INTERIOR DESIGN

Ensign College

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DEGREE OPTIONS

The Interior Design Program has three degree options...

- Associate of Applied Science (6-semesters)

- Certificate   (2-semesters)

- Certificate + AS Degree   (4-semesters)

Associate of Applied Science

- This is a professional degree that prepares students for the practice of interior design through instruction in design, space planning, drawing and business.

- Completion of this degree will meet the educational requirements to complete the NCIDQ (National Council for Interior Design Qualification) Exam and the LEED, Green Associate (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design, Green Associate) Exam.

- AAS graduates will be prepared for entry-level interior designer positions in architectural, commercial furniture and interior design firms

- Students in the AAS program must earn B- or higher in all ID courses.

Certificate

- The certificate introduces students to the basics of interior decorating.

- Completion of this degree will prepare students for entry-level positions in furniture stores as staff designers, home staging, or as sales reps in floor/wall covering, or textiles firms.

- This degree does not prepare students to work in design firms as interior designers.

- International students cannot complete the certificate only. They must enroll in the AAS degree or the AS degree + certificate.

- Students in the certificate program must earn C- or higher in all ID courses.

Certificate + AS Degree

- This option pairs the certificate with additional general education courses.

- It is for students who want to transfer to a different school to complete a bachelor's degree.

- Note: we do not have transfer agreements for the ID certificate with other ID programs.

Interior Design AAS Degree - Advising Sequence

6 Semesters - Three Sequencing Options

Option 1	- Fall Start	- First Summer Off	- Fall - Winter - Fall - Winter - Spring - Fall
Option 2	- Fall Start	- Year Round	- Fall - Winter - Spring - Fall - Winter - Spring
Option 3	- Winter Start	- Year Round	- Winter - Spring - Fall - Winter - Spring - Fall

No Spring start is offered for the ID Program

Important Program Notes:

B- grade in all ID courses with overall 3.0 GPA min. is required

ID499 may be taken in the 5th or any subsequent semester

CAR101 must be taken in 1st semester

Only 1 religion class per semester is permitted

All other non-ID courses may be taken in any semester/sequence

CID	Course Name	Credits	Pre-req or Concurrent**	Co-req*	Offered		
Semester 1 - Fall or Winter							
ID104	Principles of Design	2	Acceptance to ID Program	-	F	W	-
ID110	Color Theory	2	ID104**	-	F	W	-
ID120	Digital Presentation Techniques	3	ID104**, ID110**	-	F	W	-
ID125	Drafting	3	ID104**, ID110**, ID120**	-	F	W	-
ID260	Historical Furnishings & Architecture	3	ID104**	-	F	W	-
CAR101	College Readiness	1	-	-	F	W	S
	Total Hours	14					
Semester 2 - Winter or Spring							
ID200	Drawing and Visualization	4	ID104, ID110, ID120, ID125	-	-	W	S
ID215	Textiles	2	ID104, ID110, ID120, ID125	-	-	W	S
ID225	Intro to CAD	3	ID104, ID110, ID120, ID125	-	-	W	S
ID360	Modern Furnishings & Architecture	3	ID260	-	-	W	S
REL1	Religion	2	-	-	F	W	S
	Total Hours	14					
Semester 3 - Fall or Spring							
ID300	Space Planning	4	ID200, ID215, ID225	ID300, ID305, ID315	F	-	S
ID305	Lighting	3	ID200, ID215, ID225	ID300, ID305, ID315	F	-	S
ID315	Kitchen and Bath	3	ID200, ID215, ID225	ID300, ID305, ID315	F	-	S
COM122	Interpersonal Communications	3	-	-	F	W	S
REL2	Religion	2	-	-	F	W	S
	Total Hours	15					
Semester 4 - Fall or Winter							
ID325	Computer I - Intro to Revit	3	ID300, ID305, ID315	ID325, ID350	F	W	-
ID335	Materials and Specifications	2	ID325**	-	F	W	-
ID350	Studio I - Residential Design	4	ID300, ID305, ID315	ID325, ID350	F	W	-
BAP115	Excel and Technology in Business	1	-	-	F	W	S
REL-CS	Religion - Cornerstone	2	-	-	F	W	S
MAT107	Math 107 - OR HIGHER	3	-	-	F	W	S
	Total Hours	15					
Semester 5 - Winter or Spring							
ID425	Computer II - Advanced Revit	3	ID350	ID425, ID435, ID450	-	W	S
ID435	Codes and regulations	3	ID350	ID425, ID435, ID450	-	W	S
ID450	Studio II - Commercial Design	4	ID350	ID425, ID435, ID450	-	W	S
ID499	Internship (AAS Only)	1	ID325, ID335, ID350	-	F	W	S
ENG101	English	3	-	-	F	W	S
	Total Hours	14					
Semester 6 - Spring or Fall							
ID455	LEED Prep	2	ID425, ID435, ID450	-	F	-	S
ID475	Business of Interiors	3	ID425, ID435, ID450	-	F	-	S
ID480	Portfolio	3	ID425, ID435, ID450	-	F	-	S
ID490	NCIDQ Prep	3	ID425, ID435, ID450	-	F	-	S
REL3	Religion	2	-	-	F	W	S
	Total Hours	13					

