18 Semester Total Hours							
	SPRING	1	Choose 1	Integrative/Experimental Learning Option		090		See General Education Core for course options.
		3	ARTS 335X-435X	Art History Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
		3	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective	C			See Degree Plan for course options.
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		3	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective	C			See Degree Plan for course options.
	16 Semester Total Hours							
FOURTH YEAR	FALL	3	Choose 1	Social and Behavioral Sciences		080		See General Education Core for course options.
		3	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective	C			See Degree Plan for course options.
		3	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective	C			See Degree Plan for course options.
		3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective				
	12 Semester Total Hours							
	SPRING	3	ARTS 4340	Portfolio for Studio Art			Student must be of Senior standing.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
		3	ARTS 4397	BFA Exhibit in Stuio Art	C		Student must be of Senior standing.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
		3	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective	C			See Degree Plan for course options.
		3	ARTS 335X-435X	Art History Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
	12 Semester Total Hours							
		120 TOTAL HOURS						
		(42) Advanced minimum credit hours						

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