

## **GRAPHIC DESIGN**

## Associate in Applied Science Degree – AAS GRD

**Program Locations: Fairhope Campus** 

**Length: Four Semesters** 

This program is designed to prepare students for a career in communication arts and to give students experience with the equipment and methods used in the graphic arts industry.

This is a career program designed for students to go directly into the labor market upon completion. Although some of the courses in this program will transfer to four-year institutions, this program is not designed to be a transfer program of study; therefore, it is not subject to the terms and conditions of Alabama Transfers state transfer and articulation reporting system.

AREA I: Written Composition		3 Total Hours
ENG 101 – English Composition I		3
AREA II: Humanities and Fine Arts		3 Total Hours
ART 100 – Art Appreciation		3
AREA III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics		9-10 Total Hours
CIS 146 – Microcomputer Applications		3
Choose <b>one</b> of the following:  MTH 100 – Intermediate College Algebra  MTH 116 – Mathematical Applications		3
Math or Science Elective: Choose <b>one</b> of the following BIO 101 – Introduction to Biology I BIO 102 – Introduction to Biology II BIO 103 – Principles of Biology I CHM 104 – Introduction to Inorganic Chemistry CHM 111 – College Chemistry I CHM 112 – College Chemistry II MTH 100 – Intermediate College Algebra MTH 110 – Finite Mathematics MTH 112 – Precalculus Algebra	MTH 113 – Precalculus Trigonometry MTH 115 – Precalculus Algebra and Trigonometry MTH 116 – Mathematical Applications PHS 111 – Physical Science I PHS 112 – Physical Science II PHY 120 – Introduction to Physics PHY 201 – General Physics I with Trigonometry PHY 202 – General Physics II with Trigonometry	3 – 4
AREA IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences Choose one of the following:		3 Total Hours
ECO 231 – Principles of Macroeconomics ECO 232 – Principles of Microeconomics GEO 100 – World Reg Geography HIS 101 – Western Civilization I HIS 102 – Western Civilization II HIS 121 – World History I HIS 122 – World History II HIS 201 – United States History I	HIS 202 – United States History II POL 200 – Introduction to Political Science POL 211 – American National Government PSY 200 – General Psychology PSY 210 – Human Growth and Development SOC 200 – Introduction to Sociology SOC 210 – Social Problems SPH 116 – Introduction to Interpersonal Communications	3

AREA V: Pre-Professional, Major, and Elective	Courses	43 Total Hours
ART 113 – Drawing I		3
ART 121 – Two Dimensional Composition I		3
ART 175 – Digital Photography		3
ART 220 – Introduction to Computer Graphics		3
ART 253 – Graphic Design I		3
ART 254 – Graphic Design II		3
ART 299 – Art Portfolio		3
CAT 180 – Current Topics in Commercial Art		3
CAT 223 – Electronic Publishing I		3
CAT 224 – Electronic Publishing II		3
CAT 270 – Website Development		3
ART, CAP, CAT, or GRD Electives: Choose three	e courses from the following:	
ART 114 – Drawing II	ART 234 – Painting II	
ART 122 – Two-Dimensional Comp II	ART 275 – Advanced Digital Photography	
ART 178 – Audio-Visual Techniques	CAP 103 – Computer Graphics History	9
ART 203 – Art History I	CAT 123 – Layout and Design	9
ART 204 – Art History II	GRD 292 – Practicum/Coop	
ART 233 – Painting I	, ·	
ORI 101 – Orientation to College <b>or</b> WKO 107 – Workplace Skills Preparation		1
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