

ART EDUCATION

(BFA) Bachelor of Fine Arts

129 credit, four-year program of study

This curricular guide represents the requirements for students entering UMass Dartmouth for the academic year 2026–2027 and is intended as an example of progression towards the degree. Visit the [College of Visual & Performing Arts website](#) for more information.

Name:

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DEGREE REQUIREMENTS AND RECOMMENDED SEQUENCE OF STUDY

Use the checkboxes to track completed courses.

Year One Fall Courses	Credits
☐ FOU 101: Visual Arts Seminar	3
☐ FOU 110: Foundation Drawing	3
☐ FOU 120: 2D Form and Surface	3
☐ PSY 101: General Psychology	3
☐ ENL 101: Critical Writing & Reading I	3

Year One Spring Courses	Credits
☐ FOU 130: 3D Form and Space	3
☐ FOU 140: Digital Essentials	3
☐ ARH 102: Intro to the History of Art	3
☐ ENL 102: Critical Writing & Reading II	3
☐ ART 221: Figure Drawing	3
☐ CVPA Elective	3

Year Two Fall Courses	Credits
☐ AED 200: Methods and Materials	3
☐ ART 222: Figure Drawing: Movement and Space	3
☐ PSY 201 /or/ PSY 215 Child/Adolescent Psych	3
☐ ENL 200: Topics in Literature	3
☐ ARH 200: Theory & Criticism of Art & Design	3
☐ 200 Level Studio Concentration	3

Year Two Spring Courses	Credits
☐ AED 201: Dev. & Assessment in the Arts	3
☐ 200 Level Studio Concentration	3
☐ CVPA Elective	3
☐ ARH 200/300 Art History Elective	3
☐ Social World (*U Studies)	3
☐ AED 470 Topics in Art Education	3

Year Three Fall Courses	Credits
☐ AED 302: Tech for K-12 Art Education	3
☐ AED 405: Soc. Phil & Hist of Art Education	3
☐ 300 Level Studio Concentration	3
☐ MTH ____ Mathematics	3
☐ Science (*U Studies) 2A: Natural World	3
☐ CVPA Elective	3

Year Three Spring Courses	Credits
☐ AED 410: Curriculum Design	3
☐ 300 Level Studio Concentration	3
☐ CVPA Elective	3
☐ ARH ____ 300/400 Level Art History Elective	3
☐ Science (*U Studies) 2B: Engaged Community	3

Year Four Fall Courses	Credits
☐ AED 415: Special Needs: Current Issues	3
☐ EDU 452: Sheltered English immersion	3
☐ 400 Level Studio Concentration	3
☐ CVPA Elective	3
☐ Social World (*U Studies)	3
☐ AED 408: Pre-practicum	0

Year Four Spring Courses	Credits
Practicum/Seminar	12
☐ AED 411 Elementary /or/	
☐ AED 412 Secondary /or/	

*Visit the [University Studies website](#) for a full list of courses.

Free Elective Credits are satisfied by any course.

At least 30 credits of advanced and specialized courses (numbered 300 or higher) must be completed.