



# The College of Fine Arts University of Texas at Austin

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## 2009-2010 Transfer Guide for Austin Community College Students

### Degree Programs Available

(\* with teacher certification option)

- **Bachelor of Arts** in:  
Art (includes Art History & Studio Art)  
Music  
Theatre & Dance
- **Bachelor of Fine Arts** in:  
Studio Art  
Design  
Visual Art Studies \*  
Theatre Studies \*  
Dance
- **Bachelor of Music** in:  
Composition  
Jazz Composition  
Performance  
Jazz Performance  
Music Business  
Music Studies \*  
Recording Technology

Prospective Fine Arts transfer students are urged to become familiar with the College's curricula and rules in the *Undergraduate Catalog 2008-2010*, available at <http://registrar.utexas.edu/catalogs/>.

Students who transfer directly from a Texas community college may choose to graduate under UT Austin catalog rules in effect during the time they attended the community college; those declaring the 2008-2010 catalog must complete all degree requirements by the end of the summer session 2016. At least sixty semester credit hours must be completed at UT Austin to earn an undergraduate degree.

Prospective students can monitor their UT degree progress – even before transfer – and check degree applicability of Austin Community College courses by using the “Planner” function of UT's Interactive Degree Audit (IDA) system at <http://registrar.utexas.edu/students/degrees/ida/>.

### Use of Transfer Credit Toward Degrees

The Office of Admissions evaluates courses from other institutions for comparability with UT Austin coursework, but the Dean's Office in the College of Fine Arts approves transfer credit for use in a degree program.

- Questions concerning **degree/graduation requirements** and degree applicability of transfer credit should be directed to the Student Affairs Division, College of Fine Arts, DFA 2.4, UT Austin, Austin TX 78712 (512/471-5011). Prospective student information is available at [http://www.finearts.utexas.edu/students/prospective\\_students.cfm](http://www.finearts.utexas.edu/students/prospective_students.cfm).
- Questions concerning **transfer admission** and transfer credit evaluation should be directed to the Office of Admissions, MAI 7, UT Austin, Austin TX 78712 (512/475-7387). Admission information and Transfer Guides for other UT programs are available at <http://bealonghorn.utexas.edu/transfer/>.

### High School Foreign Language Preparation

The University requires all students to have completed two years of high school study in a single foreign language. Transfer students who do not meet this requirement are assessed a **foreign language deficiency**; removal of deficiencies is required for graduation. To remove a deficiency, credit for the second college-level course in a language (numbered 1512) is required. Credit used to remove a deficiency cannot be applied toward other degree requirements. Prospective students should complete coursework needed to satisfy a foreign language deficiency prior to transfer.

### Special Notes

- Admission to the programs in Studio Art, Art History, pre-Design, and Visual Art Studies requires approval from the department's admission committee. Applicants in **Studio Art, pre-Design, or Visual Art Studies must submit a portfolio** containing examples of their best artwork. See <http://bealonghorn.utexas.edu/transfer/admission/majors/fine-arts/> for more information.
- See <http://bealonghorn.utexas.edu/transfer/admission/majors/fine-arts/> for admission information about **required auditions in Music or Dance**.
- Transfer credit in **music performance** (MUAP) may not be counted toward a degree in music until the student has completed additional performance coursework at UT Austin.
- **Core curriculum** transfer credit from A.C.C. is guaranteed to apply toward UT core requirements, but degree plans may specify how some core requirements should be fulfilled. Recommendations in this Guide satisfy core requirements with courses normally required by a student's major field of study at UT.
- Courses in which **grades lower than C-** are earned do not transfer. Grades from transfer credit are excluded from a student's internal **UT Austin grade point average** computation.
- **Physical Education** activity credit counts toward elective degree requirements in the College of Fine Arts at the discretion of the Dean's Office.
- In some degree plans it may be necessary to take **additional lower-division coursework** in subjects listed on the reverse after transferring to UT, because the necessary courses are not offered at A.C.C.

# Courses Recommended for Transfer

*expressed in Austin Community College designations*

## Writing & Literature

ENGL 1301;  
another writing course chosen from ENGL 1302 or 2311; and  
one literature survey course chosen from ENGL 2322, 2323, 2327, 2328, 2332, 2333, or 2342.

