

Degree:	Bachelor of Fine Arts	Credits required for degree:	128
Major:	Traditional Animation	Credits required in major:	72

1st Semester Courses	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
ANIM 101 Animation Foundations	3	ANIM 106 History of Animation	3
ANIM 105 Introduction to Traditional Animation	3	ANIM 201 Storyboarding for Animation	3
ENGL 111 Writing and Rhetoric I (Core/LAS)	3	ENGL 112 Writing and Rhetoric II (Core/LAS)	3
FEXP 1** Columbia Experience (FSE/Core)	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement (Math)	3
College-Wide Elective	3	College-Wide Elective / Minor Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	1	College-Wide Elective / Minor Requirement	1
3rd Semester Courses	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
ANIM 210 Drawing for Animation I	3	ANIM 310 Drawing for Animation II	3
ANIM 213 Animation Layout	3	ILLU 204 Figure Drawing	3
ARTS 210 Drawing I	3	Major Elective	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / Columbia Experience	3
College-Wide Elective	1	College-Wide Elective	1
5th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
ANIM 330 Digital Animation Techniques (IPC)	3	ANIM 340 Business of Animated Content	3
ARTH 210 20th Century Art History	3	ANIM 382 Animation Preproduction	4
CINE 145 Screenwriting I: Writing the Short Film	3	Cinema Studies Elective	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / Columbia Experience	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	1		
7th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	8th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
ANIM 480 Animation Production Studio I	6	ANIM 481 Animation Production Studio II	6
ANIM 485 Animation Portfolio Development	3	ANIM 482 Animation Solo Project	4
ANIM 482 Animation Solo Project	4	Major Elective	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3

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 be completed 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.