

QUEENS COLLEGE

Fashion and Design BA

FOUR-YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

12 Required Core Credits

18 Flexible Core Credits

12 College Option Credits

39 Major Credits

39 Elective credits

This 4-year academic plan is for freshmen entering Queens College in Fall 2025.

Our 4-year academic plans are illustrative examples of integrated degree requirements and course sequencing for each of the College's programs of study which are designed to ensure degree completion in a timely manner. Students are advised to meet with professional and faculty advisors to tailor their degree maps to their individual interests (academic and career goals), as well as other considerations including course offerings and the incorporation of winter and summer sessions. Course pre-requisite/s and co-requisite/s are strictly enforced, as are entrance and maintenance criteria (if applicable) for the successful completion of the degree.

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Freshman

FALL

English Composition I (EC1)	3 credits
FASH 120 The World of Fashion	3 credits
Creative Expression (CE)	3 credits
Life and Physical Science (LPS)	4 credits
College Option Language (LANG)	4 credits

Fall total credits **17 credits**

SPRING

English Composition II (EC2)	3 credits
FASH 121 Textiles Exploration	3 credits
FASH 157 or FASH 158	3 credits
History of Fashion in the West: Origins to 19th Century	
Math & Quantitative Reasoning (MQR)	3 credits
College Option Literature (LIT) + W	3 credits
With Writing Intensive Unit**	3 credits

Spring total credits **15 credits**

Sophomore

FALL

Individual & Society (IS)	3 credits
FASH 227	3 credits
Dress Matters Seminar: Contemporary Dress Experiences	
One course from Liberal Arts Fashion Electives: (FASH 228, FASH 370, FASH 380, or FASH 390)	3 credits
World Cultures & Global Issues (WCGI)	3 credits
U.S. Experience in Its Diversity (USED)	3 credits

Fall total credits **15 credits**

SPRING

FASH 201 Global Fashion and Textiles	3 credits
FASH 202 Fashion and Film	3 credits
Scientific World (SW)	
	3 credits
One course from Liberal Arts Fashion Electives: (FASH 228, FASH 370, FASH 380, or FASH 390)	3 credits
First Fashion Major Elective¥	3 credits

Spring total credits **15 credits**

¥Three Fashion Major Elective courses (9 credits):

ARTS 151 Drawing I	
ARTH 102 History of Western Art II	
ARTH 200 Art of the Silk Roads	
ARTH 258 History of Photography	
ARTH 286 African Art	
DANCE 351 Time and the Dancing Image in the U.S. II	
DESN 191 Basic Software for Design	
DRAM 201 History of World Theater I	
DRAM 214 Costume Design I	
EURO 201W The Arts in Europe	
FASH 358 Independent Study: Fashion Archive	
FASH 373 Internship in Fashion & Design (1, 2, or 3 cr)**	
ITAL 250W Italian Cinema and Media	
SOC 101 General Intro to Sociology	

ARTH 101 History of Western Art I	
ARTH 104 Survey of Asian Art	
ARTH 211 Early Christian and Byzantine Art	
ARTH 282 Art and Architecture of the Andes	
DANCE 350 Time and the Dancing Image in the U.S. I	
DESN 173 Shoot, Edit, Post	
DRAM 120 Introduction to Dramatic Literature	
DRAM 202 History of World Theater II	
DRAM 314 Costume Design II	
EURO 301W Topics in European Studies	
FASH 359 Independent Study: Fashion Design Projects	
ITAL 45W Italian Civilization	
MEDST 101 Contemporary Media	
WGS 101W Intro to Women & Gender Studies	

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Junior

FALL

An Additional College Core	3 credits
Two courses from Fashion Design Electives: (FASH 225, FASH 325, FASH 126, FASH 226)	6 credits
Second Fashion Major Elective*	3 credits
Third Fashion Major Elective *	3 credits

Fall total credits

15 credits

SPRING

One Writing Intensive Unit or double up (W)	3 credits
College Option Science (SCI)	3 credits
An Additional Flexible Core	3 credits
Second major, minor, or general electives	6 credits

Spring total credits

15 credits

Senior

FALL

Second major, minor, or general electives	15 credits
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Fall total credits

15 credits

SPRING

Second major, minor, or general electives	15 credits
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Spring total credits

15 credits

*If a Literature course is taken with a W, it will count towards Literature and one Writing Intensive Unit.

General Education requirements may be taken in any order if the pre-requisite requirement(s) is/are satisfied.

*General Electives: Students may complete general electives by taking courses in (most) department/s or programs they choose; however, depending on the course/program, students may need department permission and/or prerequisite course/s. Electives may be used to supplement the chosen major (an English major may want to take a course in French or Italian literature) or to fulfill interest in a different area (a Music major may be interested in the physics of sound). Students are encouraged to use available electives to complete a dual major, minor, pre-requisites for graduate or professional school, or complete and internship, experiential learning and/or study abroad. Students are encouraged to use their available general electives wisely and focus on coursework that will assist them personally, academically and professionally.