Transfer Guide for San Diego City College

The Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) Degree:

A maximum of thirty (30) semester units can be applied towards the Liberal Arts course requirements at the Academy of Art University.

Nine (9) units of transfer level art classes that are related to Academy of Art University majors can also be transferred as art elective units.

A maximum of thirty (30) units may be transferred in combination of Liberal Arts and Art Elective transfer awards.

Department Directors may transfer additional units based on portfolio review. These units do not count towards the 30 unit maximum mentioned above. However, a maximum of 66 units may be transferred in total towards the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree.

Courses must be reported on an official transcript and must have a record grade of “C” or higher to qualify for transfer credit.

Transfer Guides are subject to change at the discretion of the Academy of Art University. We reserve the right to make updates/changes at any time. Student will be held to the catalog requirements and or the curriculum in effect during their first semester of matriculation at the Academy of Art University.

The Academy of Art University agrees to accept the following San Diego City College courses in lieu of the Academy of Art University Liberal Arts courses listed. This transfer guide is not reciprocal. San Diego City College does not agree to accept Academy of Art University’s courses.

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**LIBERAL ARTS CORE TO BE TAKEN BY ALL BFA MAJORS (21 units):**

**ENGLISH COMPOSITION (9 units):**

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<td>LA 108: English Composition - Composition for the Artist</td>
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<td>LA 110: English Composition – Narrative Storytelling</td>
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<td>LA 202: English Composition – Research, Footnotes, Bibliog.</td>
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**ART HISTORY (9 units):**

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<td>LA 120 Art History thru 15th Century</td>
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**U.S. HISTORY (3 units):**

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LA 270 U.S. History (1865 to the present)  
HIST 110

**LIBERAL ARTS ELECTIVE BY ADVISEMENT (24 units)**:

*Choose any 8 of these classes to complete the Liberal Arts Requirement*

LA 171 Western Civilization  
HIST 105  
LA 175 Astronomy  
ASTR 101  
LA 238 World Literature  
ENGL 221  
LA 255 College Math  
MATH 118  
LA 260 Beginning French  
FREN 101  
LA 262 Intermediate French  
FREN 201

LA 267 Beginning Italian  
ITAL 101  
LA 268 Beginning Spanish  
SPAN 101  
LA 269 Intermediate Italian  
ITAL 201  
LA 273 Intermediate Spanish  
SPAN 201  
LA 280 Perspective Journalism  
JOUR 210A (3 units)  
LA 287 Product Sales and Promotion  
MARK 100  
LA 290 Fund. Professional Communication  
BUSE 119  
LA 303 Philosophy  
PHIL 100  
LA 312 Creative Writing  
ENGL 249  
LA 347 Business Law  
BUSE 140  
LA 359 Sociology  
SOCO 101  
LA 365 General Psychology  
PSYC 101  
LA 368 Anthropology  
ANTH 103

**ART ELECTIVES (9 units)**:

There are 3 classes or 9 units of Art Electives that student must take to fulfill a Bachelor’s degree graduation requirement. Art Elective courses are studio classes where students receive direct hands on experience. Students choose Art Elective classes that are of interest to them and don’t necessarily have to be related to your major. Some examples of Art Elective courses are Introduction to Ceramics, Introduction to Photography, Introduction to Graphic Design etc.

*Please note: The Liberal Arts courses listed represent some of the most popular classes that students can transfer into the Academy of Art University. Not all of these classes are a requirement for all programs of study.

Interested transfer students should consult the Academy of Art University catalog as well as an Admissions Representative at the Academy of Art University for necessary curriculum requirements, as course requirements may change after printing of the catalog.

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