

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	Upper Div.	Min. Grade	Major GPA	Important Notes
<b>Semester One: [16 Credit Hours]</b>					
<b>AED 10001 Design Thinking I</b>	2		<b>C</b>	■	
<b>AED 10101 Design Foundations Studio I</b>	3		<b>C</b>	■	
<b>ID 14011 Introduction to Interior Design</b>	1		<b>C</b>	■	
ARTH 22007 Art History II: Renaissance to Modern Art	3				Fulfills Kent Core Fine Arts
COMM 15000 Introduction to Human Communication	3				Fulfills Kent Core Additional
PSYC 11762 General Psychology or SOC 12050 Introduction to Sociology	3				Fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences
US 10097 Destination Kent State: First Year Experience	1				Not required of transfer students with 25 credits
<b>Semester Two: [17 Credit Hours]</b>					
<b>Note: submission of portfolio of creative accomplishments at end of final exam week</b>					
<b>AED 10002 Design Thinking II</b>	2		<b>C</b>	■	
<b>AED 10102 Design Foundations Studio II</b>	3		<b>C</b>	■	
<b>ID 14012 Design and Human Behavior</b>	3		<b>C</b>	■	
ARCH 10012 Survey of Architectural History II	3			■	Fulfills Kent Core Fine Arts
MATH 11010 Algebra for Calculus	3				Fulfills Kent Core Mathematics and Critical Reasoning
Kent Core Requirement	3				Course taken should be ENG 11011 College Writing I (or equivalent); see Kent Core Summary on page 2
<b>Semester Three: [15 Credit Hours]</b>					
<b>ID 24001 Interior Design Studio I: Space Planning and Human Factors</b>	3		<b>C</b>	■	
<b>ID 24011 Methods and Materials I: Building Systems</b>	3		<b>C</b>	■	
<b>ID 24021 Integrated Digital Applications</b>	3		<b>C</b>	■	
TECH 11071 Woods Technology I	3			■	
Kent Core Requirement	3				Course taken should be ENG 21011 College Writing II (or equivalent); see Kent Core Summary on page 2
<b>Semester Four: [17 Credit Hours]</b>					
<b>ID 24002 Interior Design Studio II: Detailing and Fabrication</b>	3		<b>C</b>	■	
<b>ID 24012 Codes and Standards for Interior Design</b>	3		<b>C</b>	■	
<b>ID 24013 History of Interiors I: Ancient to 15<sup>th</sup> Century</b>	3		<b>C</b>	■	
<b>ID 24022 3D Modeling and Rendering</b>	2		<b>C</b>	■	
TECH 31015 Construction Technology	3	■		■	
Kent Core Requirement	3				
<b>Semester Five: [18 Credit Hours]</b>					
<b>Requirement: Kent Core Composition courses (6-8 credit hours) must be completed</b>					
<b>ID 34001 Interior Design Studio III: Large Scale Planning and Documentation</b>	4	■	<b>C</b>	■	
<b>ID 34011 Lighting for Interior Spaces</b>	3	■		■	
<b>ID 34021 Lighting for Interior Spaces Laboratory</b>	1	■		■	
<b>ID 34012 Methods and Materials II: Interior Materials</b>	3	■		■	
<b>ID 34013 Interior Design Business and Professional Practice</b>	3	■	<b>C</b>	■	
<b>ID 34022 Methods and Materials II: Interior Materials Laboratory</b>	1	■	<b>C</b>	■	
<b>ID 34023 Personal Branding and Image Making</b>	3	■	<b>C</b>	■	

