



Fall 1	Credits	Success Marker
ART 100	3	* Pass the Test of Academic Proficiency (TAP) or process ACT+writing waiver during this year
ART 103	3	
ENGL 103	3	* Attend TAP prep workshops if ACT score is below 19
Core Competency Course	3	
Gen Ed Requirement	3	
Total hours	15	
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 1	Credits	Success Marker
ART 101	3	
ART 102	3	
Core Competency Requirement	3	
Core Competency Requirement	3	
Gen Ed Requirement	3	
Total hours	15	
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 2	Credits	Success Marker
ARTS 200	3	* A 2.75 GPA or higher is required to continue in the program
ARTS Studio Elective 2D	4	
ARTH 282/292	3	* A 2.75 GPA or higher is required to continue in the program
EPFE 201/BKST 211	3	
Gen Ed Requirement	3	
Total hours	16	
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 2	Credits	Success Marker
ARTE 200	3	* Complete initial Portfolio Review process in ARTE 200
ARTS Studio Elective 3D	4	
ARTH 282/292	3	* A 2.75 GPA or higher is required to continue in the program
PSYC 102	3	
Total hours	13	
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 3	Credits	Success Marker
ARTE 342	4	* TB Test
ARTE 343	3	* Pass the Test of Academic Proficiency /ACT Waiver
ARTH Elective	3	* Complete the safety tutorial
Gen Ed Requirement	3	* Complete Criminal Background Check
Gen Ed Requirement	3	
Total hours	16	
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 3	Credits	Success Marker
ARTE 344	4	* TB Test
ARTE 463	3	* Complete Criminal Background Check
ARTE 482	3	
ARTS/ARTD Pair #1	4	
Total hours	14	
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 4	Credits	Success Marker
ARTE 387	3	* TB Test
ARTE 479	3	* Pass Content Area, Visual Arts Test
ARTS/ARTD Pair #2	4	
EPS 405	3	
Gen Ed Requirement	3	
Total hours	16	
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 4	Credits	Success Marker
ARTE 345	4	* Apply for graduation (2/1 for May, 6/15 for August, or 9/1 for December)
EPFE 400 or 410	3	
LTIC 420	3	* Pass Assessment of Professional Teaching (API) test
Gen Ed Requirement	3	
Total hours	13	* Complete Criminal Background Check
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 5	Credits	Success Marker
ARTE 488A	6	* Do edTPA assessment during student teaching
ARTE 488B	6	* Apply for Teaching Licensure
Total hours	12	
Notes/Comments:		

Notes/Comments: This plan is an example of what a four and a half year plan could look like for a typical student. It should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor each semester to discuss course scheduling. All requirements are subject to change by NIU.