

**St. Mary's University**  
**BA in Art Degree Plan with Teacher Certification – 120 Hours**

*The maximum credit transferable from a junior college, or any combination of junior colleges, is 66 semester hours.*

**St. Mary's Core (45 hours)**

| Requirements                     | Texas Common Course Equivalency                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Hours Required |
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| ___ First Year Experience        | Not required for transfer students accepted with 30 or more credit hours however a student may need to take three (3) additional hours of elective credits in order to meet the required hours for this degree.                              | 3              |
| ___ Freshmen Composition I       | ENGL 1301                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 3              |
| ___ Literature                   | ENGL 1302 or any ENGL 23XX Literature course                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 3              |
| ___ History                      | Any HIST 13XX or 23xx course                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 3              |
| ___ Social Science               | EDUC 2301 <b>and one</b> of the following courses: BUSI 1301, CRIJ 1301, ECON 2301, ECON 2302, GOVT 2305, GOVT 2306, PSYC 1301, PSYC 2306, PSYC 2316, PSYC 2314, SOCI 1301, SOCI 1306, SOCI 2319, SPCH 1311, SPCH 1315, SPCH 1321, SPCH 2335 | 6              |
| ___ Mathematics                  | MATH 1332 or higher                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 3              |
| ___ Natural or Physical Sciences | Select one: BIOL 1308, BIOL 1309, CHEM 1411, CHEM 1412, GEOL 1301, GEOL 1303, GEOL 1401, GEOL 1403, GEOG 1301, GEOL 1304, GEOL 1305, GEOL 1404, GEOL 1405, PHYS 1305, PHYS 1401, PHYS 1402.                                                  | 3              |
| ___ Fine Arts                    | No equivalent                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 3              |
| ___ Foreign Language             | Two courses (1411 and 1412) in a language not previously studied or two courses (2311 and 2312) in a language previously studied                                                                                                             | 6              |
| ___ Philosophy – Self            | PHIL 1301                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 3              |
| ___ Philosophy – Ethics          | PHIL 2306                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 3              |
| ___ Theology                     | Theology courses from other universities may be transferable with the approval of the Theology Department                                                                                                                                    | 3              |
| ___ Intermediate Theology        | Theology courses from other universities may be transferable with the approval of the Theology Department                                                                                                                                    | 3              |

| Art Major Courses                                              | Texas Common Course Equivalency | Hours Required |
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| <b>Art Education Major (30 CHRs)</b>                           |                                 |                |
| ___ AR 1300 – Concepts in Visual Art                           | ARTS 1301                       | 3              |
| ___ AR 1301 – Drawing I                                        | ARTS 1316                       | 3              |
| ___ AR 1311 – Design Fundamentals<br>Or AR 1312 – Color Theory | ARTS 1311<br>Or ARTS 2311       | 3              |
| ___ AR 2321 – Painting I                                       | ARTS 2316                       | 3              |
| ___ AR 3351 – Printmaking                                      | No equivalent                   | 3              |
| ___ AR 2301 – Three Dimensional Concepts                       | ARTS 2326                       | 3              |
| ___ AR 3341 – Art Problems                                     | No equivalent                   | 3              |
| ___ AR 3381 – History of Art Applied                           | No equivalent                   | 3              |

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| ___                                    | AR 3392 – Photography                                       | No equivalent                      | 3         |
| ___                                    | Major Elective                                              | ARTS 1317, ARTS 1303, or ARTS 1304 | 3         |
| <b>Teacher Certification (27 CHRs)</b> |                                                             |                                    |           |
| ___                                    | ED 2301 – Introduction to Teaching in American Schools      | EDUC 1301                          | 3         |
| ___                                    | ED 3321 – Instructional Planning, Assessment and Evaluation | No equivalent                      | 3         |
| ___                                    | ED 4630 – Teacher Residency I                               | No equivalent                      | 3         |
| ___                                    | ED 3355 – Educational Technology                            | No equivalent                      | 3         |
| ___                                    | ED 3361 – Adolescent Development in the School Setting      | No equivalent                      | 3         |
| ___                                    | ED 4388 – Professional Development Seminar- Secondary       | No equivalent                      | 3         |
| ___                                    | ED 4635– Teacher Residency II                               | No equivalent                      | 3         |
| <b>Electives (18 CHRs)</b>             |                                                             |                                    | <b>18</b> |

An elective can be any course taken from any discipline. Students can use these hours to pursue certificates, minors, or second majors.

**Total Semester Hours - 120**

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