

Graphic Design Production Schedule

Introduction to Graphics & Design - 48.5610081/82 - 2 semesters.

This course builds a foundation for various functions of the printing industry - emphasizing layout, composition, art, design and operation of printing and finishing machinery and technology. The goal of this course is to provide all students with an introduction to the principles of graphic communications and design and its place in the world. Exposure to career possibilities and discussion of ethical issues relating to graphic communications and design will also be important threads in this course. **No Prerequisite:** Recommended Pre-requisite Skill: Keyboarding

Graphic Design & Production - 48.5620081/82 - 2 semesters.

This advanced course in printing and printing technology offers career exploration in the printing field. This program focuses on the procedures commonly used in the graphic communication and design industries. Students will gain experience in creative problem solving and the practical implementation of those solutions across multiple areas of graphic communications. (10th-12th graders). **Prerequisite:** Introduction to Graphic Communication (2 semesters)

Advanced Graphic Design – 48.5280081/82 - 2 semesters.

Students will continue to explore the principles of design and layout procedures as they relate to graphic design. Content will cover electronic systems and software programs used in graphic design, page composition, image conversion and digital printing. Knowledge and skills in digital design and imaging will be enhanced through experiences that simulate the graphic design industry through school and work-based learning opportunities. **Prerequisite:** Graphic Design & Production (2 semesters)