

**2020-2021**  
**TUNXIS COMMUNITY COLLEGE - ASSOCIATE DEGREE GRADUATION GUIDE**  
**GRAPHIC DESIGN (J11JA18) (Career & Transfer Program)**

STUDENT \_\_\_\_\_

BANNER ID# \_\_\_\_\_

<u>COURSE #</u>	<u>COURSE TITLE</u>	<u>COURSE TITLE - SUBS.</u> <u>ELECTIVES/TRANS. CREDIT</u>	<u>S.H.</u>	<u>SEM.</u>	<u>GRADE</u>	<u>QUALITY</u> <u>POINTS</u>
<b>FIRST SEMESTER:</b>						
ART*111	Drawing I		3			
CSS-101	First Year Experience		3			
ENG*101	Composition (a)		3			
GRA*101	Design Principles		3			
GRA*110	Introduction to Computer Graphics		3			
<b>SECOND SEMESTER:</b>						
ART*112	Drawing II (a)		3			
GRA*200	Visual Communications (a)		3			
GRA*231	Digital Imaging (a)		3			
	Humanities Elective (d)		3			
	Mathematics Elective (a) <i>(from MAT*135 or above)</i>		3-4			
<b>THIRD SEMESTER:</b>						
GRA*201	Typography & Design I (a)		3			
GRA*236	Digital Illustration (a)		3			
	Directed Studio Elective (b) <i>(from ART*109-156, ART*211-284, DGA*, GRA*, NMC*)</i>		3			
	Science Elective (c) <i>(from AST*, BIO*, CHE*, EAS*, EVS*, MET*, PHY*, SCI*)</i>		3-4			
<b>Select one of the following courses:</b>						
ART*100	Art Appreciation <b>OR</b> Art History Elective (e) <i>(from ART*101, ART*102, ART*103, ART*201, ART*205)</i>		3			
<b>FOURTH SEMESTER:</b>						
ART*122	Three-Dimensional Design		3			
<b>Select one of the following courses:</b>						
GRA*203	Design & Production (a) <b>OR</b>		3			
GRA*260	Web Design (a)					
GRA*205	Typography & Design II (a)		3			
	Directed Studio Elective (b) <i>(from ART*109-156, ART*211-284, DGA*, GRA*, NMC*)</i>		3			
	Social Science Elective <i>(from ANT*, ECN*, GEO*, POL*, PSY*, SOC*)</i>		3			
<b>OFFICE USE ONLY</b>	<b>Total Program SH</b>		<b>60-62</b>			
	<b>Total Program SH &amp; Quality Points Earned</b>					
	<b>Total Program Grade Point Average</b>					
						<b>OVER</b>

- (a) Prerequisite and/or corequisite required.
- (b) To be selected in consultation with faculty advisor based on student's program of study.
- (c) Students intending to transfer to a four-year program should take a 4-credit lab science.
- (d) To be selected from courses in ART\*, ANT\*, CHI\*, COM\*, ENG\*, ESL\*, FRE\*, HIS\*, ITA\*  
LAT\*, LIN\*, MUS\*, NMC\*, PHL\*, PLH\*, POL\*, Religious Studies, RUS\*, SPA\*, THR\*.
- (e) Students planning to transfer to a baccalaureate program should take an Art History course.

Upon completion of 45 credits, this Guide must be signed below and filed with the Records Office.  
Failure to do so may result in a delay in your graduation.

STUDENT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADVISOR SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

The following quality point averages must be earned by students for academic good standing:

- 1.50 GPA up to 11 Semester Hours
- 1.70 GPA completion of 12-30 Semester Hours
- 2.00 GPA completion of 31-60+ Semester Hours

Students with averages less than those cited may have their achievements reviewed by their advisor. Such a review may result in a modified program or other formal action.

### **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS - DEGREE AND CERTIFICATE STUDENTS**

In order to qualify for graduation, a student must be accepted in a degree or certificate program and have:

- a. achieved a quality point average of 2.0 or more in the courses required for his/her program.
- b. Achieved a minimum grade of C- in Composition for all degree programs and where indicated for certificates.
- c. Filed with the Records Office, by March 1st or November 1st, a completed application for graduation.
- d. Filed with the Records Office a Program Guide signed by both the student and their advisor.
- e. Fulfilled all financial obligations to the College.
- f. Completed at least 25% of the minimum credit requirements for the degree or certificate at Tunxis Community College.

**Graduation Honors:** Graduation Honors will be awarded during the presentation of graduates. Honors are based on program grade point average. Honors criteria are listed as follows:

#### **AA/AS Degree - 30 credits at Tunxis**

- 3.90 – 4.00 = Highest Honors
- 3.70 – 3.89 = High Honors
- 3.40 – 3.69 = Honors

#### **Certificate - 15 credits at Tunxis**

- 3.50 = With Distinction

Note: Credits earned in developmental courses do not satisfy degree or certificate requirements.

**THE FINAL AND ONLY OFFICIAL EVALUATION WILL BE COMPLETED BY THE REGISTRAR SUBSEQUENT TO THE ADVISOR'S SIGNATURE.**