Program Transfer Guide

Hawkeye Community College Associate of Applied Arts (AAA) in

GRAPHIC DESIGN

→ UIU Bachelor of Science (BS) in

GRAPHIC DESIGN

APRIL 2025



EDUCATION BUILT FOR LIFE

Years 1 & 2 at Hawkeve Community College:

HCC Program Course Sequence			Course Transfers into UIU as				
Course ID	Course Name	# Cr	Course ID	Course Name	# Cr	Requirement Fulfilled	
Term 1							
COM-781	Wrtn Comm in the Workplace	3			3	Free Elective	
OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	
ENG-105	Composition I	3	ENG 101	English Composition I	3	PPE ENG 101	
GRA-105	Drawing & Composition	4	CREX150	Creative Expression Gen Ed	4	PPE Creative Expr.	
OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	
ART-133	Drawing	3	ART 110	Drawing	3	PPE Creat Expr. & Major	
AND	AND	AND	AND	AND	AND	AND	
ART-134	Drawing II	3	ART 210	Intermediate Drawing	3	Free Elective	
GRA-133	Desktop Publishing	4			4	Free Elective	
GRA-196	Design and Layout I*	4	GRAF 380	Advertising Design	4	Major	
Term 2							
GRA-124	Electronic Illustration**	4	GRAF 333	Digital Illustration	4	Major	
GRA-142	Graphic Imaging	4	GRAF 132	Intro to Graphic Design Tools	4	Major	
GRA-197	Design and Layout II*	4	GRAF 380	Advertising Design	4	Major	
MAT-772	Applied Math	3			3	Free Elective	
OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	
XXX-XXX	Math Elective	3		See Transfer Table A	3	PPE Quant Reasoning	
Term 3							
GRA-162	Web Page Graphics	3			3	Free Elective	
GRA-205	Design and Layout III	4			4	Free Elective	
GRA-238	Web Design and Layout	4			4	Free Elective	
PSY-102	Human and Work Relations	3			3	Free Elective	
OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	
PSY-111	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 190	General Psychology	3	PPE Social Science	
OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	OR	
SOC-110	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 110	Principles of Sociology	3	PPE Social Science	
Graphic Design	gn Elective (GRA-221**)	3	GRAF 333	Digital Illustration	3	Major	
Term 4							
GRA-160	Interactive Multimedia	3			3	Free Elective	
GRA-206	Advanced Design & Layout	4	GRAF 335	Publication Design	4	Major	
GRA-239	CMS Web Design	3			3	Free Elective	
GRA-290	Portfolio Preparation	3			3	Free Elective	
SPC-101	Fund of Oral Communication	3	COMM 105	Public Speaking	3	PPE COMM 105	
Total occupational course credits earned: 65 Total course credits accepted: 65							
Total transferable credits*: 65 UIU recommendations are bolded .							

^{*}Both GRA-196 and GRA-197 needed to transfer in for GRAF 380

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^{**}Both GRA-124 and GRA-221 needed to transfer in for GRAF 333



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Years 3 & 4 at Upper Iowa University:

	UIU Program Course List	# Cr	Requirement Fulfilled	Transferred In
Peacock Pro	ofessional Experience (PPE) Courses			
FYS 120 OR FYS 122	First Year Seminar (Fayette) First Year Seminar (Online/Self-Paced)	3	Success in Higher Education	 OR
ENG 101	English Composition I	3	PPE Prof Comm/Wrtn (PW)	ENG 105
ENG 101	English Composition II	3	PPE Prof Comm/Wrtn (PW)	
COMM 105	Public Speaking	3	TTETTOT COmmitty With (1 WV)	
COMM 200	OR Interpersonal Communication	3	PPE Prof Comm/Oral (PC)	SPC-101
	any Diversity, Equity & Inclusion	3	PPE Divers., Equity & Inclusion (DEI)	
	any Quantitative Reasoning	3	PPE Quantitative Reasoning (QR)	Term 2 Math Elective
	any Science	3	PPE Science (SCI)	
	any Social Science	3	PPE Social Science (SSCI)	PSY-111 or SOC-11
	any Civics, Ethics & Citizenship	3	PPE Civics, Ethics & Citizenship (CIV)	
	any Creative Expression	3	PPE Creative Expression (CREX)	GRAF 112
Major Cours	ses			
GRAF 112	Introduction to Graphic Design	3	Major/PPE CREX	
GRAF 132	Intro to Graphic Design Tools	3	Major	GRA-142
GRAF 234	History of Graphic Design	3	Major	
GRAF 280	Interaction Design	3	Major	
GRAF 319	Digital Video and Editing	3	Major	
GRAF 333	Digital Illustration	3	Major	GRA-124 and GRA-221
GRAF 335	Publication Design	3	Major	GRA-206
GRAF 355	Typography	3	Major	
GRAF 380	Advertising Design	3	Major	GRA-196 and GRA-197
GRAF 442	Digital Animation	3	Major	
GRAF 480	Senior Thesis & Portfolio	3	Major	
Three of the	following:	9-6	Major	ART-133
ART 101	Digital Tools	GRAF 218	Digital Photography	
ART 110	Drawing	MKT 208	Marketing Principles	
ART 211	Art History I	MKT 479	Branding	
ART 212	Art History II			
Additional E				
Upper-Division Electives		18	Degree Requirements	
Total additiona	Il credits needed at UIU to complete degree:	57		
	Total transferable credits from HCC:	65		
	Total Earned Credits:	122		

