

**Nashville State Community College**  
**Visual Communications - Photography Concentration**  
**A.A.S Degree Plan**

This sequence can be followed by students who begin college-level work in the fall semester. Prerequisites may apply to specific courses; it is the student's responsibility to determine if prerequisites have been met. Additional semesters will be required if prerequisite courses, including Learning Support courses, must be completed. Prior to registering each semester, the student is expected to consult with his/her advisor.

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **A#** \_\_\_\_\_ **CATALOG YR: 2013-2014**

FIRST YEAR – FALL SEMESTER					NOTES/COMMENTS
Course No. and Title	Credit	Term	Grade	Prerequisite	
ENGL 1010 English Composition	3			Completion of all competencies in LS reading and writing	
ART 1030 Art Appreciation	3			Completion of all competencies in LS reading and writing	
COM 1170 Imaging Technologies	3			Basic computer skills and completion of all competencies in LS reading and writing	
COM 1230 Digital Imaging I	3			Basic computer skills	
PHO 1110 Basic Photography/ Photographers	3			None	Digital SLR camera is required.
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>				

FIRST YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER					
Course No. and Title	Credit	Term	Grade	Prerequisite	
PHO 1210 B/W Photography I	3			PHO 1110	Film SLR camera is required.
PHO 1240 Lighting I	3			PHO 1110	Removable flash is required.
PHO 1490 Advanced Digital Photography	3			PHO 1110, COM 1230, COM 1170	
Social/Behavioral Sciences Elective	3				See catalog for approved Social/Behavioral Sciences electives.
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Comm. or SPCH 1112 Speech	3			ENGL 1010	
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>				

SECOND YEAR – FALL SEMESTER					
Course No. and Title	Credit	Term	Grade	Prerequisite	
PHO 1115 History of Photography	3			Completion of all competencies in LS reading and writing	
PHO 1230 Color Lab Techniques I	3			PHO 1210, COM 1230, COM 1170	
PHO 1350 Lighting II (Spring only)	3			PHO 1240	
COM 2240 Digital Imaging II-Photography (Fall Only)	3			COM 1230 or program coordinator approval	
Mathematics or Natural Sciences Elective	3				See catalog for approved Mathematics and Natural Sciences electives.
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>				

SECOND YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER					
Course No. and Title	Credit	Term	Grade	Prerequisite	
PHO 1170 Business for Photographers	3			None	
PHO 1270 Portfolio/Photography (Spring Only)	3			PHO 1110, PHO 1210, PHO 1230, PHO 1240, PHO 1350, PHO 1490, COM 2240	
PHO 1320 Color Lab Techniques II (Spring Only)	3			PHO 1230, COM 2240	
PHO 1430 Portrait Techniques (Spring Only)	3			PHO 1110, PHO 1240, COM 1230	
Technical Elective	3				See approved Technical electives below.
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>15</b>				
<b>Total Degree Credit Hours</b>	<b>60</b>				

Approved Technical Electives: Choose any 3 credit hour course approved by your advisor beyond degree requirements with a PHO or COM prefix.