

ART - ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE

San José City College offers both an Associate in Arts (AA) and Associate in Science (AS) in Art degree. Students planning to follow a transfer pattern should use the Associate in Arts degree. This degree may not transfer to all universities, and students need to inquire of the universities if they have a bachelor's degree for their upper division course work. The Associate in Science has 2 possible areas of emphasis: Drawing and Painting or Photography. A minimum of 3 courses in the Art major must be taken at San José City College. A grade of "C" or better is required in each course in the major and area of emphasis for graduation.

Program Learning Outcomes

- Create artworks that demonstrate an understanding of the formal elements and principles of design.
- Communicate an idea through an artwork by skillfully using materials and techniques to achieve the desired effect.
- Practice an aesthetic process to develop concepts which enrich the appreciation of making and viewing visual art.
- Recognize and list major artists and historical art trends and styles, and place art in a contemporary context.
- Analyze the objective and subjective qualities of an artwork in order to evaluate and assess its worthiness and discuss those conclusions.

Major Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
ART 012	Two-Dimensional Design	3
ART 013	Three Dimensional Design	3
ART 014	Color Theory	3
ART 024	Beginning Drawing	3
ART 026	Intermediate Drawing	3
ART 091	Survey of Art History: Prehistoric Through Gothic	3
ART 092	Survey of Art History: Renaissance to the Present	3
Total Units		21

Area of Emphasis

Select one of the following areas of emphasis: Coursework may not be duplicated

Drawing and Painting AS Degree Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
ART 055A	Life Drawing I	3
ART 055B	Life Drawing II	3
ART 060	Beginning Painting I	3
ART 061	Beginning Painting II	3
Major Requirements and Area of Emphasis		33
General Education/Graduation Requirements		24
Physical Activity		1
Elective Units (Degree Applicable)		2
Total Units		60

Photography AS Degree Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
PHOTO 022	Beginning Darkroom Photography	3
PHOTO 062	Intermediate Darkroom Photography	3
PHOTO 076	Photoshop 1	3
PHOTO 079	Beginning Digital Photography	3
PHOTO 098	Directed Study in Photography	3
Major Requirements and Area of Emphasis		36
General Education Requirements		24
Physical Activity		1
Total Units		61