

ART - STUDIO ART (BACHELOR OF ARTS)

The Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree with a concentration in studio art is a flexible 120-hour program which includes the general education curriculum, the required Art major courses, and a minor. The Bachelor of Arts degree with a concentration in studio art requires 54 hours, including:

Course	Title	Credits
Jax MIX General Education Curriculum		41
Course	Title	Credits
ART 111	Survey of Art I	3
ART 112	Survey of Art II (WI)	3
ART 134	Drawing I	3
ART 233	Design I	3
ART 234	Drawing II	3
ART 240	Design II	3
ART 298	Portfolio Review	0
ART 499	BA Senior Seminar and Exhibit	3
Select six hours of upper level art history courses		6
Select 27 hours of 300/400 level studio courses		27
Total Hours		54

The student may choose any minor offered at JSU.

After completion of, or concurrent enrollment in, ART 111 Survey of Art I (3), ART 112 Survey of Art II (WI) (3), ART 134 Drawing I (3), ART 233 Design I (3), ART 234 Drawing II (3), and ART 240 Design II (3), students must enroll in ART 298 Portfolio Review (0) and complete this course by successfully presenting a portfolio and passing the review. Students must have a minimum 2.00 GPA overall and a minimum 2.50 GPA in the major. Please refer to the Bachelor of Arts degree with a concentration in studio art in the Art Plan of Study for all general studies and Art and Design Department course requirements.

All Art majors are required to seek advisement each semester from their advisor and become familiar with the general and specific requirements for the degree which they are seeking. Students majoring in Art are required to present a portfolio for faculty review by the end of their sophomore year by enrolling in ART 298 Portfolio Review (0). In addition, all Art majors are required to have completed and passed ART 134 Drawing I (3), ART 233 Design I (3), ART 234 Drawing II (3), ART 240 Design II (3), and ART 298 Portfolio Review (0) before enrolling in 400-level studio classes. Students must earn a "C" or better in each of the major and minor courses taken. All majors will participate in a senior exhibition of upper class studio work prior to graduation.

The Bachelor of Arts degree with a concentration in studio art offered by the Department of Art and Design requires an overall minimum of 120 semester hours comprised of the following sub-requirements:

- a minimum of 12 hours of 300/400 level courses at JSU in the major
- a minimum of six hours of 300/400 level courses in the minor at JSU
- 41 hours of Jax MIX general education courses
- 19 hours of support courses

- a minimum of 36 hours of 300/400 level courses, which include those required in the major and minor

Students must earn a minimum of 2.00 GPA overall and at JSU, 2.50 in the major, and a "C" or better in each of the major and minor courses to graduate.

In addition to courses noted below, candidates for graduation must successfully complete all JSU Academic Regulations. More information about Jax MIX requirements (<https://catalog.jsu.edu/undergraduate/jax-mix-requirements/>) and Alabama Transfers equivalents (<https://catalog.jsu.edu/undergraduate/alabama-transfers-equivalents/>) can be found in their respective section of the catalog.

A student must complete the Portfolio by the end of the sophomore year.

Freshman		Hours
Fall		
Jax MIX Communication: EH Composition sequence		3
Jax MIX Inquiry: Science		4
Jax MIX Experience: Social/Behavioral Science		3
ART 134	Drawing I	3
ART 233	Design I	3
SSC 101	First Year Experience	0
Hours		16
Spring		
Jax MIX Communication: EH Composition sequence		3
Jax MIX Inquiry: Science		4
MS 110	Finite Mathematics (or higher - Jax MIX Communication)	3
ART 234	Drawing II	3
ART 240	Design II	3
Hours		16
Sophomore		
Fall		
Jax MIX Expression: Literature sequence		3
Jax MIX Experience: History		3
Studio		3
ART 111	Survey of Art I ¹	3
Minor/Electives		3
ART 298	Portfolio Review	0
Hours		15
Spring		
Jax MIX Expression: Fine Arts		3
Jax MIX Expression: Literature sequence		3
ART 112	Survey of Art II (WI) ¹	3
Studio		3
Minor/Electives		3
Hours		15
Junior		
Fall		
EH 141	Speech (Jax MIX Communication)	3
Jax MIX Experience: Social/Behavioral Science		3
Art History 300+		3
Studio		3
Studio		3
Hours		15
Spring		
Jax MIX Experience		3
Art History 300+		3
Studio		3
Studio		3
Minor/Electives		3
Hours		15

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Senior		
Fall		
Studio		3
Studio		3
Minor/Electives		4
Minor/Electives		3
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	Hours	16
Spring		
ART 499	BA Senior Seminar and Exhibit	3
Studio		3
Minor/Electives		3
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	Hours	12
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	Total Hours	120

¹ ART 111 or ART 112 may be used to meet the Fine Arts requirements.
If so, the Jax MIX Expression: Fine Arts may be met with electives.