Graphic Design Program of Study

Career Clusters			

Major Career Options			
• Art Director • Computer Animator	• Graphic Designer • Textile Designer	• Web Designer • Architectural Designer	• Commercial Photographer • Commercial Artist

CTE Diploma Course Requirements: 22 1/2 credits; 4 CTE courses, 2 in one area; work experience counts only if in related courses; no F's.

Yellow: General Graduation Requirements   *Blue/bold: Recommended Graphic Design*   *Green/italics: Recommend electives*
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9th Grade	10th Grade	11th Grade	12th Grade
Semester 1&2	*Semester 1&2*	*Semester 1&2*	*Semester 1&2*
Freshman English	Sophomore English	Junior English	Senior English
Discovery Science	Biology	Chemistry	Human Anatomy
Algebra or Geometry	Algebra II	Trigonometry/Pre-Calculus	Algebra III, Calculus, Statistics
Computer Literacy and Health	World History	U.S. History	Government
Physical Education	French II/ Spanish II	*Webpage Design*	*Digital Photography*
Graphic Design	**3D Animation I**	**3D Animation II**	**3D Portfolio**

Work-Based Learning Opportunities	College Credit/ Tech Prep	Career-Technical Student Organizations (CTSOs) and Clubs	Certifications
• Career Awareness • Cooperative Education • Job Shadowing • Paid/Unpaid Internship • School-Based Enterprise • Service Learning	• Western Nevada College	• Skills USA	• Adobe Certified Associate • Adobe Certified Expert • WOW (World Organization of Webmasters) Certified Professional Webmaster

Post-Secondary Options

Two-Year College or Proprietary Program	Apprenticeships	Four-Year College and University Programs	Training Certificates, Licenses, etc.
Western Nevada College (ASA) • Graphic Communications • Information Technology Western Nevada College – Certificate of Achievement • Graphic Communications		University of Nevada Reno • Art Art Institutes • Graphic Design	