

GDP: Graphic Design Concentration

2011-12

Department Requirements
(Total Department Units: 33)

<i>2011-12</i> Course No.	<i>Previous</i> Course No.	<i>Title</i> <small>applies to SBCC GE areas</small>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Institution &</i> Course No.	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Units</i> (s/q)	<i>Term</i>
• GDP 110.....	(none)	Media Design	3.0	_____			
• GDP 111.....	(none)	Graphic Design Basics	3.0	_____			
• GDP 113.....	(none)	Typography.....	3.0	_____			
• GDP 114.....	(none)	Graphic Design I.....	3.0	_____			
• GDP 118.....	(118/MAT 118)	Creative Thinking.....	3.0	_____			
• GDP 212.....	(none)	Graphic Design II	3.0	_____			
• GDP 215.....	(none)	Publication Design	3.0	_____			
• GDP 230.....	(none)	Portfolio	3.0	_____			
• MAT 131.....	(111/143ABC)	Digital Imaging I.....	3.0	_____			
• PHOT 109	(PHOTO/GDP/GP 109).....	Photo I.....	3.0	_____			
<i>Choose one of the following:</i>							
• MAT 132.....	(PHOTO 180/MAT 132) ..	Digital Imaging II	3.0	_____			
• MAT 153.....	(122/142).....	Web Design I.....	3.0	_____			
• PHOT 180	(PHOTO/GDP 180)	Digital Darkroom	3.0	_____			
• PHOT 285	(PHOTO/GDP 285)	Color Management.....	3.0	_____			
<i>The following courses are strongly recommended:</i>							
• ART 102A.....	(105)	Early Twentieth-Century Art ^C OR	3.0	_____			
• ART 102B.....	(none)	Late Twentieth-Century Art ^C OR	3.0	_____			
• ART 217.....	(145)	History of Design ^C	3.0	_____			
• ART 120.....	(none)	Fundamentals of Drawing.....	3.0	_____			
• ART 140.....	(none)	2-D Design: Composition and Color	3.0	_____			
• GDP 290.....	(none)	Work Exp in Graphic Design & Photo.....	3.0	_____			

Recommended Course Sequence: First semester: GDP 110, 111 and 113; second semester GDP 114, 118 and MAT 131; third semester: GDP 212 or 215 and PHOT 109; fourth semester: GDP 212 or 215, 230 and MAT 132 or MAT 153 or PHOT 180 or PHOT 285.

Associate Degree Graduation Requirements: (1) Complete all department requirements with a “C” or better in each course. Candidates for an Associate Degree are also required to complete at least 20% of the department requirements through SBCC. Pass/No Pass grading is not permitted in those courses needed to fulfill department requirements; (2) Complete at least 18 units of General Education Requirements ([Areas A-D](#) of the SBCC General Education pattern); (3) Complete the SBCC Institutional Requirements ([Area E](#)); (4) Complete the Information Competency Requirement ([Area F](#)); (5) Complete a total of 60 degree-applicable units (SBCC courses numbered 100 and higher); (6) Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better in all units attempted at SBCC; (7) Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better in all college units attempted; and (8) Candidates for an Associate Degree are required to complete 15 units through SBCC.

Additional Program Information

For further information, contact the Counseling Center, 965-0581, Ext. 2285, or Liz Russotti, Department Co-Chair, 965-0581, Ext. 2916, or Linda Lowell, Department Co-Chair, Ext. 3571. Check your degree progress with DARS U-Achieve at www.sbccc.edu/DARS.

SBCC AA/AS Degree Graduation Requirements (Must complete I, II, III and IV below)



Santa Barbara City College

**Graphic Design and
Photography: Graphic Design
Concentration**

2011-12

Associate in Arts Degree in Graphic Design & Photography: Graphic Design Concentration

The Graphic Design and Photography Department offers two two-year Associate in Arts Degrees and a one-year Certificate of Completion. The Associate in Arts Degree prepares a student for transfer to some four year institutions such as: Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo; California State University, Long Beach; California State University, San José; California State University, Los Angeles.

With strong foundation courses in drawing, design and typography the graphic design student develops the ability to solve design problems using various software packages. The understanding of production and prepress processes are a central part of the concentration as well as the introduction of Web design.

Careers in Graphic Design

The demand for skilled and talented graphics personnel continues to grow throughout the nation. Two-year recipients are avidly sought and well compensated for their expertise.

Some careers requiring Graphic Design skills are entry level designer, production artist, web page designer, graphic artist, pre-press and production specialist.

I. General Education, Institutional & Information Competency (Institution & Course Number)	Grade	Units (s/q)	Term
A-D. General Education Requirements**			
A. Natural Sciences with Lab			
B. Social and Behavioral Science			
C. Humanities			
D. Language and Rationality			
D-1. English Composition			
D-2. Communication and Analytical Thinking			
E. SBCC Institutional Requirements**			
E-1. Mathematics			
<i>Plus complete three out of the four areas listed below (E-2 through E-5)</i>			
E-2. American Institutions			
E-3. Physical Education/Health Education			
E-4. Oral Communication			
E-5. Multicultural/Gender Studies			
F. Information Competency Requirement**			

**For specific course, unit, grade and other graduation requirements see the General Education, Institutional and Information Competency Requirements handout available in the Counseling department or visit <http://www.sbccc.edu/apply/files/gereq.pdf>

II. Unit and Grade Point Average Requirements: Refer to Graduation Requirements on the other side of this document.

	<i>Total Semester Units Attempted</i>	<i>Total Semester Units Completed</i>	<i>Grade Points</i>	<i>GPA</i>
SBCC				
Transfer				
Total				

III. Residency Requirements: 1) 15 units completed through SBCC? Yes No
 2) 20% of Department Requirements completed through SBCC? Yes No

IV. Department Requirements: Refer to the other side of this document for a list of required courses. Were all department requirements completed with a "C" or higher in each course? Yes No

Waivers/Substitutions: _____

Counselor Comments: _____

Student's Name: _____ Student ID: K _____

Counselor's Name: _____ Code: _____ Date: _____

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