



Springfield College Sequencing Guide Art and Education Major (ARTS & EDUC) ▼ 2020-2021 Visual Arts Teacher Licensure Program

If you entered Springfield College in 2020-2021, use this guide for sequencing your courses. Requirements are subject to change and may not be offered when listed. Use your online degree audit to verify your progress, and always confirm your plans with your advisor.

GenEd Requirements, Electives, and College Requirements

In addition to the major requirements listed below, you will need to fill the following General Education (GenEd) categories:

- WLPL 100, Exploring Movement & Wellness (1 cr)
- 200-level Wellness & Physical (1 cr)
- 300-level Wellness & Physical (1 cr)
- Literary Studies (3 cr)
- Quantitative Reasoning (3 cr)
- Scientific Reasoning (4 cr)
- Spiritual and Ethical (3 cr)
- Historical and Social (3 cr)

These majors typically require 95 credits to complete, totaling up to 126 credits with GenEds and 3 elective credits.

In addition to the GenEd and major requirements listed, you must complete:

- The **residency requirement**—45 credits taken at Springfield College (including 15 of your last 30)

ARTS & EDUC Major Requirements – Typical First-Year Schedule

Fall:

SCSM 101, Springfield College Seminar (GenEd requirement – 3 cr)
ENGL 113, College Writing I (GenEd requirement – 3 cr)
ARTS 108, Studio in Drawing (3 cr – also fills Visual/Performing Arts GenEd)
ARTS 111, Studio in Design (3 cr)
EDUC 237, Foundations of Multicultural Education (3 cr – also fills Themed Exploration Gen Ed)

Spring:

ENGL 114, College Writing II (GenEd requirement – 3 cr)
ARTS 104, Creativity: Methods and Practices (3 cr)
ARTS 116, Studio in Painting (3 cr)
ARTS 255, Introduction to Art Education (3 cr)
SPCO 201, MTEL Prep Course **If Needed** (.5 cr)
Plus GenEds and major requirements with flexible timing to total 30-36 credits for the year

Fall or Spring:
Take Com/Lit MTEL

ARTS & EDUC Major Requirements – Typical Second-Year Schedule

Fall:

EDUC 250, Childhood and Adolescent Development in Educational Settings (3 cr)
Plus GenEds and major requirements with flexible timing to total 15-18 credits for the semester

Spring:

ARTS 360, Teaching Early Childhood and Elementary Art (3 cr)
EDUC 238, Pre-Practicum in Special Education (PreK-8) (1 cr)
EDUC 162, Exceptional Children (3 cr)
Plus major requirements with flexible timing to total 33-36 credits for the year

ARTS & EDUC Major Requirements – Typical Third-Year Schedule

Fall:

ATPY 309, Pre-Practicum in Art Therapy and Art Education (3 cr)
EDUC 234, Curriculum, Methods, and Organization for Secondary Teachers (3 cr)
Take Visual Art MTEL
Plus GenEds and major requirements with flexible timing to total 15-18 credits for the year

Spring:

CISC 150, Introduction to Computer Science (3 cr – also fills Themed Exploration GenEd)
EDUC 364, Pre-Practicum Teaching and Special Issues in Secondary Education (3 cr)
Plus GenEds and major requirements with flexible timing to total 33-36 credits for the year

Fall or Spring:
EDUC 328, Sheltered English Immersion (3 cr – also fills Themed Exploration GenEd)
Plus major requirements with flexible timing to total 33-36 credits for the year

ARTS & EDUC Major Requirements – Typical Fourth-Year Schedule

Fall or Spring:

ARTS 382, Seminar in Teaching Art (1 cr)

12 credits of Practicum chosen (in consultation with your EDUC advisor) from:

EDUC 464, Middle School Practicum and Seminar (4-12 cr)

EDUC 465, High School Practicum and Seminar (4-12 cr)

EDUC 468, Elementary (1-6) Practicum and Seminar (4-12 cr)

Plus any outstanding major requirements, GenEds, or electives needed to total a minimum of 120 credits for your career

Additional ARTS & EDUC Major Requirements – Flexible Timing

ARTS 103, Studio in Computer Graphics (3 cr)

ARTS 105, Studio in Printmaking (3 cr)

ARTS 210, Figure Drawing (3 cr)

ARTS 217, Arts of the Prehistory to the Renaissance (3 cr – also fills half of WAC GenEd)

ARTS 219, American Art 1700-1900 (3 cr – also fills half of WAC GenEd)

ARTS 223, Studio in Ceramics (3 cr)

ARTS 225, Studio in Photography (3 cr)

ARTS 280, Integrating Arts in the Classroom (3 cr)

ARTS 290, Art in the Community (3 cr)

ATPY 105, Methods and Materials of Art Therapy (3 cr)

ARTS 211, Studio in Sculpture (3 cr) **or**

ARTS 228, Three-Dimensional Design (3 cr)

Select **one course** (3 credits) from the following:

ARTS 120, Contemporary Art (3 cr)

ARTS 218, Renaissance to Modern Art (3 cr)

ARTS 221, Women Artists in History (3 cr)

ARTS 222, Asian Arts and Culture (3 cr)

ARTS 245, Contemporary Jewish Art (3 cr)

Select **one course** (3 credits) advanced studio from the following:

ARTS 260, Advanced Digital, Web & Multimedia Design (3 cr)

ARTS 261, Advanced Studio in Drawing (3 cr)

ARTS 262, Advanced Studio in Painting (3 cr)

ARTS 263, Advanced Studio in Design (3 cr)

ARTS 264, Advanced Studio in Photography (3 cr)

ARTS 265, Advanced Studio in Printmaking (3 cr)

ARTS 266, Advanced Studio in Sculpture (3 cr)

ARTS 267, Advanced Studio in Materials and Techniques (3 cr)

ARTS 270, Advanced Studio in Ceramics (3 cr)

ARTS Major – Program Standards

Program standards for the ARTS major include, but are not limited to:

- Have earned a 2.500 GPA or higher in all program requirements
- Have earned a cumulative GPA of 2.500 or higher
- Have earned a C or better in all courses with an ARTS or ATPY prefix

For more information about ARTS program standards, contact your ARTS advisor or the VAPA department chairperson.

EDUC Major – Program Standards

Program standards for the EDUC major include, but are not limited to:

- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.750 for all designated licensure courses (see *Educator Preparation Handbook* for more information)
- Earn a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.500
- Receive a passing score on the Communication and Literacy Skills Test (reading and writing) of the Massachusetts Test for Education Licensure (MTEL)
- Receive passing scores on the appropriate MTEL Subject Tests
- Earn minimum grades specified for designated course (see the *Educator Preparation Handbook*)

For more information about these and other EDUC program standards, contact your EDUC advisor or the EDUC department chairperson.

