

# The World of Aesthetic and Creative Expression

(RQ 3148)  
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**Description:** Students with an education grounded in the liberal arts should be able to understand, interpret, enjoy, and create forms of human expression. Humans express themselves creatively through such mediums as song, acting, dance, writing or performing music, visual arts either real or virtual, poetry, and fiction and non-fiction writing. These represent the most fundamental ways in which human beings have related to one another and have related themselves to the world throughout time and thus are an integral part of liberal arts education.

Students will be able to:

1. Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of human expression, or
2. Analyze aesthetic creative work, or
3. Create work in visual, musical, digital written, or performed mediums

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COMMUNICATION	
COMMRC 0333	Introduction to Podcasting
COMMRC 1130	Business & Professional Speaking
COMMRC 1133	Integrated Marketing Communication
COMMRC 1144	Visual Communication
COMMRC 1158	Social Media Strategies
COMMRC 1168	Video Production
COMMRC 1177	Sports Communication
COMMRC 1550	Speechcraft

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JOURNALISM	
JOURNL 1133	Magazine Writing
JOURNL 1134	Feature Writing
JOURNL 1135	Editorial Writing
JOURNL 1136	Copyreading and Editing
JOURNL 1137	Newspaper Layout/Design
JOURNL 1140	Photography in Communications
JOURNL 1142	Journalism Practicum ( 3 credits)
JOURNL 1168	Video Production

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ENGLISH LITERATURE	
ENGLIT 0055	British Literature 1
ENGLIT 0056	British Literature 2
ENGLIT 0088	Introduction to Literature
ENGLIT 0316	Reading Poetry
ENGLIT 0326	Short Story in Context
ENGLIT 0355	Digital Humanities
ENGLIT 0363	Pumped: Literature and Sports
ENGLIT 0364	Lit and Foods: Raw and Radical
ENGLIT 0367	Crime, Trials & Psychodramas
ENGLIT 0368	Literature of Science & Nature
ENGLIT 0530	Film Analysis
ENGLIT 0574	American Literature 1
ENGLIT 0575	American Literature 2
ENGLIT 0578	The Literature of Violence
ENGLIT 0625	Detective Fiction
ENGLIT 0626	Science Fiction
ENGLIT 0634	Living on the Edge: Lit of the Extreme
ENGLIT 1019	Shakespeare and Culture
ENGLIT 1327	Britain's Modernity
ENGLIT 1360	Topics in 20th Century Literature
ENGLIT 1364	London in Current British Fiction

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MUSIC	
MUSIC 0062	Concert Choir ( 3 credits)
MUSIC 0069	Concert Band ( 3 credits)
MUSIC 0123	Basic Musicianship: Class Voice
MUSIC 0212	Introduction to Western Art Music
MUSIC 0223	History of Western Art Music to 1750
MUSIC 0225	History of Western Art Music since 1750
MUSIC 0413	Theory and Ear Training 1
MUSIC 0414	Theory and Ear Training 2
MUSIC 0425	Writing About Music
MUSIC 0641	Jazz Ensemble ( 3 credits)
MUSIC 0712	Jazz
MUSIC 0801	History of Rock and Roll
MUSIC 0802	Music for Social Change
MUSIC 0845	Special Topics in Music
MUSIC 0846	The Beatles
MUSIC 0897	Music and Film

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PHILOSOPHY	
PHIL 0203	Philosophy of Literature
PHIL 0230	Philosophy and Film
PHIL 1370	Philosophy of Art

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ENGLISH WRITING	
ENGWRT 0050	Intro to Creative Writing
ENGWRT 0053	Intro to Professional Writing
ENGWRT 0500	Creative Nonfiction Writing
ENGWRT 0501	Business Writing
ENGWRT 0511	Writing for Digital Media
ENGWRT 0521	Fiction Writing
ENGWRT 0531	Poetry Writing
ENGWRT 0541	Playwriting (cross listed w/ THEA 1765)
ENGWRT 0551	Science and Nature Writing
ENGWRT 0561	Writing for Social Change
ENGWRT 0570	Digital Poetry
ENGWRT 0600	Writing Witches, Harpies & Hags
ENGWRT 1192	Technical Writing

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Studio Arts	
SA 0120	Painting Studio 1
SA 0130	Drawing Studio 1

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THEATRE	
THEA 0010	Introduction to Theatre
THEA 0027	Stagecraft 1
THEA 0028	Stage Lighting 1
THEA 0053	Performing Literature
THEA 0630	Puppetry in Theatre
THEA 0841	Intro to Theatre Design
THEA 1507	Performing Shakespeare
THEA 1541	Theatre Repertory 1 (3 cr.)
THEA 1542	Theatre Repertory 2 (3 cr.)
THEA 1627	Rendering and Painting
THEA 1635	Scene Design 1
THEA 1646	Costume Design 1
THEA 1733	Special Topics
THEA 1765	Playwriting (cross listed w/ ENGWRT 0541)

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FINE ARTS	
FA 0015	History of Western Art 1
FA 0016	History of Western Art 2
FA 0440	Frank Lloyd Wright
FA 0450	Twentieth Century Architecture
FA 0521	American Painting 19th Century

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HUMANITIES	
HUMAN 0620	Humanities Data Science

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