

# Academy for Design



The Academy for Design provides students with the foundational skills required of the various and diverse careers in the creative world; additionally, they will explore a multitude of these opportunities in more depth. The goals of the program are for students to build a well-developed portfolio of their work and to exercise creative thinking and problem solving skills.

## ***FRESHMAN YEAR STUDIES INCLUDE***

- Drawing I
- Two-Dimensional Design
- Color Theory
- Digital Design (inDesign, Illustrator, Photoshop)
- Design Career Exploration
- Portfolio & Exhibition Preparation

## ***SOPHOMORE YEAR STUDIES INCLUDE***

- Drawing II
- Three-Dimensional
- Digital Photography
- Graphic Design Studio (Client Experience)
- Design Career Exploration
- Portfolio & Exhibition Preparation

## ***JUNIOR YEAR STUDIES INCLUDE***

- Spatial Analysis (Architecture/Interior Design)
- Form Development
- Understanding Human Form
- Animation
- Web Design (Personal portfolio sites)
- Design Career Exploration
- Portfolio & Exhibition Preparation

## ***SENIOR YEAR STUDIES INCLUDE***

- **College Option:** Providing students meet the academic criteria, they may attend County College of Morris for all academic and occupational courses and earn up to 22 credits, paid for by the Morris County Vocational School District
- **Continue at MCST:** Independent Career Study & Senior Capstone Course focused around Design Thinking to solve a real problem in the community.
- **STRUCTURED LEARNING EXPERIENCE (SLE):** Required 120 hour Internship

*STUDENTS WHO GRADUATED FROM THIS PROGRAM continued  
post-secondary studies in Graphic Design, Web Design, Video Game Development, Multimedia Studies,  
Video Production, Advertising, and Marketing*

**ALL INQUIRIES PERTAINING TO PRE-ADMISSION SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO**

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