

Tidewater Community College: Associate of Applied Science in Graphic Design  
Old Dominion University: BFA in Graphic Design

2024-2027

AAS Transfer Agreement Guide

Complete at Tidewater Community College					Complete at Old Dominion University		
AAS DEGREE REQUIREMENT		ODU EQUIVALENCY			BACHELOR'S DEGREE REQUIREMENT		
TCC Course	credits	C= Grade C REQ G = Gen ED M = Major REQ	ODU Equivalent Course	Notes	ODU Course	Credits	Notes
ENG 111	3	C G M	ENGL 110C		Liberal Arts Requirement	15	<i>See note 5 on second page*</i>
SDV 100	1		UNIV 100		Nature of Science Requirement	4	<i>See note 5 on second page*</i>
ART 121	3	C M	ARTS 231		MATH 101M	3	<i>MTH 154 if taken at VCCS*</i>
ART 131	3	C M	ARTS 202		ARTS 204	3	
ART 141 & 142	6		ARTS 1ELE & ARTS 1ELE		200, 300, or 400 level ARTS or GDES course	3	
ART 180	3	C M	ARTS 279		300 or 400 level ARTH courses	6	
SS ELE: Take PSY 200 or SOC 200	3	G	PSYC 201S or SOC 201S		ARTH "W" course	3	
ENG 112	3	C G M	ENGL 211C		GDES 371	3	
ART 135	3		ARTS 1ELE		GDES 373	3	
ART 250	3	C M	ARTH 200-Level Survey		GDES 490	3	
ART 102	3	C M	ARTS 1ELE	<i>See note 2 below</i>	GDES 491	3	
PHT 164	3	C M	ARTS 211	<i>See note 3 below</i>	300/400 level Graphic Design electives	12	
ART 208	3	C M	ARTS 2ELE	<i>See note 3 below</i>	Upper-Division General Education	6	
ART 263	3	C M	ARTS 2ELE	<i>See note 3 below</i>			
ART 270	3	C M	ARTS 2ELE	<i>See note 3 below</i>			
ART 267	3	C M	ARTS 2ELE	<i>See note 3 below</i>			
Approved Science with Lab	4	G	Nature of Science I	<i>See note 4 below</i>			
ART 286	3		GNRL 2ELE				
ART ELE: Take ART 132	3	C M	ARTS 203				
Graphic Design ELE	3	C M	ART ELE				
<b>CREDITS PRE-TRANSFER: 62</b>					<b>CREDITS POST-TRANSFER: 67</b>		

Notes (continued on back):

1. GDES 280 will be met with the completed AAS in Graphic Design. Consult with ODU advisor to request waiver.
2. ART 102 will be used to fulfill ARTH 150 requirement for the BFA; for students under this agreement only.
3. PHT 164, ART 208, ART 263, ART 270 and ART 267 will be used to fulfill 12 credits of ARTS electives for the BFA; for students under this agreement only.
4. Choose one course from ODU's VCCS Transfer Guide <http://www.odu.edu/transfer/vccs-transfer-guide.html> in the category of Nature of Science. Please consult with your TCC advisor to select the appropriate course.

5. These courses can be taken at ODU or VCCS. If taken at VCCS, student must choose courses from ODU's VCCS Transfer Guide <http://www.odu.edu/transfer/vccs-transfer-guide.html> 15 credits in any of the following categories: Philosophy and Ethics, Human Creativity, Literature, Interpreting the Past or Foreign Language; and 4 credits in the category of Nature of Science. Remaining lower-division general education requirements are met by completion of all courses outlined in this transfer agreement guide. \*These courses are beyond the completion of the AAS degree.

- Lower-Division General Education waiver and course substitutions are not automatic upon enrollment to ODU, students must notify academic advisor for these to be processed upon verification.
- Course requirements listed in this agreement are based on the 2024-2025 catalogs for each institution but are valid until 2027, unless an updated agreement guide was created and is available on the ODU Transfer Pathways website: <https://odu.edu/transfer/transfer-pathways/vccs>
- Grade of C or higher is required to receive course credit.
- To participate in this transfer agreement guide please visit Old Dominion University's website to complete the Letter of Intent: <http://www.odu.edu/transfer/vccs>
- Completion of this transfer agreement guide alone does not guarantee admission to Old Dominion University. All students must meet the requirements set by the Office of Admissions and the Guaranteed Admissions Agreement (GAA). Please visit [admissions.odu.edu](http://admissions.odu.edu) for more information regarding guaranteed admission to Old Dominion University.
- 120 min. credits required for graduation.
- If you have any questions regarding this agreement, please contact [transfercenters@odu.edu](mailto:transfercenters@odu.edu).

  
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Signature Date

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