

**ARTS, HUMANITIES, COMMUNICATION & DESIGN**

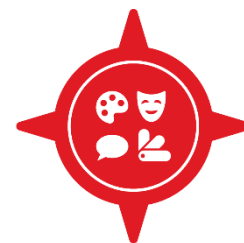
**GUIDED PATHWAY: VISUAL COMMUNICATIONS – WEB DESIGN AND GRAPHICS CERTIFICATE**

For more information, visit <https://www.dcccd.edu/visualcom> and your academic advisor at Brookhaven College.

This is an example course sequence for students interested in pursuing the Visual Communications-Web Design and Graphics Certificate. It does not represent a contract, nor does it guarantee course availability. Following this pathway will help you earn a Visual Communications-Web Design and Graphics Certificate<sup>2</sup>. Courses from this certificate may apply to the related AAS degree. Gainful employment information for this certificate can be found at [https://www1.dcccd.edu/catalog/programs/degree\\_gei.cfm?a=379](https://www1.dcccd.edu/catalog/programs/degree_gei.cfm?a=379). For official certificate requirements, [click here](#).

This curriculum is designed to provide the skills necessary for an entry-level position as a Web Designer. Emphasis is upon the visual presentation of websites including concept development, page and navigation design and the preparation of graphics and images as well as the technical skills and software applications required in web page construction. Courses that complete the Certificate (C) are noted below.

Students pursuing this certificate are waived from the [Texas Success Initiative \(TSI\)](#) standards, but must meet course prerequisites, as long as the student completes the TSI waiver form prior to enrollment.



ONLY Offered at BHC

**SEMESTER-BY-SEMESTER MAP FOR FULL-TIME STUDENTS<sup>3</sup>**

*ALL MAPS CAN BE MODIFIED TO FIT THE NEEDS OF PART-TIME STUDENTS*

C	SEMESTER 1	ACTION ITEMS
♦	ARTC 1302 - Digital Imaging I	<input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your advisor to confirm academic and career goals before the end of the semester. <input type="checkbox"/> Meet with a career advisor or coach to research your career options and opportunities for job shadowing.
♦	ARTS 1311 - Design I <i>OR</i> ARTC 1305 - Basic Graphic Design	
♦	ARTC 1309 - Basic Illustration	
♦	ARTC 1353 - Computer Illustration	
♦	IMED 1316 - Web Design I	

**TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 15**

C	SEMESTER 2	ACTION ITEMS
♦	ARTC 1317 - Design Communication I	<input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your advisor to request an official program of study audit, confirm or update your academic/career path and program of study. <input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your advisor to apply for the Visual Communications Web Design and Graphics Certificate.
♦	ITSE 1301 - Web Design Tools	
♦	IMED 1345 - Interactive Digital Media I	
♦	IMED 2313 - Project Analysis and Design	
♦	IMED 2315 - Web Design II	

**TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 15**

**CERTIFICATE MINIMUM: 30 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS | PATHWAY TOTAL: 30 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS**

<sup>1</sup> Degree plans may change in later catalogs. You may use this pathway if you entered one of the seven colleges on or before this date.

<sup>2</sup> Students must earn at least 25% of the credit hours required for graduation through instruction by one of the seven DCCCD colleges awarding the certificate.

<sup>3</sup> This is not an official degree plan. For official certificate requirements, [click here](#).

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