Mount Mercy University
Transfer Plan for Graphic Design

1. Complete your A.A. or A.A.S degree. *Students who transfer to Mount Mercy with an A.A. degree from an Iowa Community College will have all Core Curriculum requirements waived except the Mercy Capstone and one course in the Ultimate Questions domain. These two requirements must be taken at Mount Mercy. (See Transfer Guide at www.mtmercy.edu/transferguide for all core classes.)*

2. Consider major courses below as part of your electives toward your A.A. degree. A maximum of 63 credits can be transferred from a two-year institution.

Major Requirements (49 semester hours)

Mount Mercy Major Courses	Community College Equivalent
AR 102 Drawing I	ART 133 Drawing
AR 103 Art & Graphic Design Fundamentals	ART 301 Design Fundamentals
AR 106 Photography I	ART 184 Photography/ART 186 Digital Photography
AR 120 Visual Technology	GRA 128 Illustrator AND GRA 140 Digital Imaging
AR 130 Graphic Design I	GRA 191 Production Techniques
AR 151 Printmaking I*	
AR 171 Sculpture I*	
AR 202 Drawing II*	
AR 212 Art History I*	
AR 213 Art History II*	
AR 220 Typography & Design	GRA 132 Digital Layout II
AR 230 Graphic Design II: Theory and Concepts*	
CS 103 Introduction to Website Development	CIS 207 Fundamentals of Web Programming
AR 330 Web and Motion Graphics*	
AR 415 Art and Design Thesis*	
AND one of the following courses:	
AR 109 Art Environments	
AR 141 Painting I	
AR 146 Silkscreen	
AR 161 Ceramics I	
AR 206 Photography II	GRA 141 Digital Imaging II

AR 295 Survey of Mexican Culture Today (travel-study course)	
Students must earn a grade of C- or better in all major coursework. *Upon completion of the Graphic Design Communication Technology AAS degree, Transfer Students, are required to completed the starred courses above and finish core requirements (see www.mtmercy.edu/transferguide) in order to complete Mount Mercy's Graphic Design BA degree.	

Mount Mercy University Graduation Requirements:

1. A minimum of 123 semester hours credit earned toward the degree.

2. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00 for all credits earned at Mount Mercy.

3. Completion of the core curriculum requirements.

4. Completion of a major program of study.

5. At least 12 semester hours, above course number of 200, in the major must be completed at Mount Mercy.

6. Minimum of 30 consecutive semester hours completed at Mount Mercy immediately preceding graduation.

7. If graduating with a minor or endorsement, nine (9) semester hours of the minor must be taken at Mount Mercy.

Note: The plan of study is intended to be used as a guide and changes to curriculum may occur. For specific course information and degree information, please visit MMU's catalog at **catalog.mtmercy.edu**.

To apply:

- Apply online at www.mtmercy.edu/apply (no application fee required)
- Send official transcripts from all colleges attended. If you do not have an associate degree, also please send high school transcripts to:

> Office of Admissions
> 1330 Elmhurst Drive NE
> Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52402-4797

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