

Visual Arts Education

Degree Type

Bachelor of Arts

Objective:

To prepare students to teach content courses in grades K-12 for visual arts and meet the requirements for Idaho certification

Administrators: Visual Arts and Undergraduate Education Department Chairs

Secondary Program Requirements:

Requirements: 39 credits in professional education **and** endorsement specific requirements:

- Visual Arts Endorsement Area - 45 credits
- Visual Arts First Endorsement - 30 credits and selection of a second endorsement
- Visual Arts Second Endorsement - 24 credits and selection of a first endorsement

Professional Education Core Courses: 39 credits

Item #	Title	Credits
EDUC1100	Introduction to Education	1
EDUC2110	Educational Psychology	3
EDUC2250	Cultural Diversity in Education	2
EDUC2550	Innovative Instruction	3
EDUC2960	Introduction to Instructional Design	1
EDUC3090	Pedagogy of Writing in 6-12 Schools	3
EDUC3150	Education of Exceptional Children	3
EDUC3410	English Language Learners and Content Literacy in Secondary Classrooms	3
EDUC3510	Teaching Methods in Secondary Classrooms	3
EDUC3750	Classroom Management in Secondary Schools	2
	Special methods courses in first and second endorsements or endorsement area	
EDUC3920	Foundations of Education	2
EDUC4850	Secondary School Start-Up	1
	EDUC4860 or EDUC4870	11
EDUC4950	Seminar/Capstone	1

Courses must be taken at Northwest Nazarene University: [EDUC1100](#), [EDUC2550](#), [EDUC2960](#), [EDUC3090](#), [EDUC3410](#), [EDUC3510](#), [EDUC3750](#), [EDUC3920](#), [EDUC4850](#), [EDUC4860](#), [EDUC4870](#), [EDUC4950](#), Special methods courses in first and second endorsements or endorsement area.

Visual Arts Endorsement

Required Courses: 45 credits in Visual Arts including six credits in education methods.

Item #	Title	Credits
ARDE1020	2D Design	3
ARDE1040	Drawing 1	3
ARDE2010	3D Design	3
ARDE2410	Painting 1	3
ARDE2350	Graphic Design 1: Introduction to Visual Communication	3
ARDE2430	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ARDE2760	Photography 1	3
ARDE3500	Studio Practice and Critique	3
EDUC3330	Teaching Art in K-8 Schools	3
EDUC3530	Teaching Art in Secondary Schools	3

Choose two art history courses (six credits) from:

Item #	Title	Credits
ARDE3250	Art History 1	3
ARDE3750	Art History 2	3
ARDE3950	Modern and Contemporary Art History	3

Choose three elective courses (nine credits) from:

Item #	Title	Credits
ARDE2050	Ceramics 1	3
ARDE2070	Figure Studies	3
ARDE3060	Printmaking	3
ARDE3080	Introduction to Bookmaking and Letterpress	3
ARDE3430	Digital Photography	3
ARDE4870	Senior Exhibition	3

Visual Arts First Endorsement

Must select a second endorsement. See chart on [Department of Education](#) page.

Required Courses: 30 credits of Visual Arts including six credits in education methods.

Item #	Title	Credits
ARDE1020	2D Design	3
ARDE1040	Drawing 1	3
ARDE2010	3D Design	3
ARDE2410	Painting 1	3
ARDE2430	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ARDE2760	Photography 1	3
EDUC3330	Teaching Art in K-8 Schools	3
EDUC3530	Teaching Art in Secondary Schools	3

Choose one art history course (three credits) from:

Item #	Title	Credits
ARDE3250	Art History 1	3
ARDE3750	Art History 2	3
ARDE3950	Modern and Contemporary Art History	3

Choose one elective course (three credits) from:

Item #	Title	Credits
ARDE2050	Ceramics 1	3
ARDE2070	Figure Studies	3
ARDE2350	Graphic Design 1: Introduction to Visual Communication	3
ARDE3060	Printmaking	3
ARDE3080	Introduction to Bookmaking and Letterpress	3
ARDE3430	Digital Photography	3

Visual Arts Second Endorsement

Must select a first endorsement. See chart on [Department of Education](#) page.

Required Courses: 24 credits of Visual Arts including six credits in education methods.

Item #	Title	Credits
ARDE1020	2D Design	3
ARDE1040	Drawing 1	3
ARDE2010	3D Design	3
ARDE2410	Painting 1	3
EDUC3330	Teaching Art in K-8 Schools	3
EDUC3530	Teaching Art in Secondary Schools	3

Choose one art history course (three credits) from:

Item #	Title	Credits
ARDE3250	Art History 1	3
ARDE3750	Art History 2	3
ARDE3950	Modern and Contemporary Art History	3

Choose one elective course (three credits) from:

Item #	Title	Credits
ARDE2050	Ceramics 1	3
ARDE2070	Figure Studies	3
ARDE2430	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ARDE3060	Printmaking	3
ARDE3080	Introduction to Bookmaking and Letterpress	3
ARDE3430	Digital Photography	3

Program Certification Requirements:

1. Complete all requirements for a baccalaureate degree.
2. Complete a subject endorsement area of at least 45 semester credit hours as recommended by the subject department and approved by the Department of Education, or complete a first endorsement of at least 30 semester credit hours and a second endorsement of at least 20 semester credit hours as recommended by the subject departments and approved by the Department of Education.
3. Complete requirements of the Educator Preparation Program in effect at the time of admission to Educator Preparation as well as any additional requirements if required by changes in the standards of state regulatory agencies.
4. Complete all required education courses in the secondary program with a grade of B- (2.7) or better.
5. Complete all required content courses with a grade of C (2.0) or better.
6. Maintain a 3.0 or better cumulative GPA.
7. Pass the Praxis content test(s) in endorsement area or first and second endorsements.

Total Credits

69-84
