

FINE ARTS 3-D Studio – CERAMICS
NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY • SCHOOL OF ART
DEGREE: BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS (B.F.A.) • CATALOG: 2008-2009
Four Year Course Plan

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¹ Choose from: ARTS 368-Papermaking, ARTS 371-Weaving, ARTS 372-Surface Exploration of Fabric, **OR** ARTS 374-3D Forms in Fiber

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Basic Requirements (18)

- ART 100 – Drawing Foundation I (3)
- ART 101 – Drawing Foundation II (3)
- ART 102 – 2D Foundation (3)
- ART 103 – 3D Foundation (3)
- ARTS 200 – Beginning Life Drawing (3)
- ARTS 406 – Senior Project (3)

Art History Requirements (12)

- ARTH 291 – Art History Survey I: to ca. 1400 (3)
- ARTH 292 – Art History Survey II: from ca. 1400 (3)
- Art History Elective – _____ (3)
- Art History Elective – _____ (3)

Ceramics Field of Study Requirements (39)

- ARTS 341 – Fundamentals of Ceramics (3)
- ARTS 346A – Hand-Building Ceramics (3)
- ARTS 346B – Wheel-Throwing Ceramics (3)
- ARTS 347 – Technical Study in Ceramics (3)
- ARTS 351 – Beginning Metalwork and Jewelry (3)
- ARTS 361 – Beginning Sculpture I (3)
- ARTS 441A – Intermediate Hand-Building Ceramics (3)
- ARTS 441B – Intermediate Wheel-Throwing Ceramics (3)
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- Fibers Elective – _____ (3)

Art Studio Electives (12)

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Total ART Hours for Fine Arts – Ceramics: 81

Special Requirements for Ceramics Field of Study:

1. The student must successfully complete a sophomore portfolio review in Ceramics after ARTS 341 and ARTS 346A or 346B.
2. Consult with Ceramics faculty for details on ARTS 406 portfolio preparations and senior exhibition opportunities.

Minimum Northern Illinois University Graduation Requirements*:

*See the Undergraduate Catalog for complete listing

1. A minimum of 120 semester hours are required for a degree.
2. Forty of the 120 semester hours required for a degree must be upper-division (300 and/or 400 level) courses.
3. Fulfill university general education requirements (a minimum of 41 semester hours at NIU).
4. Satisfy all course, GPA, portfolio review, and other requirements specified by your declared major.