



Johnson County Community College  
Transfer Program to the University of Kansas

### School of the Arts

#### Department of Visual Art (B.A.)

Ceramics, Expanded Media, Metalsmithing/Jewelry,  
Painting/Drawing, Printmaking, Sculpture, Textiles/Fibers,  
and Photomedia (in the Design Department)

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The Associate of Arts degree (A.A.) at JCCC is a general transfer degree and partners well with the first two years of most bachelor degree programs. Students pursuing the A.A. may select courses that satisfy both the A.A. degree requirements and lower division requirements for a bachelor's degree at four-year institutions. The 30 hours of electives within the A.A. allow students to complete additional general education and lower division courses required for specific majors. The A.A. degree requires completion of 60 credit hours; please see [JCCC A.A. degree requirements](#). The maximum number of hours from a community college that will be applied toward a bachelor's degree at KU is 64 credit hours.

Meeting with a JCCC counselor is strongly recommended for selection of appropriate courses.

- The B.A. in Visual Art is a traditional liberal arts undergraduate degree, requiring 24 credit hours in Visual Art beyond the 1<sup>st</sup> year foundations courses, as opposed to the more art intensive B.F.A. degree.
- All entering students in Visual Arts are required to participate in a foundation curriculum offered through the Foundations program before enrolling in advanced art or design studio courses.
- The Bachelor of Arts in Visual Art is a four-year, 120 credit hour degree program, including 45 junior/senior hours (courses numbered 300 or higher), 30 of these 45 junior/senior hours must be taken in residence at KU.
- The Visual Art Major Studies requires a minimum of 15 junior/senior hours in the major, a minimum of 15 major hours in residence, and a minimum 2.0 KU junior/senior grade-point average in the major.
- In addition to completing the online application for KU Admissions, [a portfolio and responses to three short essay questions](#) are required for admission to the Department of Visual Art in order to complete the application process and be for admission to the major in Visual Art. Information regarding these additional application materials can be found at <https://art.ku.edu/undergraduate-admissions>.
- Students interested in pursuing a double major may find it easier to pair the B.A. with other undergraduate degrees. After taking the foundations courses, student take their remaining studio courses from the seven Visual Arts studio areas: Ceramics, Expanded Media, Metalsmithing/Jewelry, Painting/Drawing, Printmaking, Sculpture, Textiles/Fibers, and Photomedia (in the Design Department).
- Classes may count for a major requirement and a core requirement but may **NOT** count for 2 different core requirements.

**It is the STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This transfer guide is provided as a service and is updated as needed. Degree requirements at the four-year colleges are subject to change by those institutions. To ensure you have the most accurate up to date information about the program, it is imperative you meet with an advisor at the transfer institution.**

