

# FINE ARTS

## Curriculum Guide for Academic Year 2012-2013

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Students planning to **transfer** to a four-year college or university should refer to the ASSIST web site at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) and **consult a counselor** before beginning a program of study. . Please call 562-938-4561 for LAC, or (562) 938-3920 for PCC to schedule a meeting with a counselor. Students may also wish to visit the Transfer Center on either campus.

### Program of study leading to: Associate in Arts (A.A.) Degree

#### REQUIRED COURSES:

Complete **TWENTY FOUR (24) UNITS** from the seven areas listed below. **THREE (3) units** from each program area are **REQUIRED** plus an additional 3 units from any listed program area:

<u><b>THEATRE: select a minimum of 3 units</b></u>		<b>UNITS</b>	<b>In Progress</b>	<b>Completed Grade</b>
TART 25	Introduction to Theatre	3		
TART 32AD	Stage and Screen Writing	3		
TART 30	Introduction to Dramatic Literature	3		
<b>Minimum Subtotal</b>		<b>3</b>		
<u><b>DANCE: select a minimum of 3 units</b></u>		<b>UNITS</b>	<b>In Progress</b>	<b>Completed Grade</b>
DANCE 1	Dance Form Through the Ages	3		
DANCE 19	Hip Hop Dance History	3		
<b>Minimum Subtotal</b>		<b>3</b>		
<u><b>FILM: select a minimum of 3 units</b></u>		<b>UNITS</b>	<b>In Progress</b>	<b>Completed Grade</b>
FILM 1	Introduction to Film Studies	3		
FILM 10	Explorations in Film	3		
FILM 11	Film Directors and Artists	3		
<b>Minimum Subtotal</b>		<b>3</b>		
<u><b>CREATIVE ARTS: select a minimum of 3 units</b></u>		<b>UNITS</b>	<b>In Progress</b>	<b>Completed Grade</b>
CART 41	The Arts and Modern Man	3		
<b>Minimum Subtotal</b>		<b>3</b>		
<u><b>MUSIC: select a minimum of 3 units</b></u>		<b>UNITS</b>	<b>In Progress</b>	<b>Completed Grade</b>
MUSIC 32	History of Jazz	3		
MUSIC 33B	Intercultural Music	3		
MUSIC 40	Appreciation of Music	3		
MUSIC 89	History of Rock	3		
<b>Minimum Subtotal</b>		<b>3</b>		

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<b>ART: select a minimum of 3 units</b>		<b>UNITS</b>	<b>In Progress</b>	<b>Completed Grade</b>
ART 1 or 2	Art and Civilization	3		
ART 3	Modern and Contemporary Art	3		
ART 10	Art Appreciation	3		
ART 31	Fundamentals of Art Composition & Color	3		
<b>Minimum Subtotal</b>		<b>3</b>		

<b>PHOTOGRAPHY: select a minimum of 3 units</b>		<b>UNITS</b>	<b>In Progress</b>	<b>Completed Grade</b>
ART 81	Introduction to Fine Art Photography	3		
<b>Minimum Subtotal</b>		<b>3</b>		
<b>Required Total from all 7 Areas</b>		<b>24</b>		

For graduation with an **Associate in Arts (A.A.) Degree with a major in Fine Arts:**

- Minimum Unit Requirements:** Any course that appears on a curriculum guide and the General Education Pattern (Plan A) may fulfill both major and general education requirements (Approved by College Curriculum Committee Spring 2012). For this degree, complete a minimum of 60 units in courses numbered 1-599. Please note that additional elective units may be required to meet this minimum based upon courses selected to fulfill General Education for the Associate Degree.

<b>Fine Arts Major:</b>	24 units
<b>General Education/A.A.</b>	25 units
<b>Minimum Total Units:</b>	60 units

- Scholarship:** Maintain an **overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0** ("C" average) based on all accredited college work applied to the degree, no matter where completed. For this **field of concentration, complete each course above with a grade of "C" or better**, or "P" if course is graded on a P/NP basis.
- Residence for the Degree:** Complete at least 30 units of the required 60 in residence at LBCC, or complete in residence at LBCC at least 20 units within the last 30 units of work applied to the degree.
- Residence for the Field of Concentration:** Complete fifty percent (50%) or more of the unit requirements for this field of concentration in residence; this means at **least 12 units** of the required 24 must be **completed at Long Beach City College**. Credit earned by exam, where applicable, may be included.
- General Education and Proficiency Requirements:** Complete the required A.A./A.S. General Education and Proficiency requirements\*, otherwise known as "Plan A". For Plan A requirements, refer to the general catalog or view it online at <http://osca.lbcc.edu>.
- Complete and submit the degree application form to the Admissions and Records office during your final semester of course work. These forms are available in the Admissions and Records office, or online at <http://admissions.lbcc.edu/>. Refer to the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu>) and click the "Important Dates" link to view the actual deadline for each semester.

\*The requirements for general education/proficiency and the field of concentration (major) need to be from the same catalog year. This catalog year may be any year between the year of initial enrollment to the present, provided continuous enrollment is maintained throughout. See the catalog for definition of "continuous enrollment".

## Career Opportunities

Students are provided with an introductory education in the fine arts. It also partially fulfills some of the lower-division core for the Liberal Studies Bachelor's Degree and preparation for the Multiple Subjects Teaching Credential. It allows the student to gain proficiency in three areas of the arts, which can provide a deeper understanding of the fine arts in general.

This **Associate Degree** prepares student for transfer to a four-year college.

## Program Mission and Outcomes

Students completing our program should be fully prepared to move on to a more advanced level in a post-secondary institution.

Outcomes:

- Ability to synthesize the lower-division level of principles and theories expressed in the Fine Arts through Film, Theater, Dance, Music, Art, and Photography.
- A respect for Fine Arts as a means of personal, cultural, or social expression.

## Legend

† This course has a prerequisite. Prerequisite courses must be complete with at least a "C" or "P" grade. Refer to the General Catalog (<http://www.lbcc.edu/cat/index.html>), the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu/>), or the online Credit Course Outline (<http://wdb-asir.lbcc.edu/coursecurriculum/coursedetails/>) for specific prerequisite information.