



2026-2027

PRE-ART THERAPY MAJOR, B.A.

Art & Design Department; College of Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences

A major in Pre-Art Therapy adequately prepares students seeking certification in Art Therapy through an accredited graduate program elsewhere.

Students must complete all Foundations requirements and major requirements, as well as any additional General Electives needed to reach the minimum of 124 total credits required for a Bachelor's degree.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (72)

Art Core (45-47)

__ 3	ART	110	Art & Creativity in Practice
__ 3	ART	111	Intro 2D Form/Design
__ 3	ART	123	Intro to Drawing
__ 3	ART	231	Color Theory
__ 3	ART	254	Graphic Design I
__ 3	ART	266	Intro to Photography
__ 3	ART	350	Art Practice Seminar
__ 3	ART	360	Aesthetics & Art Theory
__ 3	ART	372	Sculpture
__ 3	ART	396	Contemporary Art Seminar
__ 3	ART	450	Adv. Art Practice
__ 3	ART	477	Senior Thesis

Choose one Art History course:

	ART	251	Art History Through 1500
__ 3	ART	252	Art History Since 1500

Choose two Studio courses:

	ART	222	Ceramics I (4)
	ART	322	Ceramics II*
__ 3	ART	340	Trad Black & White Photo* (4)
	ART	356	Digital Darkroom & Imaging*
	ART	381	Painting* (4)
	ART	390	Printmaking* (4)
__ 3	ART	403	Adv. Drawing* (4)
	ART	435	Internship
	ART	452	Graphic Design II*

**repeatable with permission*

Psychology Core (27)

__ 3	PSY	101	Psychology & Everyday Life
__ 3	PSY	201	Developmental Psychology
__ 3	PSY	220	Stress Management
__ 3	PSY	351	Theories of Psychotherapy
__ 3	PSY	352	Psychotherapy Skills
__ 3	PSY	360	Abnormal Psychology
__ 3	PSY	452	Psychology of Personality
__ 3	PSY	454	Expressive Therapies
__ 3	PSY	462	Psychological Assessment

Plus FOUNDATIONS REQUIREMENTS (47)

(3 credits Fine Arts, 3 credits Social Science, and 3 credits Foundations Integration met by required major courses.)

Plus GENERAL ELECTIVES needed to reach minimum 124 credits (5)