



# Design, Visual & Media Arts Career Pathway



Santa Paula High School is proud to offer a Design, Visual, and Media Arts Pathway. Students explore career options in their 9th grade *Choices: College & Careers* class, and have the opportunity to select a pathway to start in the fall of the 10th grade year. With the increasing use of art and design elements in daily life, the demand for jobs in this pathway will continue to grow.

Take the first steps toward your future! Students with a talent or interest in Design, Visual, and Media Arts should see their counselor to complete an application now!



## Design, Visual & Media Arts Pathway Classes

- ❖ **Digital Media (10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup>)**  
*Recommended Prerequisite: Computer Art*
- ❖ **Animation, Capstone (12<sup>th</sup>)**  
*Recommended Prerequisite: Drawing*  
**Or;**
- ❖ **Web Design, Capstone (12<sup>th</sup>)**  
*Recommended Prerequisite: Computer Literacy*  
**Or;**
- ❖ **Game Design, Capstone (12<sup>th</sup>)**  
*Recommended Prerequisite: Computer Literacy*

The Design, Visual & Media Arts Pathway will prepare students for entry-level employment opportunities, as well as the following degree and college programs:

**California Institute of the Arts, Valencia**  
**Art Center College of Design, Pasadena**  
**OTIS College of Art and Design, Los Angeles**  
**Moorpark College:** Computer Graphics,  
 Graphic Design

The Design, Visual & Media Arts Program also could lead to UC and CSU degrees: BA and BFA in Graphic Design, Film Video, Fine Art, and Photography.

## Design, Visual & Media Arts Careers

- ❖ **Commercial Artist**
- ❖ **Illustrator**
- ❖ **Animator**
- ❖ **Photographer**
- ❖ **Graphic Designer**
- ❖ **Lighting Technician**
- ❖ **Publicity Director**
- ❖ **Fine Artist**
- ❖ **Media and Design Arts Technician**
- ❖ **Special Effects Coordinator**
- ❖ **Videographer**
- ❖ **Camera Operator**
- ❖ **Sound Technician**
- ❖ **Sign Painter**
- ❖ **Museum Curator**



Additional information may be found on the Santa Paula High School website, under "Programs."

Please note: Program Development continues to be revised and refined to best meet regional needs and align with certification and college programs. Classes may be changed as part of this process. 10-28-2016