

Art Education Major (Grades K-12)

In addition to fulfilling requirements for the B.A. or B.F.A., you will complete a major in Art Education by taking the following courses. All of the courses listed below, with the exception of Educational Psychology 210, Art Education 301, 302, and 303, are restricted and require admittance to the Teacher Education Program before you may register for them. A minimum 2.80 GPA in the major is required.

	CREDITS
<i>Prior to Teacher Education Program Admission:</i>	
___ Educational Psychology 210 "Psychoeducational Issues in Human Development"	3
___ Art Education 301 "Foundations of Art Education"	3
___ Art Education 302 "Multiculturalism in Visual Art"	3
___ Art Education 303 "Concepts of Sculpture And Crafts"	3
<i>Following Teacher Education Program Admission</i>	
___ Th. and Practice in Teacher Education 486 "Introduction to Instructional Computing"	3
___ Educational Psychology 401 "Professional Studies: Applied Educational Psychology"	3
___ Special Education 402 "Professional Studies: Special Education And Diverse Learners"	3
___ Art Education 350 "Field Experience"	1
___ Art Education 400 "Curriculum Planning And Teaching Strategies"	3

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**Courses in bold are restricted until you have been admitted into the teacher education program.

In order to meet licensure requirements, the student *must* complete a history course. It is recommended that the student take the course from the "Cultures and Civilizations" list under the General Education curriculum.

The Professional Year

The following conditions must be met to progress to the professional year (coursework and internship):

- B.A./B.F.A. degree conferred
- Minimum 2.50 GPA in major
- Minimum 2.80 GPA in professional education
- Minimum 2.70 cumulative GPA, all college work

The following chart lists required internship coursework

COURSE TITLE	CREDITS	
	FALL	SPRING
___ED.574 "Analysis of Teaching for Professional Development"	2	
___ED.575 "Professional Internship in Teaching"	4	8
___ED.591 "Clinical Studies"		4
___Art Education 530 "Production and Critical Analysis of Art"	3	
___Art Education 540 "Instructional Material and Production Related to the Teaching of Art"	3	
TOTAL CREDITS	12	12

Teacher licensure is granted:

1. At the successful completion of the professional year, and
2. Passing appropriate Praxis II examinations
 - To complete the master's degree, twelve (12) additional credits may be completed either before or after the conclusion of the professional year.
 - The credits must be completed within a five-year period following the professional year.

The University of Tennessee

Art Education Teacher Licensure Program

Learn about...

- Earning a B.A. or B.F.A. from the School of Art in the College of Arts and Sciences
- Simultaneously earning an Art Education major from the CEHHS
- Licensure Requirements
- Program Admissions Requirements
- The 5th year internship
- Completing a M.S. degree



College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences
Office of Professional Licensure
332 Bailey Education Complex
Call (865) 974-8194 to schedule a teacher education
advising appointment
<http://web.utk.edu/~cehhsstu/advising/default.html>

General Program Information

- At the end of four years, Art Education students will have earned two majors: A Studio Art major (B.A. or B.F.A.) from the School of Art in the College of Arts and Sciences, and an Art Education major from the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences.
- Completion of Art Education 301 is highly recommended prior to applying for the Teacher Education Program.
- To be eligible to complete restricted course work in the Art Education major, students must gain formal admission to the Teacher Education Program, which typically occurs during the sophomore or junior year.

Academic Advising for the Art Education Major

- A clear understanding of the information found in this brochure will assist you with effective and efficient advising.
- Students are responsible to seek advisement in both the College of Arts and Sciences and the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences Advising Center.
- Students should contact the School of Art office their second semester at the University of Tennessee for advisement in their studio major (B.A./B.F.A.).
- Once declared or admitted to portfolio, it is required that students be advised in the School of Art by a faculty member in their intended studio concentration.
- Once admitted into the Teacher Education Program, students will be assigned to a faculty advisor in the Art Education program.

Admission to the Teacher Education Program

Teacher preparation at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville is a five year process. Prior to interviewing students must:

- Complete a speech and hearing screening
 - Screenings occur prior to classes each semester in August and January
 - Check in room 309 Bailey Education Complex between 9:00-12:00 or 1:00-4:00 (no appointment needed) to complete a scan form required for the screening.
- Achieve satisfactory Praxis I (PPST) scores (if applicable**). Passing scores on the Praxis I: PPST are:
 - Math 173; Reading 174; Writing 173**students with an Enhanced ACT (ENACT) Composite score of 22 or an RSAT Composite Score of 1020 are exempt
- Complete 45 semester hours of coursework
- Maintain a 2.70 cumulative GPA

Factors Affecting Program Admission

- **GPA:** An overall GPA of 2.70 is required
- **Your creative ability:** You will be required to bring three or four works of art (both 2D and 3D) to the Admissions board interview. Slides, electronic images (notify in advance), and/or photographs are acceptable, but you should try to bring at least one actual work of art. Art works can be from the concentration area, coursework, and/or from areas in which you demonstrate competence. A variety of media is fine.
- **Experience with young people:** This can be obtained through Education 100, volunteer work with community groups, e.g., Boys and Girls Club, YMCA, Big Brother programs, Full-Service Schools Program at UTK.
- **Interview Skills:** Demonstration of strong interview skills. You may want to complete a mock interview through Career Services (career.utk.edu).

Art Education Highlights

- The Art Education program assists students to become educators as leaders by preparing them to be “ready for the world” through coursework that addresses the needs of diverse learners. Issues of diversity including English language learners are addressed in Art Education classes through readings, discussions and reflections. Students complete their preparation through field and internship placements in a variety of diverse school settings.
- Students in Art Education have exhibitions of their artwork in the Cookie Aytes Elliott Art Education Gallery, in addition to their field experience and yearlong internship.
- The Student Chapter of the National Art Education Association at UTK is an active organization concentrating on providing effective transition from art education preparation to professional practice.

Location

College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences, Office of Professional Licensure (Teacher Education Advising)

332 Jane & David Bailey Education Complex
(865)974-8194
http://web.utk.edu/%7Ecehhsstu/teacher_ed_lic/default.html

For additional information on Art Education:
http://web.utk.edu/~tpte/art_ed/default.html

School of Art

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