

# NARRATIVE ILLUSTRATION, CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

**Banner Code:** 1\_CT\_CAIL  
**Financial Aid Eligible**

The Narrative Illustration option places its emphasis on a great variety of drawing and painting courses. The diversity of its curriculum may lead the student into career alternatives, such as Illustration for books, including children's literature, magazines, entertainment art, editorial illustrations and corporate brochures. Students will work in hand made traditional media as well as digital art and illustrations.

## Program Outcomes

1. Create a series of illustrations in a variety of mediums demonstrating techniques and applications of current hands-on illustration techniques.
2. Demonstrate proficiency in drawing, perspective, and various mediums.
3. Create a portfolio utilizing multiple design techniques for the purpose of becoming freelance commercial artists and/or acceptance to an art college or university for advanced learning.

Review Graduation Requirements (<https://catalog.cccd.edu/orange-coast/graduation-requirements/certificates/#achievementtext>).

Course	Title	Units
<b>Required Courses</b>		
ART A110	Color and Design: Two-Dimensional	3
ART A120	Beginning Drawing	3
ART A121	Life Drawing 1	3
ART A124	Advanced Drawing	3
ART A125	Perspective Drawing	3
ART A130	Painting 1	3
or ART A135	Digital Painting	
ART A143	Story Illustration Techniques	3
ART A144	Illustration 2 - Sequential Illustration	3
ART A180	Professional Studies	2.5
DMAD A181	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
DMAD A190	Illustrator for Design	3
or DMAD A193	Photoshop for Design	
Select one of the following:		3
ART A142	Life Sculpture 1	
ART A220	Figure Composition	
ART A236	Life Painting 1	
Narrative Illustration Restricted Electives (see list)		7-10
<b>Total Units</b>		<b>42.5-45.5</b>

Course	Title	Units
<b>Restricted Electives</b>		
<i>First/Second Semester</i>		

Course	Title	Units
ART A102	Survey of Modern and Contemporary Art History	3
ART A130	Painting 1	3
ART A135	Digital Painting	3
ART A111	Color and Design: Three-Dimensional	3
ART A142	Life Sculpture 1	3
ART A286	Book Arts	2
BUS A100/A100H	Introduction to Business	3
ENGL A143/A143H	Children's Literature	3
MKTG A100	Introduction to Marketing	3
<i>Fourth Semester</i>		
ART A118	Visual Communication 1	3
ART A236	Life Painting 1	3
ART A251	Character Design	3
ART A263	Watercolor 1	3
ART A269	Cartooning 1	3
DMAD A117	Rapid Illustration Techniques	3
DMAD A190	Illustrator for Design	3
DMAD A193	Photoshop for Design	3
DMAD A280	2D Animation	3
DMAD A281	3D Computer Graphics Animation	3

## Program Sequence

These sequences at Orange Coast College are curriculum maps for students to finish all requirements for the certificate. There may be advisories, prerequisites, or time requirements that students need to consider before following these maps. **Students are advised to meet with an Orange Coast College Counselor for alternate sequencing.**

Course	Title	Units
<b>Year 1</b>		
<b>Semester 1</b>		
ART A110	Color and Design: Two-Dimensional	3
ART A120	Beginning Drawing	3
DMAD A181	Introduction to Computer Graphics	3
ART A125	Perspective Drawing	3
RESTRICTED ELECTIVES- LIST 1st/2nd TERM- CHOOSE ONE (See Requirements)		2-3
<b>Units</b>		<b>14-15</b>
<b>Semester 2</b>		
ART A121	Life Drawing 1	3
ART A124	Advanced Drawing	3
ART A130	Painting 1	3
or ART A135	or Digital Painting	
RESTRICTED ELECTIVES- LIST 1st/2nd TERM- CHOOSE ONE (See Requirements)		2-3
<b>Units</b>		<b>11-12</b>
<b>Year 2</b>		
<b>Semester 1</b>		
DMAD A190	Illustrator for Design	3
or DMAD A193	or Photoshop for Design	
ART A143	Story Illustration Techniques	3

Course	Title	Units
ART A142 or ART A220 or ART A236	Life Sculpture 1 or Figure Composition or Life Painting 1	3
<b>Units</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Semester 2</b>		
ART A144	Illustration 2 - Sequential Illustration	3
ART A180	Professional Studies	2.5
RESTRICTED ELECTIVES- LIST 4th TERM- CHOOSE ONE (See Requirements)		3-4
<b>Units</b>		<b>8.5-9.5</b>
<b>Total Units</b>		<b>42.5-45.5</b>