

Degree:	Bachelor of Arts	Credits required for degree:	120
Major:	Fine Arts	Credits required in major:	45

1st Semester Courses	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
ARTS 105 Foundation Studio	3	ARTS 103 Art Now! Art and Art History Speakers	1
ARTS Foundation Skills (select 3 one credit courses)	3	ARTS 210 Drawing I	3
ARTH 105 Introduction to Visual Culture	3	ARTS Foundation Skills (select 3 one credit courses)	3
ENGL 111 Writing and Rhetoric I (Core/LAS)	3	ARTH 110 Art History Survey: Prehistoric to Modern	3
FEXP 1** Columbia Experience (FSE/Core)	3	ENGL 112 Writing and Rhetoric II (Core/LAS)	3
		Columbia Core / LAS Requirement (Math)	3
3rd Semester Courses	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
ARTS 220 Painting I	3	ARTS 103 Art Now! Art and Art History Speakers	1
ARTS 240 Sculpture I	3	ARTS 230 Printmaking I	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	ARTS 250 New Genres I	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective / Minor Requirement	3	Columbia Core / Columbia Experience	3
		College-Wide Elective / Minor Requirement	3
5th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	15
ARTS 103 Art Now! Art and Art History Speakers	1	ARTS Major Elective (300 Level Studio Course)	3
ARTS 299 Topics in Studio Art I	3	College-Wide Elective (suggested ARTH 310 Contemporary Art)	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / Columbia Experience	3
College-Wide Elective / Minor Requirement	3	College-Wide Elective / Minor Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	3		
7th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	8th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	12
ARTS 450 Senior Fine Arts Studio	3	ARTS Major Elective (300 Level Studio Course)	3
ARTS 463 Professional Practices in the Arts	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	College-Wide Elective / Minor Requirement	3
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Notes:

This degree plan is a suggested sequence only. Students should work with their Academic Advisors and Departments to develop unique individual plans.

The 42 credits required in the Columbia Core include the Essential Liberal Arts and Sciences (33 LAS Credits) and the Columbia Experience (9 credits).

Students are advised to complete their Writing and Rhetoric and Mathematics Requirements by the time they earn 45 credits (or within the first 3 semesters).

Major Electives include courses required to finish a major, and students will choose from a list of major electives in the course catalog.

College-Wide Electives include all courses and credits not specifically applied towards the Columbia Core or Major Requirements/Electives.

Students are encouraged to consider declaring a Minor to complete their required College-Wide Elective credits.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is a minimum of 12 attempted credits per term, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-16 attempted credits.

Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each term for financial reasons and also to complete their degree (120-128 credits) in a timely fashion.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Requirement (6 credits) and a minimum of 9 credits at the 200 or higher level in the Columbia Core.