



Semester 1	Credits	Success Marker
ART 100 Drawing Foundation I	3	
ART 103 3-D Foundation	3	
ARTH 282/292*	3	
Foundational Studies	3	
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Total hours	15	

Notes/Comments: *May count as BFA and Knowledge Domain credit*

Semester 2	Credits	Success Marker
ART 102 2-D Foundation	3	
ARTS 341 Beginning Ceramics	3	
ARTH 282/292*	3	
Foundational Studies	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Total hours	15	

Notes/Comments: *May count as BFA and Knowledge Domain credit*

Semester 3	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 346 Intermediate Ceramics	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
Foundational Studies	3	
ARTH Elective	3	
Total hours	15	

Notes/Comments:

Semester 4	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 346 Intermediate Ceramics	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Total hours	15	

Notes/Comments: **BFA Portfolio Review**

Semester 5	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 346 Intermediate Ceramics	3	
ARTS 346 Intermediate Ceramics	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
ARTH Elective	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Total hours	15	

Notes/Comments:

Semester 6	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 446 Ceramics	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
Core Studio Requirement	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
University Elective	3	
Total hours	15	

Notes/Comments:

Semester 7	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 446 Ceramics	3	• Apply for graduation (2/1 for May, 6/15 for August, or 9/1 for December)
ARTS 446 Ceramics	3	
ARTS/ARTD 300/400 Elective	3	
University Elective	3	
University Elective	3	
Total hours	15	

Notes/Comments:

Semester 8	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 446 Ceramics	3	*Area of Study requirement
ARTS 405 Interdisciplinary Seminar	3	
ARTS 406 Senior Project	3	
University Elective	3	
University Elective	3	
Total hours	15	

Notes/Comments:

Notes/Comments: This is an example of what a four-year plan could look like for a typical incoming freshman. It should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor each semester to discuss course scheduling. All requirements are subject to change by NIU.