

High School to College and Career Pathway: Secondary

Career and Technical Education: Preparing Students for College and Career!



Area of Study: Skilled and Technical Sciences Education

Pathway: Visual Arts – Commercial Photography

Get the Facts

Daguerreotype was the first successful photographic process. This process took 10 to 20 minutes to properly expose to available light. Therefore, people were required to sit still for that period of time to have their picture taken.

The word “photography” comes from the Greek words for light and writing.

Workforce Trends

The number of portrait photographers is projected to increase along with the population. New opportunities should arise with Internet-based media companies, but keen competition is expected.



CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Recommended Pathway Courses

(Students may select individual courses for exploration, or a complete Pathway for an in-depth focus.)

CLASS AVAILABILITY MAY VARY AT YOUR HIGH SCHOOL

Course #	Foundation Courses: (required)	Credit
	Choose one of the following “Basic” courses:	
50.0406	Basic Film Photography	.50
50.0407	Basic Digital Photography	.50
50.0408	Advanced Commercial Photography	.50
	Elective Courses:	
11.0210	Multimedia	1.00
11.0215	3D Graphics	.50
11.0216	3D Animation	.50
50.0401	Design and Visual Communications	.50
50.0402	Commercial and Advertising Art	.50
32.0199	Student Internship (Critical Workplace Skills)	.50

1.00 credit

1.50 credits

2.50 credits for completion

Commercial Photography is:

> High wage

Sample Career Occupations

- > Certificate
- > Associate degree
- > Bachelor's degree
- > Professional degree
- > On-the-job training
- > Apprenticeship
- > Military training

Middle School		State Requirements		High School Suggested Education Plan				College and Career
7th Grade	8th Grade	Middle School	High School	9th Grade Suggested	10th Grade Suggested	11th Grade Suggested	12th Grade Suggested	Beyond High School
Language Arts 7 1.00	Language Arts 8 1.00	2.00	Language Arts 4.00	Language Arts 9 1.00	Language Arts 10 1.00	Language Arts 11 1.00	Language Arts 12 1.00	There are a number of options for education and training beyond high school, depending on your career goals. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Certificate > Associate degree > Bachelor's degree > Professional degree > On-the-job training > Apprenticeship > Military training For more information on salary projections, labor market demand, and training options, visit www.utahfutures.org .
Math * 1.00	Math * 1.00	2.00	Math 3.00	Math * 1.00	Math * 1.00	Math * 1.00		
Science .50	Science 1.00	1.50	Science 3.00	Earth Systems 1.00	Chemistry 1.00 or Physics 1.00 or Physics with Technology 1.00	Additional Credit 1.00		
Utah Studies .50	U.S. History I 1.00	1.50	Social Studies 3.00	Geography for Life .50	World Civilizations .50	U.S. History II 1.00	U.S. Government and Citizenship .50	
P.E. 1.00	Health .50	1.50	P.E./Health 2.00	Participation Skills and Techniques .50	Fitness for Life .50 / Health Education .50 Lifetime Activities or Sport .50			
The Arts .50	The Arts .50	1.00	Fine Arts 1.50	Fine Arts Courses 1.50				
Keyboarding .50			Computer Tech. .50	Computer Technology .50				
CTE Intro 1.00		1.00	CTE 1.00	Refer to Career and Technical Education box above.				

* Talk to your school counselor about math requirements in the new common core curriculum. Core curriculum and elective requirements may vary district to district.

Concurrent enrollment course offerings vary by school and district. Many Utah postsecondary programs accept high school courses toward a two- or four-year degree through concurrent enrollment. Check regional postsecondary Pathways for details.