Certificate of Proficiency (15 units)

Graphic Communication – Planning Guide*



	Courses	Units	Semester Offered	Online	On Campus	Pre- Requisite	Advisory	Sequence
Courses (select 15 units, 5 classes)								
	MAT 105 History of Graphic Design	3	Fall, Spring, Summer	Yes	No	None	None	1 - 3
	MAT 135 Graphic Design 1 : Principles	3	Fall, Spring	Yes	Yes	None	None	1
	MAT 155 Graphic Design 2 : Typography	3	Fall, Spring	Yes	Yes	None	MAT 135	2 - 3
	MAT 170 Digital Illustration 1 : Adobe Illustrator	3	Fall, Spring	Yes	Yes	None	None	1 - 2
	MAT 180 Digital Publishing : Adobe InDesign	3	Fall, Spring	Yes	Yes	None	110 + 170	2 - 3
	MAT 185 Graphic Design 3 : Design and Layout	3	Fall, Spring	No	Yes	None	MAT 135	3 - 4

Total Required: 15 Units

* This planning guide is intended to help you plan your course of study. Students should still meet with a counselor and/or departmental faculty. Course scheduling is subject to change. Check the official class schedule for specific course offerings. The "sequence" number indicates a recommended and progressive course of study and semester order for students in their 1st, 2nd, 3rd, or 4th semester, based on a traditional twoyear course of study. More information and course descriptions are available at mat.miracosta.edu.