

San José City College
Associate in Science Degree
2016-2017

ART

San José City College offers both an Associate in Arts (AA) and an Associate in Science (AS) in Art degree. Students planning to follow a transfer pattern should use the Associate in Arts degree. The Associate in Science has 2 possible areas of emphasis: Drawing and Painting or Photography. This program can lead to employment in some specialized fields listed below. 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.

Upon the completion of this program the students will be able to:

- 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.

CAREER OPTIONS:

Advertising Photography
Darkroom Technician
Fashion Design and Illustration
Fine Art Framer
Floral Arranger and Designer
Interior Designer
Illustrator
Portrait photography
Printing press work
Silk screen tee-shirts and banners
Textile Designer
Window and Retail Display

RELATED OCCUPATIONS:

Animation
Architecture
Art Education and Teaching
Art Direction
Film and Video Production
Home/Commercial Building Painting
Home Contracting and Remodeling Design
Industrial Ceramics Technician
Landscaping
Marketing and Advertising
Medical Illustration
Photo Journalism
Service Bureau Technician

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, SEE A COUNSELOR, VISIT THE CAREER/TRANSFER CENTER, OR CONTACT:

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AS ART
Emphasis in Drawing and Painting
Emphasis in Photography

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<u>MAJOR REQUIREMENTS:</u>		<u>UNITS</u>
ART 012	Two Dimensional Design	3
ART 013	Three Dimensional Design	3
ART 014	Color Theory	3
ART 024	Beginning Drawing	3
ART 091	Survey of Art History: Prehistoric through Gothic	3
ART 092	Survey of Art History: Renaissance to the Present	3
Plus one of the following courses:		
ART 025	Expressive Drawing - or -	3
ART 026	Intermediate Drawing	
TOTAL		21

PLUS AREA OF EMPHASIS - Select one of the following areas: non-duplicated course work

Drawing and Painting

ART 055A	Life Drawing I	3
ART 055B	Life Drawing II	3
ART 060	Beginning Painting I	3
ART 061	Beginning Painting II	3
Plus one of the following unduplicated courses:		
ART 025	Expressive Drawing - or -	3
ART 026	Intermediate Drawing	
TOTAL		15

Photography

PHOTO 022	Beginning Photography	3
PHOTO 062	Intermediate Photography	3
PHOTO 076	Photoshop I	3
PHOTO 079	Beginning Digital Photography	3
PHOTO 098	Directed Study	3
TOTAL		15

A.S. DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS AND AREA OF EMPHASIS	36
GENERAL EDUCATION PATTERN/GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS	24
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY	<u>1</u>
TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS	61