

Colorado CTE Course – Scope and Sequence

Course Name	Design & M	edia Arts 3	Course Details	1.0		
			Course = 0.50 Carnegie Unit Credit			
Course Description	necessary to Level 1 cours	This course builds upon the basic concepts and foundations from level 2. It provides an overview of skills necessary to be successful in general concepts found within digital media platforms and is comparable to a HS Level 1 course.				
Note:	This is a sugge adapted, make	sted scope and sequence for the co sure all essential knowledge and sk	urse content. The content will wills are covered.	ork with any textbook or instructional	resource. If locally	
SCED Identification #		Schedule calculation based on 60 guest speakers, student presentati		ester. Scope and sequence allows for other content topics.	additional time for	
All courses taught in an a		ogram must include Essential Skills output of the contract of		ent. The Essential Skills Framework fin/essentialskills	or this course can	
Instructional Unit Topic	Suggested Length of Instruction	CTE or Academic Standard Alignment	Competency / Performance Indicator	Outcome / Measurement	CTSO Integration	
Unit 1 Elements, Principles, & Composition- Digital Portfolio	2-4 weeks	Discuss various ways of building a portfolio of work Explain the importance of visual elements - Line, Shape, Value, Texture, Color, Space Outline the principles of design - Balance, Scale, Proportion, Movement, Dominance, Harmony-rhythm and repetition, Unity and variety, Positive/negative space Compare and contrast color types and how they are used a. RGB b. CMYK c. Hexadecimal	Understand and use software for multimedia arts Discuss and apply basic concepts of Elements and Principles of art Summarize how designers make decisions about the type of content to include in a project, including considerations such as copyright, project fit, permissions, and licensing. Identify elements of the Photoshop user interface and demonstrate	VA1.3: Employ concepts, issues and themes from other disciplines to solve visual arts problems. VA2.1: Determine meaning from works of art and design using visual literacy skills such as interpretation, negotiation, appreciation and selection. 2: Utilize appropriate vocabulary in the critical analysis of works of art. VA3.2: Demonstrate technical skills and processes to achieve desired results.	Promotional Marketing Participants create and submit a marketing portfolio and required elements that address the annual theme/problem. Semifinalists complete a layout and design assignment for evaluation.	



		d. Pantone Identify the equipment and tools presently used by designers and illustrators a. Scanner b. Digital Camera c. Printer d. Server e. Mixer f. Graphics Tablet Create simple design projects related to the field	knowledge of their functions. Identify and define the functions of commonly used Panels, including Properties, Layers, Brushes Adjustments and Type panels.		
Unit 2 Typography & Journalism Communications	2-4 weeks	Describe the difference between various typeface with examples of suggested best use of each a. Serif vs. sans serif b. Impact of typeface on tone c. Point size d. Ascenders, descenders, and baseline e. Tracking, leading, and kerning f. Paragraph alignment Demonstrate file management appropriate for the fields within design, multimedia arts, and digital communication Examine the relevance, complexities, and purpose of mass media Identify the impact of mass media on the individual, family, and local community	Describe the elements of design and composition as they relate to photography Properly setup, use and store photography equipment a. tripods b. lenses (zoom, prime, telephoto, wide angle, etc.) Distinguish compositional schemes in photography (e.g., rule of thirds, geometric, balance, picture planes, etc.) Reference historic and contemporary processes and artists Classify different types of photographic practice a. fine b. commercial c. scientific	VA1. 1 Analyze works and apply the language of art and design to infer meaning. 2: Recognize and interpret works of art through the lens of time, place and culture. 3: Employ concepts, issues and themes from other disciplines to solve visual arts problems. VA2.1: Determine meaning from works of art and design using visual literacy skills such as interpretation, negotiation, appreciation and selection. VA3. 2: Demonstrate technical skills and processes to achieve desired results. 3: Utilize current and available technology as a primary medium to create original works of art.	Promotional Marketing Participants create and submit a marketing portfolio and required elements that address the annual theme/problem. Semifinalists complete a layout and design assignment for evaluation. Digital Photography Participants produce and submit a digital