<b>B.A. Requirements</b>				
<b>KU Classes</b>	<b>Hrs</b>	<b>JCCC Classes</b>	<b>Hrs</b>	<b>Core Fulfilled</b>
<b>Completion of KU Core Requirements (see below)</b>				
<b>Completion of College BA degree specific requirements</b>				
ENGL 101 Composition <b>AND</b>	3	ENGL 121 Composition I* <b>AND</b>	3	GE 2.1
ENGL 102 Critical Reading and Writing	3	ENGL 122 Composition II*	3	GE 2.1
<b>Important Note:</b> <i>If you are EXEMPT from taking ENGL 101 (121) from an AP or IB exam, you will need to take one of these courses:</i>				
ENGL 210 Introduction to Poetry	3	ENGL 227 Introduction to Poetry*	3	GE 1.1, 2.1, 3H
ENGL 209 Introduction to Fiction	3	ENGL 230 Introduction to Fiction*	3	GE 1.1, 2.1, 3H
ENGL 211 Introduction to the Drama	3	ENGL 235 Drama as Literature*	3	GE 1.1, 2.1, 3H
<b>Quantitative Reasoning (1 course)</b>				
<i>Please note a single course cannot count for both this requirement &amp; the KU Core Goal GE 1.2 requirement.</i>				
MATH 101 College Algebra <b>OR</b>	3	MATH 171 College Algebra* <b>OR</b>	3	GE 1.2
MATH 104 Precalculus Mathematics <b>OR</b>	5	MATH 173 Precalculus* <b>OR</b>	5	GE 1.2
MATH 115 Calculus I <b>OR</b>	3	MATH 231 Busn. & Applied Calc I* <b>OR</b>	5	GE 1.2
MATH 125 Calculus I <b>OR</b>	5	MATH 241 Calculus I* <b>OR</b>	5	GE 1.2
MATH 365 Elementary Statistics <b>OR</b>	3	MATH 181 Statistics* <b>OR</b>	3	GE 1.2
You may take one of the lab sciences indicated in the Natural Sciences section as fulfilling Goal GE 1.2				
<b>Natural Sciences (4-5 hours) One laboratory science is required</b>				
ASTR 191/196 Contemporary Astronomy/Lab	3/1	ASTR 122 Astronomy	4	GE 3N
BIOL 100/102 Principles of Biology/Lab	3/1	BIOL 121 Introductory Biology for Non-Majors	4	GE 3N
BIOL 150 Principles of Molecular and Cell Biology	4	BIOL 135 Principles of Cell & Molecular Biology	4	GE 3N
BIOL 152 Principles of Organismal Biology	3	BIOL 150 Biology of Organisms*	5	GE 3N
BIOL 200/203 Basic Microbiology/Lab	3/2	BIOL 230/231 Microbiology*/Lab*	3/2	GE 3N
CHEM 110 Introductory Chemistry	5	CHEM 120 Chemistry in Society* <b>OR</b> CHEM 122 Principles of Chemistry*	4	CHEM 110 Introductory Chemistry
CHEM 130 General Chemistry I	5	CHEM 124/125 General Chemistry I*/Lab*	4/1	GE 1.2, 3N
CHEM 135 General Chemistry II	5	CHEM 131/132 General Chemistry II*/Lab*	4/1	GE 3N
GEOG 104/105 Introduction to Physical Geography/Lab	3/2	GEOS 140/141 Physical Geography/Lab*	3/2	GE 3N
PHSX 114 College Physics I	5	PHYS 130 College Physics I*	5	GE 1.1, 1.2, 3N
PHSX 211/216 General Physics I/Lab	4/1	PHYS 220 Engineering Physics I*	5	GE 1.1, 1.2, 3N
PHSX 212/236 General Physics II/Lab	4/1	PHYS 221 Engineering Physics II*	5	GE 3N
No KU equivalent but counts as PHSX NPL Physical Science	4	PSCI 120 Physical Science	4	GE 3N

**Foreign Language** - One language is required. For whichever language chosen, all courses in that language area must be completed. See the complete list of JCCC Foreign Language courses, click [here](#). Check with JCCC Counselor for placement into appropriate courses.

<b>KU Classes</b>	<b>Hrs</b>	<b>JCCC Classes</b>	<b>Hrs</b>	<b>Core Fulfilled</b>
FREN 110 Elementary French I	5	FL 140 Elementary French I	5	N/A
FREN 120 Elementary French II	5	FL 141 Elementary French II*	5	N/A
FREN 230 Intermediate French I	3	FL 240 Intermediate French I*	3	AE 4.2
FREN 240 Intermediate French II	3	FL 241 Intermediate French II*	3	AE 4.2
GERM 104 Elementary German I	5	FL 120 Elementary German I	5	AE 4.2
GERM 108 Elementary German II	5	FL 121 Elementary German II*	5	AE 4.2
GERM 201 Intermediate German I	3	FL 220 Intermediate German I*	3	AE 4.2
GERM 202 Intermediate German II	3	FL 221 Intermediate German II*	3	AE 4.2
SPAN 104 Elementary Spanish I	5	FL 130 Elementary Spanish I	5	N/A
SPAN 108 Elementary Spanish II	4	FL 131 Elementary Spanish II*	5	N/A
SPAN 212 Intermediate Spanish I	3	FL 230 Intermediate Spanish I*	3	AE 4.2
SPAN 216 Intermediate Spanish II	3	FL 231 Intermediate Spanish II*	3	AE 4.2
CHIN 104 Elementary Chinese I	5	FL 165 Elementary Chinese I	5	N/A
CHIN 108 Elementary Chinese II	5	FL 166 Elementary Chinese II*	5	N/A
No KU equivalent but counts as CHIN U Intermediate Chinese	3	FL 192 Intermediate Chinese I*	3	N/A
CHIN 204 Intermediate Chinese I	3	FL 193 Intermediate Chinese II*	3	N/A
JPN 104 Elementary Japanese I	5	FL 170 Elementary Japanese I	5	N/A
JPN 108 Elementary Japanese II	5	FL 171 Elementary Japanese II*	5	N/A
JPN 204 Intermediate Japanese I	5	FL 182 Intermediate Japanese I*	5	N/A
JPN 208 Intermediate Japanese II	5	FL 183 Intermediate Japanese II*	5	N/A
<b>Foundations – 13 hours</b>				
ART 101 Drawing I	3	ART 130 Drawing I	3	GE 3H
ART 102 Drawing II	3	ART 131 Drawing II*	3	N/A
ART 103 Art Concepts and Practice	3	ART 124 Design 2D	3	N/A
ART 104 Art Principles and Practice	3	ART 127 Design 3D*	3	N/A
ART 105 Visual Art Seminar	1	No equivalent	--	--
<b>Visual Art Major – 35 hours</b>				
Visual Art Concentration: (23 hours) – Any Visual Art (ART, CER, EXM, METL, PNTG, PRNT, SCUL, TD, VAE) or approved studio course classes.				
No KU equivalent but counts as ART U	3	ART 129 Design Color		3
PNTG 263 Painting I	3	ART 135 Painting I		3
No KU equivalent but counts as PNTG U	3	ART 136 Painting II*		3
ART 131 Fundamentals of Ceramics	3	ART 142 Ceramics I		3
CER 208 Ceramics I	3	ART 143 Ceramics II*		3
No KU equivalent but counts as CER U	3	ART 244 Ceramics Workshop I*		3
SCUL 253 Sculpture I	3	ART 145 Sculpture I		3
No KU equivalent but counts as SCUL U	3	ART 146 Sculpture II*		3

