2023–24 Art–Studio Academic Map

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An academic map is a suggested four-year schedule of courses based on degree requirements in the undergraduate catalog. This sample schedule serves as a general guideline to help build a full schedule each term. Milestones, courses, and special requirements necessary for timely progress to complete a major are designated to keep you on track to graduate in four years. *Missing milestones could delay your program.*

This map is not a substitute for academic advisement—contact your advisor if you have any questions about scheduling or about your degree requirements. Also see the current undergraduate catalog (catalog.mtsu.edu) for a complete list of requirements and electives. Note: Requirements are continually under revision, and there is no guarantee they will not be changed or revoked; contact the department and/or program area for current information.

You may choose to attend a summer term to reduce your load during fall or spring terms but still stay on track to graduate in four years (see back). NOTE: Learning Support courses will alter the sequences on this map.

Suggested Fall/Spring Four-Year Schedule

FRESHMAN FALL FRESHMAN SPRING					
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes
ART 1610	3	Must have C or higher	ART 1630	3	Must have C or higher
ART 1620	3	Must have C or higher	ART 1640	3	Must have C or higher
Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 1)	3		ART 1920 (Hum/FA)	3	Must have C or higher
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3		ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3	
COMM 2200 (Comm)	3		MATH (Math)	3	
SUBTOTAL	15		SUBTOTAL	15	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3		Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 2)	3	
ART 1650	3		PHOT 1050	3	
ART 1930	3	Must have C or higher	Studio Foundations	3	
Studio Foundations	3		Studio Foundations	3	
Studio Foundations	3		HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3	
SUBTOTAL	15			15	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
Nat Sci (Rubric 1)	4		Studio course	3	
Studio course	3		Studio course	3	
Studio course	3		Studio/Art elective	3	
Studio/Art elective	3		HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3	
Hum/FA	3		Nat Sci (Rubric 2)	4	
SUBTOTAL	16		SUBTOTAL	16	
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
Studio course	3		Studio/Art elective	3	
Studio/Art elective	3		Studio/Art elective	3	
ART 4060	3		Studio/Art elective	3	See dept./advisor
ART 4920	3		Studio/Art elective	3	
Upper-division Art history elective	3		ART 4061	1	
SUBTOTAL	15		SUBTOTAL	13	

NOTE: Studio Portfolio Review is required following the successful completion of ART 1610, 1620, 1630, 1640, two Art History courses, and four studio courses. Studio courses are from one of the following: ceramics, painting, print media, or sculpture.

TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120

Art-Studio Suggested Fall/Spring/Summer Four-Year Schedule

Refer to www.mtsu.edu/financial-aid/scholarships/ for information regarding use of the Lottery Scholarship for the summer term.

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN	SPRING		
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COMM 2200 (Comm)	3		ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3		
SUBTOTAL	12		SUBTOTAL	12		
		FRESHMA	N SUMMER			
Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 1)	3		MATH (Math)	3		
SUBTOTAL	3		SUBTOTAL	3		
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING			
ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3		Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 2)	3		
ART 1650	3		PHOT 1050	3		
ART 1930	3	Must have C or higher	Studio Foundations	3		
Studio Foundations	3		Studio Foundations	3		
Studio Foundations	3					
SUBTOTAL	15			12		
		SOPHOMO	RE SUMMER			
Nat Sci (Rubric 1)	4		HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		
SUBTOTAL	4		SUBTOTAL	3		
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING			
Studio course	3		Studio course	3		
Studio course	3		Studio course	3		
Studio/Art elective	3		Studio/Art elective	3		
Hum/FA	3		HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		
SUBTOTAL	12		SUBTOTAL	12		
		JUNIOR	SUMMER			
Nat Sci (Rubric 2)	4		Upper-division Art history elective	3		
SUBTOTAL	4		SUBTOTAL	3		
SENIOR FALL		SENIOR SPRING				
Studio course	3		Studio/Art elective	3		
Studio/Art elective	3		Studio/Art elective	3		
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