



Department of
Curriculum and Instruction

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**MEd and Initial Licensure (and Additional Licensure) in K-12 Art Education
Prerequisite List**

What are prerequisites?

Prerequisites are foundational courses required in specific content areas for licensure. Candidates are required to hold an undergraduate degree from an accredited institution with appropriate liberal arts/general education coursework and meet the prerequisites below. Prerequisites courses must have a minimum C- grade.

When do prerequisites need to be completed?

It is recommended that all prerequisite coursework is completed prior to starting the program; however, missing prerequisites may also be completed during or directly following the M.Ed./initial License program. Any in-progress coursework would be counted as complete if a transcript with proof of enrollment is provided at the time of application. Please check with your program area adviser before registering for any prerequisite coursework.

Content Area	Requirement	U of M Course Options
Basic	General psychology	PSY 1001
Breadth of Studio Knowledge (six different studio art media areas)	Basic drawing	ArtS 1101
	Basic painting	ArtS 1102
	Basic sculpture	ArtS 1301
	Basic ceramics	ArtS 1801
	Elective	
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Depth of Knowledge (one year of studio art in two different media are required)	Studio Art Medium (3xxx or 5xxx level – intermediate/advanced)	
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Historical Perspective (only one course may be used to fulfill each requirement)	General survey of world art	ArtH 1001, 3005, 3008, 3011, 3014, 3035, 3152, 3303, 3411, 5111, 5766 or 5777
	Art of the 20 th and 21 st century	ArtH 3012, 3575, 5417, 5463 or 5521
	Art of women or non-Euro-American/non-Western art style	ArtH 1004w, 1016, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3578, 5764, 5765, 5766, 5769, 5777, ArtS 3403, 5403 or Amln 3401
	Studio art history, art criticism, or art theory	ArtH 1001, ArtS 1001w, 3411h