

Virginia Western Community College

ART 284

Computer Graphics II

Prerequisites

Art 140

Course Description

Utilizes microcomputers and software to produce computer graphics. Employs techniques learned to solve studio projects that reinforce instruction and are appropriate for portfolio use. Part II of II.

Semester Credits: 3

Lecture Hours: 1- 2

Studio Hours: 4

Required Materials

Textbook:

Adobe Press, Pearson, Adobe Illustrator CC, Classroom in a Book with CD; ISBN: 978-0-138-26382-9.

Other Required Materials:

- Portable storage device: jump drive or pocket drive
- Other materials as required on a per project basis

Course Outcomes

At the completion of this course, the student should be able to:

- Course goals are threefold:
- Learned in an environment that will build knowledge based for Adobe Illustrator
- Learned in an environment that allows for personal growth. And that the student will set/ meet/or exceed those goals
- Have engaged and been excited about the field of Communication Design, what can be offered in the field, as well as what it can offer the student

Topical Description

1	Basics of Illustrator, includes the most basics of working with Adobe Illustrator
2	Intermediate Illustrator techniques: pen tool control, pencil tool, shape tools, object arranging and appearance
3	Advanced Illustrator techniques: complex projects which involve educated use of many tools and techniques

Notes to Instructors

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