

PNCA + CENTRAL OREGON COMMUNITY COLLEGE (COCC) TRANSFER CREDIT PATHWAY: GRAPHIC DESIGN

PNCA Graphic Design BFA Curriculum I COCC AGS with Graphic Design Certificate Curriculum This pathway is designed for Graphic Design majors.			
FOUNDATION STUDIO			
PNCA Course	Sem Cr	COCC Transferable Course	Qtr Cr
FD 101 Visual Elements: 2D	3	ART 115 Basic Design: 2-D ART 116 Basic Design: Color <i>*PNCA will also accept any 100+ level 2D Design Course (with Color Theory)</i>	4, 4
FD 102 Visual Elements: Digital Tools	3	ART 267 Photography: Digital Editing AND ART 141 Vector Art Illustration <i>*PNCA will also accept any 100+ level Course, or a combination of courses, covering Photoshop, Illustrator and InDesign. Excess credit will be applied to Studio Electives.</i>	4, 4
FD 105 Basic Drawing	-	<i>Waived for Studio Elective, Pending Dept Head Approval</i> <i>*PNCA will also accept any 100+ level Drawing Course</i>	-
FD 111 3D Design	-	<i>Waived for Elective, pending Dept. Head approval</i> <i>*PNCA will also accept any 100+ Level 3D Design, Sculpture, or Ceramics Course</i>	-
FD 112 Time Arts	4	ART 165 Videography Basics OR ART 140: Sequential Art: Non-Digital	4
FD 100 First Year Seminar	1	Waived if transferring with 30+ semester credits	-
Section Semester Credit	10	Section Quarter Credit	20
FOUNDATION STUDIES			
Core Seminar I	3	100+ level Art Appreciation or Art History AND 100+ level College Writing, Composition or Reading <i>*PNCA will also accept any 100+ level Art Appreciation or Art History AND 100+ level College Writing, Composition or Reading</i>	4, 4
Core Seminar II	3	ARH 208 Art History: Non Western OR ARH 207 Native American Art History <i>*PNCA will also accept any 100+ level Global or World Art History or a combination of two Art History courses across western and non-western subject matter to fulfill Core Seminar I and II requirements.</i>	4
Place Based Inquiry	3	Choose from list: <i>*PNCA will also accept any 100+ level Ecology or Natural Science with lab.</i>	4
Section Semester Credit	9	Section Quarter Credit	16
INTERDISCIPLINARY SEMINARS			
"History of" Art History Course AH 213: History of Design Arts	3	ARH 269 Design and Illustration History	4
Interdisciplinary Seminar (Quantitative Designation)	3	Choose from list: *Quantitative Engagement category: PNCA will accept any 100+ level Biology, Business, Chemistry, Computer Science, Data Science, Economics, Environmental Science, Exercise and Health Science (theory), Mathematics, Sociology, math, science, any other course that can adequately be shown to incorporate quantitative analysis	4

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Interdisciplinary Seminar	3	Choose from list: *Worldview Recognition category: PNCA will accept any 100+ level American Ethnic Studies, American Studies, Archeology, Chinese Studies, Civic Communication and Media, Classical Studies French and Francophone Studies, Global Cultural Studies, History, Japanese Studies, Latin American Studies, Philosophy, Psychology, Religious Studies, Women's and Gender Studies	4
Interdisciplinary Seminar	3	Choose from list: *Creative Discipline Fluency/Analysis Category: PNCA will accept any 100+ level Art History, Literature or Music History as appropriate	4
Interdisciplinary Seminar	3	100+ level COCC Communications Requirement *Open Category: PNCA will also accept any class listed in Quantitative Engagement, Worldview Recognition, or Creative Discipline Fluency/Analysis Categories.	4
Interdisciplinary Seminar (Quantitative Designation)	-	Take at PNCA <i>*All students are required to take at least one 200-level Interdisciplinary Seminar at PNCA. Two of the five total Interdisciplinary Seminars must fulfill the "Quantitative Engagement" requirement (see above).</i>	-
Section Semester Credit	15	Section Quarter Credit	20
APPLIED CREATIVE PRACTICE			
Introduction to Creative Citizenship	3	ART 102 Intro to Art and Design Careers <i>*PNCA will also accept any 100+ level Math, Business, Art Business, Portfolio Development, or other career readiness or professional development course.</i>	3 (+ excess credit)
Creative Project Management OR Internship/Applied Learning/	-	Take at PNCA <i>*PNCA will accept a 100+ level professional development course or internship. Advising is required.</i>	-
Section Semester Credit	3	Section Quarter Credit	3
MAJOR REQUIREMENTS + STUDIO ELECTIVES			
GD 241 Design Studio I: Signs & Symbols	3	ART 110 Beginning Graphic Design	4
GD 242 Design Studio I: Psychology of Seeing	3	DSGN 103: UX Research Methods AND BA 232 Branding	4, 4
GD 245 Typography I	3	ART 230 Intermediate Graphic Design AND ART 297GD Capstone Project: Graphic Design	4, 1
GD 246 Typography II	-	Take at PNCA	-
GD 247 Production	3	DSGN 101: Intro to Product Design	4
GD 251 Fundamentals of Interactive Media	3	DSGN 104 UX Design Principles AND	4
Studio Elective	9	ART 265 Photography: Digital Basics AND Choose from list: <i>*PNCA will also accept any 100+ level Studio Art, Design, Music, Audio Engineering, Drama, Dance, or Creative Writing Course. Students should take courses related to their intended major. Otherwise, courses will apply to studio electives until credits have been filled.</i>	8 (+ excess credit)
Total Section Semester Credit	21	Total Section Quarter Credit	33
Total Semester Credit	61	Total Quarter Credit	92
Graphic Design Studio Electives: 9 General semester credits / 3 Design Specific semester credits			
Total Credits for a BFA degree at PNCA: 121 semester credits			

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Notes:

A grade of C- or better must be earned in order for a class to transfer.

Courses listed in the right column reflect the *recommended* or *preferred* course or course of action to take for transfer, based on alignment with the two year degree and PNCA's curriculum.

**Italicized notes* indicate a broader range of acceptable course options that may also fulfill the requirement, though they may not offer as strong a match as the recommended course or course of action recommended.

PNCA's Transfer Pathways are designed as complete, pre-approved sequences. Due to differences in quarter and semester credit systems, combined course content, and specific course approvals, the pathway must be followed in full to ensure all credits transfer as intended.

Questions? Contact pncaadmissions@willamette.edu.