		Use SLR or DSLR camera media, process, and skills to create images Apply and analyze the visual elements in digital photographs Apply and analyze the principles of composition in photographs Create photographic images that communicate ideas and sensibilities Analyze and evaluate photographs Present or publish work that demonstrates professionalism	d. journalistic Describe narrative photography Use artmaking processes as forms of inquiry to develop skills of perception and independent reasoning, and to increase knowledge. Use criteria and personal discernment to evaluate works of art and design, taking into consideration the variables that influence how the work is perceived.		photographic portfolio that relates to the annual theme. Semifinalists participate in an onsite photographic challenge and a presentation/ interview.
Unit 3 Audio/ Video/ FIIm	2-5 weeks	Discuss the historical timelines of radio, television, cable, satellite, and internet Discuss the growth of radio, television, internet and other forms of electronic media Explain the democratization of media Explain the cultural impacts of electronic media on society Demonstrate an understanding of advertising and commercial aspects of electronic media	Understand key terminology related to digital images. Demonstrate knowledge of image resolution, image size, and image file format for web, video and print Define the functions of commonly used tools, including selection, drawing, painting, type and vector shape tools. Navigate, organize, and customize the workspace. Import assets into a project.	VA1.1 Analyze works and apply the language of art and design to infer meaning. 2 Recognize and interpret works of art through the lens of time, place and culture. 3: Employ concepts, issues and themes from other disciplines to solve visual arts problems. VA3. 1: Plan, anticipate outcomes and use feedback to grow as an artist.2: Demonstrate technical skills and processes to achieve desired results. 3: Utilize current and available technology as a primary medium to create original works of art.	Promotional Marketing Participants create and submit a marketing portfolio and required elements that address the annual theme/problem. Semifinalists complete a layout and design assignment for evaluation.



		Delineate non-commercial	Make, manage, and	VA4. 1: Investigate how artists,	Digital
		aspects of electronic media	manipulate selections.	designers and scholars narrate	Photography
		such as public broadcasting and	Transform images.	their social context.	Participants
		educational programming	Create and manage layers and masks.		produce and
			aliu iliasks.		submit a digital
			Export or save digital		photographic
			images to various file		portfolio that
			formats.		relates to the
					annual theme.
			Demonstrate appropriate		Semifinalists
			search strategies for finding		participate in an
			resources or assets on the Internet		onsite
			internet		photographic
			Demonstrate knowledge of		challenge and a
			graphic resolution, file size,		presentation/
			file formats, and file		interview.
			management		
Unit 4	1-3 weeks	Explain major historical	Utilize the inquiry method	VA1.1 Analyze works and apply	Prepared
Art History		moments in the field of visual	of observation and the	the language of art and design to	Speech
		communications	language of visual art and	infer meaning. 2 Recognize and	Participants
			design to gather	interpret works of art through	deliver a timed
		Summarize the origins and	information and determine	the lens of time, place and	speech that relates to the
		history of graphic design and illustration	meaning.	culture.	theme of the
		mustration	Interpret, analyze and	VA3. 1: Plan, anticipate outcomes	current national
		Compare and contrast	explain the influence of	and use feedback to grow as an	TSA conference.
		professional contemporary	multiple contexts found in	artist. 2: Demonstrate technical	Semifinalists
		design and illustration looks and	visual art and design.	skills and processes to achieve	and finalists are
		techniques		desired results. 3: Utilize current	determined
			Use artmaking processes as	and available technology as a	using the same
		Identify the current landscape of graphic design and	forms of inquiry to develop skills of perception and	primary medium to create	competition procedure.
		illustration fields today, as well	independent reasoning, and	original works of art.	procedure.
		as the tools used within	to increase knowledge.	VA4. 1: Investigate how artists,	Children's
				designers and scholars narrate	Stories
			Articulate a personal	their social context. 2: Identify	Participants
			philosophy of art,	where the visual arts and artistic	create an



			understanding various philosophies that have come before. Research and analyze the ways visual artists, designers and scholars express personal views and beliefs and how these perspectives have a social context that enlarges the meaning of an artwork beyond the individual maker.	thinking are present in the real world. 3: Communicate messages about societal problems through the creative process.	illustrated children's story based on the annual theme. The entry product is a physical storybook of artistic, instructional, and social value. Semifinalists read their story aloud and participate in an interview.
Unit 5 Career Explore	2-4 weeks	Identify tools that are common across fields of design, multimedia arts, and digital communication a. Hardware b. Software c. Vocabulary d. Storyboarding/ storytelling e. Teamwork and collaboration Identify various fields within Design, Multimedia Arts, and Digital Communication and their respective career opportunities a. Recognize the work typically performed, tools and technology used, and nature of work environments b. Identify potential certifications within the careers c. Find membership organizations associated with the careers	Utilize the inquiry method of observation and the language of visual art and design to gather information and determine meaning. Articulate a personal philosophy of art, understanding various philosophies that have come before.	VA2.1: Determine meaning from works of art and design using visual literacy skills such as interpretation, negotiation, appreciation and selection. 2: Utilize appropriate vocabulary in the critical analysis of works of art. VA4. 1: Investigate how artists, designers and scholars narrate their social context. 2: Identify where the visual arts and artistic thinking are present in the real world.	Leadership Strategies Participants prepare for and deliver a presentation about a specific challenge that officers of a TSA chapter might encounter. Semifinalists follow the same competition procedure but must respond to a different chapter challenge.



d. Understand the necessary education associated within the careers		
Define professionalism within the context of media arts a. Criticism and evaluation b. Presentation c. Assessment		