



Transfer Guide for Saddleback College

The Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) Degree:

A maximum of thirty (30) semester units can be applied towards the Liberal Arts course requirements at the Academy of Art University.

Nine (9) units of transfer level art classes that are related to Academy of Art University majors can also be transferred as art elective units.

A maximum of thirty (30) units may be transferred in combination of Liberal Arts and Art Elective transfer awards.

Department Directors may transfer additional units based on portfolio review. These units do not count towards the 30 unit maximum mentioned above. However, a maximum of 66 units may be transferred in total towards the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree.

Courses must be reported on an official transcript and must have a record grade of “C” or higher to qualify for transfer credit.

Transfer Guides are subject to change at the discretion of the Academy of Art University. We reserve the right to make updates/changes at any time. Student will be held to the catalog requirements and or the curriculum in effect during their first semester of matriculation at the Academy of Art University.

The Academy of Art University agrees to accept the following Saddleback College courses in lieu of the Academy of Art University Liberal Arts courses listed. This transfer guide is not reciprocal. Saddleback College does not agree to accept Academy of Art University’s courses.

Academy of Art University

Saddleback College

LIBERAL ARTS CORE TO BE TAKEN BY ALL BFA MAJORS (21 units):

ENGLISH COMPOSITION (9 units):

LA 108: English Composition - Composition for the Artist
LA 110: English Composition – Narrative Storytelling
LA 202: English Composition – Research, Footnotes, Bibliog.

ENG 1A
No equivalent course
ENG 1B

ART HISTORY (9 units):

LA 120 Art History thru 15th Century
LA 121 Art History thru 19th Century
LA 222 Art History thru 20th Century

ART 25 and ART 26
Must be taken in residence at AAU
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U.S. HISTORY (3 units):



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LA 270 U.S. History (1865 to the present)

HIST 17

LIBERAL ARTS ELECTIVE BY ADVISEMENT (24 units)*:

Choose any 8 of these classes to complete the Liberal Arts Requirement

LA 140 Music Appreciation	MUSIC 20
LA 175 Astronomy	ASTR 20
LA 238 World Literature	ENG 21B
LA 255 College Algebra	MATH 7
LA 260 Beginning French	FR 1
LA 262 Intermediate French	FR 3
LA 267 Beginning Italian	ITA 1
LA 268 Beginning Spanish	SPAN 1
LA 269 Intermediate Italian	ITA 3
LA 273 Intermediate Spanish	SPAN 3
LA 280 Perspective Journalism	JRN 2
LA 287 Product Sales and Promotion	BUS 135
LA 303 Philosophy	PHIL 1
LA 305 Logic	PHIL 12
LA 312 Creative Writing	ENG 3
LA 325 Physics	PHYS 2A
LA 343 Comparative Religion	PHIL 10
LA 347 Business Law	BUS 12
LA 359 Sociology	SOC 1
LA 365 General Psychology	PSYC 1
LA 368 Anthropology	ANTH 2

ART ELECTIVES (9 units):

There are 3 classes or 9 units of Art Electives that student must take to fulfill a Bachelor's degree graduation requirement. Art Elective courses are studio classes where students receive direct hands on experience. Students choose Art Elective classes that are of interest to them and don't necessarily have to be related to your major. Some examples of Art Elective courses are Introduction to Ceramics, Introduction to Photography, Introduction to Graphic Design etc.

*Please note: The Liberal Arts courses listed represent some of the most popular classes that students can transfer into the Academy of Art University. Not all of these classes are a requirement for all programs of study.

Interested transfer students should consult the Academy of Art University catalog as well as an Admissions Representative at the Academy of Art University for necessary curriculum requirements, as course requirements may change after printing of the catalog.

Academy of Art University is accredited by the Accrediting Commission for Senior Colleges and Universities of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges, 985 Atlantic Avenue #100, Alameda, CA 94501, 501-748-9001.

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