FINE ARTS - ASSOCIATE DEGREE

A grade of C- or better is required in the NM Common Core/General Education requirements and Art courses.

Total Credits Required for Degree: 60

**Area I: Communication**
- ENGL 111G  Rhetoric and Composition  4
- COMM 265G  Principles of Human Communication  3
- or COMM 253G  Public Speaking  3
Select one from the following: 3
- ENGL 203G  Business and Professional Communication
- ENGL 211G  Writing in the Humanities and Social Sciences
- ENGL 218G  Technical and Scientific Communication

**Area II: Mathematics**
- MATH 210G  Mathematics Appreciation  3
- or MATH 121G  College Algebra  3

**Area III: Laboratory Science**
Select two courses from the Laboratory Sciences area of the NM Common Core list. 1 8

**Area IV: Social/Behavioral Science**
Select two courses from the Social/Behavioral Sciences area of the NM Common Core list. 1 6

**Area V: Humanities/Fine Art**
Select an additional course from the Humanities/Fine Arts area of the NM Common Core list. 1 3

**Fine Arts Degree Requirements**
- ART 150  Drawing I  3
- ART 155  2-D Fundamentals  3
- ART 156  3-D Fundamentals  3
- ART 260  Introduction to Painting  3
- ART 275  Introduction to Ceramics  3

**Option Area**
- Ceramics/Sculpture or Drawing/Painting Option  9

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1. A full list of NM Common Core Classes (http://catalogs.nmsu.edu/alamogordo/general-information/general-education-new-mexico-common-core) can be found in the General Information section of this catalog.

2. ART 295G Introduction to Art History I and ART 296G Introduction to Art History II can be taken in any order.

3. It is recommended that students take Fine Arts core requirements, specifically ART 150 Drawing I, ART 155 2-D Fundamentals, ART 156 3-D Fundamentals, and begin pathway requirements in their first year.