**Critical requirements are boldface in shaded areas**

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<b>Semester Six: [16 Credit Hours]</b>					
<b>ID 34002 Interior Design Studio IV: Global and Historical Context</b>	4	■	C	■	
<b>ID 44014 History of Interiors II: 16<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> Century</b>	3	■	C	■	
<b>ID 44611 Interior Design Research and Programming</b>	2	■	C	■	
<b>ID 44612 Interior Specifications and Cost Analysis</b>	3	■	C	■	
<b>ID 44631 Inquiry for Evidence-Based Design</b>	1	■	C	■	<b>Fulfills writing intensive course requirement</b>
ECON 22060 Principles of Microeconomics	3				Fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences
<b>Semester Seven: [16 Credit Hours]</b>					
<b>ID 44001 Interior Design Studio V: Specialized Focus and Populations</b>	5	■	C	■	
<b>ID 44011 Integrated Design Practice and Project Management</b>	2	■	C	■	
<b>ID 44015 History of Interiors III: 20<sup>th</sup> Century to Present</b>	3	■	C	■	
MKTG 25010 Principles of Marketing	3			■	
Kent Core Requirement	3				See Kent Core Summary below
<b>Semester Eight: [16 Credit Hours]</b>					
<b>ID 44002 Interior Design Studio VI: Community Engagement</b>	5	■	C	■	
<b>ID 44041 Current Issues in Interior Design</b>	1	■	C	■	
<b>ID 44592 Professional Interior Design Internship</b>	1	■	C	■	<b>Fulfills experiential learning requirement</b>
MKTG 45046 Personal Selling or MKTG 45082 Retailing and Web-Based Merchandising	3	■		■	
Kent Core Requirement	3				See Kent Core Summary below
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**Graduation Requirements Summary**

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Upper-Division Hours	Minimum Kent Core Hours	Global / Domestic Diversity Course	Writing-Intensive	Experiential Learning	Minimum	
						Major GPA	Overall GPA
131	39	36	Kent Core	ID 44631	ID 44592	2.500	2.000

**Kent Core Summary**

Kent Core Categories	Important Notes	Remaining Credit Hours
<b>Composition (6-8 credit hours)</b> <i>ENG 11011, 11002, 21011; HONR 10197, 10297</i>	Enrollment based on placement test <b>(must be taken in semesters 1, 2, 3 and/or 4)</b>	6-8
<b>Mathematics and Critical Reasoning (3-5 credit hours)</b>	Fulfilled in this major with MATH 11010	0
<b>Humanities and Fine Arts (9 credit hours)</b> <i>Minimum one course from humanities in Arts and Sciences and minimum one course from fine arts</i>	6 credits of Fine Arts courses fulfilled in this major with ARCH 10012 and ARTH 22007	3
<b>Social Sciences (6 credit hours)</b> <i>Must be selected from two curricular areas</i>	Fulfilled in this major with ECON 22060, and PSYC 11762 or SOC 12050	0
<b>Basic Sciences (6-7 credit hours)</b> <i>Must include one laboratory</i>		6-7
<b>Additional (6 credit hours)</b>	3 credits fulfilled in this major with COMM 15000	3

**Special Major Note:**

Students who pass 15 credits of non-remedial academic coursework each fall and spring semester and the 1-credit First Year Experience course will accumulate 121 credits in four years. This major requires 131 credits for graduation. Students can stay on track for graduation by:

- Declaring their major as freshmen and completing all courses in sequence (bear in mind that switching majors may cause a delay in graduation);
- Prioritizing required courses above electives;
- Meeting regularly with their academic advisors to stay on track;
- Passing each required course the first time attempted and maintaining the minimal GPA for the major;
- Successfully completing more than 15 credit hours of relevant coursework (field-based work, internship) during academic semesters; and/or
- Completing relevant coursework (field-based work, internship) during summer sessions.

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**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](http://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](http://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 (2.000) grade. Visit [www.kent.edu/catalog/wic](http://www.kent.edu/catalog/wic) for course list.

**Experiential Learning Requirement**

To provide students with direct engagement in learning experiences that promote academic relevance, meaning and an understanding of real-world issues, students must complete this requirement at Kent State, either as a for-credit course or as a non-credit, non-course experience approved by the appropriate faculty member. Visit [www.kent.edu/catalog/elr](http://www.kent.edu/catalog/elr) 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.