## Foreign Language

*For all degrees:* in a single foreign language, either two years of prior high school credit or two college-level semesters chosen from courses numbered 1511 & 1512.  
*For the BA degrees in Art, Music, and Theatre & Dance:* four semesters in a single language, chosen from courses numbered 1511, 1512, 2311, & 2312.  
*For the B.Music in Voice Performance:* FREN 1511 & GERM 1511. First-semester Italian, not offered by A.C.C., is required after transferring to UT Austin.

## U.S. & Texas Government

GOVT 2305 & 2306.  
*(Because A.C.C. and UT Austin organize the two-course legislative requirement sequence differently, it is strongly recommended that students take both courses at one institution.)*

## U.S. History

Two courses chosen from HIST/HIS 1301, 1302, 1643, 2301, 2327, 2328, 2341, and 2381.

## Social Science

*For the B.Music, performance majors:* not required, though elective coursework from the list below is encouraged.  
*For all other degrees and majors:* one course chosen from ANTH 2351, ECON 2301 or 2302, GEOG 1303, PSYC 2301, or SOCI 1301 or 1306. Students pursuing teacher certification should choose PSYC 2301.

## Mathematics

*For the B.Music, Recording Technology major:* MATH 2413+2414+2415.  
*For all other degrees and majors:* 3 semester hours at the content level of College Algebra (MATH 1314) or higher, including MATH 1332.

## Natural Science

*For the B.Music, Recording Technology major:* PHYS 2425+2426.  
*For the B.Music, performance majors:* one course chosen from those listed in Part I, below. Additional elective coursework in natural sciences is encouraged.  
*For all other degrees and majors:*

- Part I – a two-course sequence in one discipline, chosen from ASTR 1303+1304, 1403+1404, 1303+1404, or 1403+1304; BIOL 1406+1407, 1408+1409, or 2304+2305; CHEM 1311+1312; GEOL 1403+1404; or PHYS 1401+1402, 1405+1407, or 2425+2426.
- Part II – a third course in a second discipline, chosen from those above and from ANTH 2301 or 2302; BIOL 1309, 1424, or 2306; CHEM 1305; GEOG 1301; or GEOL 1301, 1345, or 1445. MATH (excluding 1314 and credit used for the core mathematics requirement) is also applicable, but after credit in any calculus course is earned only courses for which calculus is a prerequisite can be counted

## Fine Arts

*For all degree programs:* in addition to courses listed below, two courses outside the student's major department chosen from ARTS 1301, DRAM 1310, & MUSI 1306.  
*For the BFA in Studio Art:* ARTS 1303, 1304, 1311, 1312, 1316, 2316, & 2356; one course chosen from ARTS 1317 or 2323; and one course chosen from ARTS 2326, 2341, or 2346.  
*For the BFA in Design:* ARTS 1303, 1304, 1311, 1312, & 1316; and 3 additional semester hours in studio art coursework.  
*For the BFA in Visual Art Studies:* ARTS 1303, 1304, 1311, 1312, 1316, 1317 (or 2323), 2316, & 2346; and up to 6 additional semester hours in studio art coursework.  
*For the BA in Art:* ARTS 1303, 1304, & 1316. For the studio art major add ARTS 1311 & 1312 and up to 6 additional semester hours in studio art coursework.  
*For the BFA in Dance:* up to 6 semester hours in DANC 1141 & 1142; up to 6 semester hours in DANC 1245 & 1246; up to 4 semester hours in DANC 1251; and up to 6 semester hours in DRAM 1120.  
*For the BFA in Theatre Studies:* DRAM 1330, 1351, 1352, 2331, & 2351; and up to 6 semester hours in DRAM 1120.  
*For the BA in Theatre & Dance:* DRAM 1330 & 1351; and up to 6 semester hours in DRAM 1120.  
*For the B.Music:* MUSI 1308, 1311, 1312, 2116, 2118, 2311, & 2312; four semesters in a principal instrument (MUAP); and four semesters in ensemble (MUEN).  
*For the BA in Music:* MUSI 1308, 1311, 1312, 2311, & 2312; two semesters in a principal instrument (MUAP); and four semesters in ensemble (MUEN).