



Arts, A/V
Technology &
Communications

Printing Technology



Cluster Overview: Focuses on designing, producing, exhibiting, performing, writing, and publishing multimedia content including visual and performing arts and design, journalism, and entertainment services.

Career Goal (O*NET Code): **Graphic Designer** (27-1024), Desktop Publisher(43-9031), Job/Cost Estimator (13-1051), Art Director (27-1011), Press Operator (51-5023), Bindery Worker (51-5011).

Student's Name: _____ **Date:** _____

School: Mabank High School **Grade:** 9th 10th 11th 12th AR

Primary Endorsement: Business & Industry **Additional Endorsements:** Arts & Humanities Multidisciplinary
 Public Service STEM

Parent's Signature: _____ **Student's Signature** _____

SUGGESTED COURSEWORK

EXTENDED LEARNING EXPERIENCES

Middle School	8th	HS Courses:	Algebra I Art I Health	Spanish I Touch Systems Data Entry	<p>Curricular Experiences:</p> <p>SkillsUSA</p> <p>Career Learning Experiences: Career Preparation Internship Job Shadowing</p> <p>Extracurricular Experiences: Language Immersion Programs School Newspaper Student Government UIL Academic Competitions Visiting Galleries/Museums Yearbook</p> <p>Service Learning Experiences: Campus Service Organizations Community Service Volunteer Peer Mentoring / Peer Tutoring</p>
		9th	Core Courses:	English I Algebra I or Geometry Biology	
	Career-Related Electives:		Business Information Management I Journalism I, Photojournalism, Yearbook I or Art I		
	10th	Core Courses:	English II Geometry or Alg II IPC or Chemistry	World History Languages other than English II	
		Career-Related Electives:	Entrepreneurship Advanced Journalism, Yearbook II, Newspaper II or Art II		
	11th	Core Courses:	English III Algebra II, Math Models, or Pre-Cal Physics	United States History Languages other than English III	
Career-Related Electives:		Digital Media Advanced Journalism, Yearbook III, Newspaper III or Art III			
12th	Core Courses:	English IV Alg II, Pre-Calculus, AP Calculus, AP Statistics, or Math Elective Science Elective	Government/Economics Fine Arts Languages other than English IV		
	Career-Related Electives:	Advanced Journalism, Yearbook IV, Newspaper IV or Art IV Advanced Marketing or Practicum in Information Technology			
Postsecondary	Practicum and/or Work-Based Experiences	Advertising Design Assistant Bindery Worker Assistant	Courier Desktop Publisher Assistant	Graphic Design Assistant Press Operator	<p>Professional Associations: American Institute of Graphic Arts Americans for the Arts Art House Dallas Society of Visual Communication Freelancers Union Graphic Arts Guild Graphic Arts Technical Foundation Mid-America Arts Alliance National Alliance for Media Arts and Culture National Association of Artists Organizations National Council for Skill Standards in Graphic Communication Printing and Imaging Association of MidAmerica Society for Environmental Graphic Design Specialty Graphic Imaging Association Visual Arts Society of Texas</p>
	Certificates	CDIA+ Document Imaging and Management	OSHA CareerSafe	Print Ed Press Operator	
	Associate Degrees	Advertising Business	Graphic Communication	Photographic/Imaging	
	Bachelor Degrees	Advertising Art Education Business	Commercial Art Graphic Arts	Marketing Photography	
Graduate Degrees	Advertising Art Education Business Management	Communication Design Graphic Arts Marketing	Printmaking Visual Communications	Shop Owner/Executive	

COLLEGE CREDIT OPPORTUNITIES -- High School
Students should take Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), dual credit, Advanced Technical Credit (ATC), or locally articulated courses (Tech Prep), if possible. List those courses that count for college credit on your campus.

This program of study (POS) serves as a guide, along with other college and career planning materials, for pursuing college and career goals. POS developed 2017. A Business & Industry endorsement as defined in 19 TAC 74.13(f)(2)(A) requires a coherent sequence of courses for four or more credits in career and technical education (CTE) that consists of at least two courses in the least one advanced CTE same career cluster, including at course, which includes any course that is the third or higher course in a sequence. The final courses in the sequence must be obtained from one of the Arts, AV Technology & Communications career cluster.