



This roadmap is a recommended semester-by-semester plan of study for this major. However, courses and milestones designated as critical (in boldface and shaded areas) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation.

Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Min. Grade	Important Notes
Semester One: [13-15 Credit Hours]			
US 10097 Destination Kent State: FYE	1		
Kent Core Composition**	3		Enrollment based on placement tests
Kent Core Humanities	3		
Kent Core Mathematics and Critical Reasoning	3-5		Enrollment based on placement tests
Kent Core Social Sciences	3		
Semester Two: [13-14 Credit Hours]			
US 20008 Career Construction (Optional)	1		7-½ weeks, recommended for exploring your career options
Kent Core Additional	3		
Kent Core Basic Sciences	2-3		
Kent Core Basic Sciences Laboratory	1		
Kent Core Social Sciences	3		
Kent Core Fine Arts	3		
Semester Three: [16-18 Credit Hours]			
US 20009 Career and Life Planning (Optional)	1		7-½ weeks, recommended for exploring your career options
Kent Core Composition**	3		Enrollment based on placement tests
Kent Core Additional	3		
Kent Core Basic Sciences	3		
Kent Core Humanities and Fine Arts	3		
Elective or Foreign Language (Elementary I)	3-5		

Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Overall GPA
45	2.0

**Honors College students will take HONR10197 and 10297 in *semesters 1 and 2*, in lieu of KC Composition in semesters 1 and 3.

Kent Core Summary

Kent Core Categories	Important Notes	Remaining Credit Hours
Additional (6 credit hours) <i>Must be selected from two Kent Core categories</i>		6
Basic Sciences (6-7 credit hours) <i>Must include one laboratory</i>		6-7
Composition (6-8 credit hours)	Enrollment based on placement test	6-8
Humanities and Fine Arts (9 credit hours) <i>Minimum one course from humanities in Arts and Sciences category and minimum one course from fine arts category</i>		9
Mathematics and Critical Reasoning (3-5 credit hours)	Enrollment based on placement test	3-5
Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <i>Must be selected from two curricular areas</i>		6

Kent Core

Students must complete a minimum 36 credit hours of the Kent Core. Certain courses required in programs and in student's major field may also fulfill the Kent Core. Honors equivalents shall satisfy the Kent Core. None of the courses on the Kent Core list may be taken with a pass/fail grade. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core for course list.

Diversity Course Requirement

Students must complete a two-course diversity requirement, consisting of one with a domestic (U.S.) focus and one with a global focus. One course must come from the Kent Core. The second course may be taken as a second Kent Core, within a major or minor, or as a general elective; or, with dean's approval, by completing one semester of study in another country. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/diversity for course list.



Writing-Intensive Course Requirement

Students must complete a one-course writing-intensive requirement in their major and earn minimum C (2.00) grade.

Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/wic for course list.

Upper-Division Requirement

Students must complete a minimum 39 upper-division (numbered 30000 to 49999) credit hours of coursework. Programs in the College of Arts and Sciences require a minimum of 42 hours of upper-division coursework.

Foreign Language

Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/foreign-languages for course list.

Major	Degree	Minimum Hours toward Degree
Architectural Studies	BA	125
Architecture	BS	125
Art Education	BA	128
Art History	BA	123
Crafts (Ceramics)	BFA	125
Crafts (Glass)	BFA	125
Crafts (Jewelry and Metals)	BFA	125
Crafts (Textile Arts)	BFA	125
Crafts or Fine Arts (Crafts)	BA	125
Crafts or Fine Arts (Fine Arts)	BA	125
Fashion Design (Conceptual Design)	BA	126
Fashion Design (Technical Design and Production)	BA	127
Fashion Merchandising	BS	121
Fine Arts (Drawing)	BFA	125
Fine Arts (Interdisciplinary – Drawing/Painting)	BFA	125
Fine Arts (Interdisciplinary – Drawing/Sculpture)	BFA	125
Fine Arts (Interdisciplinary – Painting/Printmaking)	BFA	125
Fine Arts (Interdisciplinary – Painting/Sculpture)	BFA	125
Fine Arts (Interdisciplinary – Printmaking/Drawing)	BFA	125
Fine Arts (Interdisciplinary – Sculpture/Printmaking)	BFA	125
Fine Arts (Painting)	BFA	125
Fine Arts (Printmaking)	BFA	125
Fine Arts (Sculpture)	BFA	125
General Studies	BGS	121
Individualized Major	BA	121
Interior Design	BA	130
Photo Illustration	BS	127
Technology (Computer Design, Animation and Game Design) for associate graduates	BS	123
Theatre Studies (Design/Technology)	BFA	129
Visual Communication Design	BA	130
Visual Communication Design (2D Graphic Design)	BFA	136
Visual Communication Design (2D Graphic Design) – BS/MA	BS	By invitation; student will follow BFA program for first 96 hours
Visual Communication Design (3D Graphic Design)	BFA	136
Visual Communication Design (3D Graphic Design) – BS/MA	BS	By invitation; student will follow BFA program for first 96 hours
Visual Communication Design (Illustration)	BFA	136
Visual Communication Design (Illustration) – BS/MA	BS	By invitation; student will follow BFA program for first 96 hours
Visual Journalism (Information Design)	BS	124
Visual Journalism (Photojournalism)	BS	124