

NewSchool of Architecture & Design *with* Palomar College  
 Bachelor of Architecture Transfer Guide  
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Architecture Studio & Representation Coursework required in the 1st + 2nd Years of B Architecture						Semester Credits
1st + 2nd year Studios	AR 141	<i>Graphic Representation I</i>	3	ARCH 105	Basic Architectural Drafting	3
	AR 142	<i>Graphic Representation II</i>	3	ARCH 150	Beginning Computer Aided Drafting	3
	AR 143	<i>Graphic Representation III</i>	3	*	<i>Series fulfilled by above courses</i>	*
	AR 101	<i>Foundation Studio I</i>	6	ARCH 145 AND ARCH 215	Designing for Communication & Presentation AND Design Studio IA	6
	AR 102	<i>Foundation Studio II</i>	6	ARCH 200	Advanced Visualization & Design	3
	AR 201	<i>Architectural Design Studio</i>	6	ARCH 216	Design Studio IB	3
	AR 202	<i>Architectural Design Studio</i>	6	ARCH 217	Design Studio IIA	3
	AR 203	<i>Architectural Design Studio</i>	6	ARCH 218 AND ARCH 122	Design Studio IIB AND History of Architectural Theory	6
	Architecture Lecture Coursework required in the 1st & 2nd Years of the B Architecture Program					
Lower Division	AR 261	<i>Architectural Studies I (H1)</i>	3	ARCH 120	Architectural History	3
	AR 262	<i>Architectural Studies II (H2)</i>	3	ARCH 121	Multicultural Architectural History	3
	AR 263	<i>Architectural Studies III (H3)</i>	3	*	<i>Series fulfilled by above courses</i>	*
	AR 231	<i>Environmental Systems I (N)</i>	3	ARCH 160	Environmental Architecture and Design	3
	AR232	<i>Environmental Systems II (P)</i>	3	<i>No Equivalent</i>	<i>To be completed at NewSchool</i>	*
	AR 271	<i>Building Systems I</i>	3	ARCH 135	Architectural Materials and Methods of Construction	3
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Applicants must earn a minimum passing grade of C to receive Transfer Credit for 1st + 2nd year coursework. Studio placement is based on the applicant's portfolio and completing ALL required Transfer Courses for all first and second year coursework.</i></p>						
INTEGRATIVE STUDIES COURSEWORK						

C1st + 2nd Year Lower	ENG 111	<i>English Composition</i>	3	ENGL C1000	Academic Reading And Writing	4
	ENG 112	<i>Advanced English Composition</i>	3	ENGL C1001	Critical Thinking and Composition	4
	COM 113	<i>Speech Communication</i>	3	COMM C1000	Introduction to Public Speaking	3
	AR100	<i>Making &amp; Thinking</i>	3	<i>No Equivalent</i>	<i>To be completed at NewSchool</i>	*
	MTH 171	<i>Intermediate Algebra</i>	3	MATH 110	College Algebra	4
	MTH 172	<i>Trigonometry</i>	3	MATH 115	Trigonometry	3
	MTH 174	<i>Plane Geometry</i>	3	<i>No Equivalent</i>	Calculus with Analytic Geometry	5
	SCI 173	<i>Environmental Biology</i>	3	BIOL 118	Introductory Biology: Ecology	3
	SCI 170	<i>Fundamentals of Physics</i>	3	PHYS 120	General Physics	4

<i>GEO180</i>	<i>World Regional Geography</i>	<b>3</b>	<b>GEOG 103</b>	<b>World Regional Geography</b>	<b>3</b>
<i>HIS 260</i>	<i>Hist of Pre-Modern Art &amp; Dsgn</i>	<b>3</b>	<b>ART 165</b>	<b>History of Art I: Survey of Western Art</b>	<b>3</b>
<i>HIS 261</i>	<i>Hist of Post-Modern Art &amp; Dsgn</i>	<b>3</b>	<b>ART 166</b>	<b>History of Art II: Survey of Western Art</b>	<b>3</b>
<i>PHL 161</i>	<i>Intro to Philosophy</i>	<b>3</b>	<b>PHIL 111</b>	<b>Introduction to Philosophy</b>	<b>3</b>

*All GE courses must be completed with a minimum grade of "C" or better to earn transfer credits. Courses listed in the matrix represent the best course equivalents. Alternative courses may be taken instead, please refer to the NewSchool transfer page for more details on acceptable courses that substitute for required GE courses at NewSchool. Students are required to take additional upper and lower division GE courses at NewSchool to complete their degree. Students may be awarded additional GE transfer credits for any GE courses completed with a minimum grade of "C" or better that meet the course and credit requirements to earn a NewSchool degree.*

*NewSchool understands that for some students the difference between transferring to a desired institution and waiting another quarter, semester, or even a year, may be incomplete General Education credits. For some students, this may be the result of changing desires, goals or disciplines, and for others this shortfall may have come about unexpectedly. To ensure that all students (who are otherwise academically and financially prepared to be successful at NewSchool) may begin their studies on time; we reserve the right to allow transfer students to start at NewSchool even if some required General Education courses are pending. This determination will be made following a case-by-case review of all transfer credits, and if approved, the remaining GE courses may be completed at NewSchool. The Director of Integrative Studies and the Academic Advising Office will work with each student individually to ensure that all pre-requisites are met and that each student is prepared for academic success while studying at NewSchool of Architecture & Design.*