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LEGEND:

- *Transfer grades lower than a C- will not be accepted.
- Bolded text indicates UIU recommendations.
- > Grayed out text indicates courses fulfilled through transfer. Strikethrough indicates specific course if within grouping.

A minimum of 120 semester credits is required for a baccalaureate degree; up to 78 lower-division college semester credits from Hawkeye Community College. A minimum of 30 credits must be upper-division credits for a UIU baccalaureate degree; lower-division transfer work from Hawkeye Community College does not contribute to the upper-division credit requirement at UIU.

This program transfer guide is based on the December 2024 course-to-course articulation (UIU 2024-25 catalog & HCC 2024-25 catalog).

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy and completeness of this program articulation. The office of the Registrar of Upper Iowa University reserves the right to make corrections, additions, and deletions as necessary.

Maximize Your Transfer to UIU

Take up to 13 credits to fulfill the Peacock Professional Experience (PPE) and Major Requirements.

Choose up to 13 additional credits at Hawkeye Community College to transfer into Upper Iowa University to fulfill PPE and Major requirements. Talk with your advisors to ensure additional courses will fit with your degree plan and financial aid requirements.

Choose up to 13 credits from the following areas:

- Professional Communication (Written) PPE Requirement up to 3 credits (ENG 102)
- Science PPE Requirement up to 3 credits
- Civics, Ethics and Citizenship PPE Requirement-up to 3 credits
- Diversity, Equity and Inclusion PPE Requirement up to 3 credits
- Major Requirement up to 6 credits

Transfer Table A							
HCC ELECTIVES			Transfers as UIU Course				
Course Id	Course Name	# Cr	Course Id	Course Name	# Cr	Requirement Fulfilled	
Graphic Des	Graphic Design Electives						
ART-101	Art Appreciation	3	ART 100	Introduction to Art	3	PPE Creative Expr.	
ART-120	2-D Design	3	ART 109	Two Dimensional Foundations	3	Free Elective	
ART-143	Painting	3	ART 202	Painting	3	Free Elective	
ART-144	Painting II	3	CREX150	Creative Expression Gen Ed	3	PPE Creative Expr.	
ART-184	Photography	3	CREX150	Creative Expression Gen Ed	3	PPE Creative Expr.	
ART-203	Art History I	3	ART 211	Art History I	3	Major	
ART-204	Art History II	3	ART 212	Art History II	3	PPE Creative Expr. &	
						Major	
COM-151	ETC: Art & Literary Magazine	3			3	Free elective	
GRA-221	Principles of Illustration**	3	GRAF 333	Digital Illustration	3	Major	
GRA-232	Photo Direction	3			3	Free elective	
GRA-924	Honors Project	1			1	Free Elective	
GRA-928	Independent Study	1			1	Free Elective	
GRA-932	Internship	1			1	Free Elective	
GRA-949	Special Topics	1			1	Free Elective	
MKT-110	Principles of Marketing	3	MKT 208	Marketing Principles	3	Major	



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Math Electives						
MAT-110	Math for Liberal Arts	3	MATH 101	Math for Liberal Arts	3	PPE Quant Reasoning
MAT-121	College Algebra	3	MATH 107	College Algebra	3	PPE Quant Reasoning
MAT-128	Precalculus	3	MATH 107	College Algebra	3	PPE Quant Reasoning
MAT-134	Trigonometry & Analytic Geometry	3	MATH 115	Trig & Analytic Geometry	3	PPE Quant Reasoning
MAT-156	Statistics	3	MATH 220	Elementary Statistics	3	PPE Quant Reasoning
MAT-210	Calculus I	3	MATH 120	Calculus I	3	PPE Quant Reasoning
MAT-216	Calculus II	3	MATH 220	Calculus II	3	PPE Quant Reasoning

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