ART EDUCATION

KINDERGARTEN - 12TH

The art education program at the University of Tennessee prepares students as artist-teachers and leaders in the field of art education. Graduates go on to serve in formal and informal educational settings, such as public and private schools, art museums, community centers, and other art agencies and institutions.

To achieve licensure to teach, students earn a B.A. or B.F.A. in studio art along with a minor in art education. Then they complete the Professional Year—graduate coursework and a yearlong internship that leads to a master's degree and one year of teaching experience.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Maintain a cumulative 2.75 GPA, all college work calculated
- Complete 45 credit hours, includes AP, dual & transfer credit
- Satisfactory CORE scores (if applicable)
- Professional Attitudes, Dispositions & Competencies (completion of online form)
- Background Check- ALL applicants are required to complete a fingerprint scan and background check
- Interview with Admissions Board- April & November
- ACT/SAT scores MUST be on file regardless if exempt from the CORE

APPLICATION: HTTPS://CEHHSADVISING.UTK.EDU/LICENSURE

Fall: Aug 15 - Sep 30 | Spring: Jan 15 - Feb 28
ART EDUCATION MINOR

EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY 210 CAN BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO ADMISSION TO THE PROGRAM. ALL COURSES MUST BE COMPLETED WITH A C OR BETTER.

- Educational Psychology 210 (3 hrs)
  Psychoeducational Issues in Human Development
- Educational Technology 486 (3 hrs)
  Integrating Technology into the Curriculum
- Art Education 350 (1 hr)
  Field Experience
- Art Education 400 (3 hrs)
  Theory and Practice in Art Education I
- Art Education 401 (3 hrs)
  Theory and Practice in Art Education II
- Educational Psychology 401 (3 hrs)
  Professional Studies: Applied Educational Psychology
- Special Education (1 hr)
  Professional Studies: Special Education and Diverse Learners

Total: 19 Hours

THE PROFESSIONAL YEAR

The following conditions must be met to progress to the professional year:

- B.A./B.F.A. degree conferred
- Minimum 2.5 GPA in major
- Minor in art education
- Minimum 2.80 GPA in profesional education
- Minimum 2.75 GPA, all college work calculated

Teacher Licensure is granted once the following has been completed:

- The Professional Year
- Passing scores on the Praxis II exam

To complete the Master's Degree:

- The Professional Year (24 credits)
- Additional elective courses (12 credits), consult with faculty advisor for course options, such as ARED 510, 520 & TPTE 517, may be completed before or after conclusion of Professional Year

FALL ONLY COURSES

- TPTE 574 (2 hrs)
  Analysis of Teaching for Professional Development
- TPTE 575 (4 hrs)
  Professional Internship in Teaching
- ARED 540 (3 hrs)
  Instruction, Pedagogy and Assessment in Art Education
- ARED 530 (3 hrs)
  Production and Critical Pedagogy in Art

SPRING ONLY COURSES

- TPTE 575 (8 hrs)
  Professional Internship in Teaching
- TPTE 591 (4 hrs)
  Clinical Studies

Total: 24 Hours

Questions?
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