[Graphic Design and Library Technology – Graphic Design Track](https://bluegrass.kctcs.edu/education-training/program-finder/graphic-design-and-library-technology.aspx)

Associate in Applied Science

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Student Name: Student ID:

*Students must meet college readiness benchmarks as identified by the Council on Postsecondary Education or remedy the identified skill deficiencies.*

Semester 1

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| Courses | Cr. Hrs. | Term | Grade | Prerequisites | Notes |
| ENG 101 Writing I | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| IMD 100 Digital Information & Comm. Tech. | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| IMD 115 Introduction to Graphic Design | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| IMD 133 Beginning Web Design | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Natural Sciences course | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Total Semester Credit Hours | 15 |  |  |  |  |

Semester 2

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| Courses | Cr. Hrs. | Term | Grade | Prerequisites | Notes |
| ENG 102 Writing II | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| IMD 126 Introduction to Desktop Publishing | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| IMD 127 Vector Design with Adobe Illustrator | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| IMD 128 Raster Design with Adobe Photoshop | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Quantitative Reasoning course | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Total Semester Credit Hours | 15 |  |  |  |  |

Semester 3

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| Courses | Cr. Hrs. | Term | Grade | Prerequisites | Notes |
| IMD 180 Intermediate Web Design | 3 |  |  | IMD 133 or Consent of Instructor |  |
| IMD 228 Advanced Photoshop OR  IMD 229 Advanced Illustrator | 3 |  |  | IMD 115 AND IMD 128  IMD 127 | Fall only |
| IMD 275 Info Management and Comm. | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Heritage or Humanities course | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Social or Behavioral Sciences course | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| Total Semester Credit Hours |  |  |  |  |  |

Semester 4

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| Courses | Cr. Hrs. | Term | Grade | Prerequisites | Notes |
| IMD 226 Advanced Desktop Publishing | 3 |  |  | IMD 126, 127 and 128 | Spring only |
| IMD 270 Professional Practices | 3 |  |  | Sophomore Status | Spring only |
| IMD 271 Internship OR  COE 199 Cooperative Education | 3 |  |  | Consent of Instructor |  |
| IMD 277 Typography | 3 |  |  | IMD 115, 126, 127, and 128 | Spring only |
| IMD 280 Portfolio Practicum: Graphic Design | 3 |  |  | IMD 127, 128, 185 and 226 | Spring only |
| Total Semester Credit Hours | 15 |  |  |  |  |
| Total Degree Credit Hours | 60 |  |  |  |  |

**Graduation Requirements:**

* 25% or more of Total Degree Credit Hours must be earned at BCTC.
* Cumulative GPA must be 2.0 or higher.

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**Additional Information**

The Graphic Design Track of the Graphic Design and Library Technology program is available completely online.

**Course Rotation Schedule**

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| Course | Fall | Spring |
| IMD 226 Advanced Desktop Publishing |  | X |
| IMD 270 Professional Practices |  | X |
| IMD 277 Typography |  | X |
| IMD 280 Portfolio Practicum: Graphic Design |  | X |
| IMD 228 Advanced Photoshop OR  IMD 229 Advanced Illustrator | X |  |

**Embedded Credentials**

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| Credential | Title | Requirements | Total Cr. Hours |
| Certificate | Graphic Design | IMD 115, IMD 126, IMD 127, IMD 128, IMD 226, IMD 277 | 18 |

**Certificate Requirements:**

* 25% or more of Total Certificate Credit Hours must be earned at BCTC.
* Grade of C or higher in each course required for certificate.

*Reviewed by: Andrew Hunt Effective Term: Spring 2022*

*Review Date: 11/9/2021*