<b>Visual Art Concentration cont.</b>				
<b>KU Classes</b>	<b>Hrs</b>	<b>JCCC Classes</b>	<b>Hrs</b>	
ART 132 Fundamentals of Metalsmithing/ Jewelry	3	ART 148 Metal and Silversmithing I	3	
No KU equivalent but counts as METL U	3	ART 149 Metal and Silversmithing II*	3	
No KU equivalent but counts as PNTG U	3	ART 172 Watercolor Painting	3	
DRWG 213 Life Drawing I	3	ART 231 Life Drawing I*	3	
No KU equivalent but counts as DRWG U	3	ART 232 Life Drawing II*	3	
PHTO 200 Foundations in Photography	3	PHOT 200 Foundations in Photography	3	
ART 540 Professional Activities Seminar: (3 hours) will be taken at KU.				
History or Art: (12 hours)				
HA 150 History of Western Art: Ancient Through Medieval	3	ARTH 180 Art History: Ancient to Medieval	3	AE 4.2, GE 3H
HA 151 History of Western Art: Renaissance to Contemporary	3	ARTH 182 Art History: Renaissance to Modern	3	N/A
HA Electives (numbered 300 or higher): (6 hours) – will be taken at KU.				
ART 599 Individual Studies in Visual Art: (3 hours) – will be taken at KU. <i>This course also satisfies the KU Core Goal 6 Integration &amp; Creativity and Major Requirement.</i>				
Electives or possible minor course 300+: (21 hours) – will be taken at KU.				

\* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

**KU Core Requirements** The KU Core comprises three general education goals and three advanced education goals. The general education goals are best met early in a student’s career. The advanced education goals are most appropriately acquired using the foundation of knowledge gained from the general education goals and progression through the major. Courses can be used to satisfy one Core goal at a time but may satisfy a major requirement and a core goal. Students that complete the A.A. at JCCC meet the KU Core Goals 1-3. To learn more about courses that satisfy the KU Core visit: <https://credittransfer.ku.edu/>

KU Core Goal GE 1.1	<a href="#">See list for Goal GE 1.1</a>
KU Core Goal GE 1.2	<a href="#">See list for Goal GE 1.2</a>
KU Core Goal GE 2.2	<a href="#">See list for Goal GE 2.2</a>
KU Core Goal GE 3N	<a href="#">See list for Goal GE 3N</a>
KU Core Goal GE 3S	<a href="#">See list for Goal GE 3S</a>
KU Core Goal AE 4.1	<a href="#">See list for Goal AE 4.1</a>
KU Core Goal AE 5.1	<a href="#">See list for Goal AE 5.1</a>