Interior Design Certificate - Advising Sequence

2 Semesters - Two Sequencing Options

Option 1	- Fall Start	- Fall - Winter
Option 2	- Winter Start	- Winter - Spring

No Spring start is offered for the ID Program

Important Program Notes:

C- grade in all ID courses with overall 2.0 GPA min. is required

ID199 may be taken any time after completing ID125

REL-CS can be taken in 1st or 2nd semester

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Semester 1 - Fall or Winter							
ID104	Principles of Design	2	Acceptance to ID Program	-	F	W	-
ID110	Color Theory	2	ID104**	-	F	W	-
ID120	Digital Presentation Techniques	3	ID104**, ID110**	-	F	W	-
ID125	Drafting	3	ID104**, ID110**, ID120**	-	F	W	-
ID260	Historical Furnishings & Architecture	3	ID104**	-	F	W	-
REL-CS	Religion - Cornerstone	2	-	-	F	W	S
	Total Hours	15					
Semester 2 - Winter or Spring							
ID199	Internship (Certificate Only)	1	ID125	-	F	W	S
ID200	Drawing and Visualization	4	ID104, ID110, ID120, ID125	-	-	W	S
ID215	Textiles	2	ID104, ID110, ID120, ID125	-	-	W	S
ID225	Intro to CAD	3	ID104, ID110, ID120, ID125	-	-	W	S
ID360	Modern Furnishings & Architecture	3	ID260	-	-	W	S
	Total Hours	13					

ADVISING & INSTRUCTION

Academic Advising

All full-time students should follow the program advising sequence to stay on track to complete the program in 6 semesters. If you are not attending full-time, or you choose not to follow the advising sequence, please meet with your advisor to create a custom course sequencing plan.

Advising is available through the Academic & Career Advising Services on the 9th floor. The advisor assigned to Interior Design is Matt Smith (matthew.smith@ensign.edu, 801-524-8134).

Students in the AAS or Certificate degrees who don't earn a minimum of a B- or C- respectively, will need to retake those courses.

Faculty Availability

Most instructors are part-time faculty with no regular office hours in college. It is crucial that you attend class to not miss important information as it may be difficult to reach instructors at other times.

Most instructors work full-time in the field of design and have strenuous work schedules which they must maintain. Therefore, some classes may be offered in the evenings.

Tutor Availability

Tutors are available through the Student Success Center on the 9th floor. Don't be afraid to reach out to them for help. They are here specifically for ID students. Details of their hours and how to make appointments can be found on the Interior Design Info & Resources page.

COMPUTER REQUIREMENTS

Hardware

Students are required to have their own laptop. Requirements as follows...

Operating System:	64-bit Windows 10 or 11
CPU Type:	Intel i-Series, Ryzen, Xeon, Threadripper
CPU Size:	2.5GHz or higher
RAM:	16GB (min)
	32GB (recommended)
Video Card:	DirectX 11 capable with Shader Model 5
	4GB video memory (min)
Hard Disk:	10,000+ RPM or SSD
	Enough space to store and run everything
	30GB free space required for Revit to run
Connections:	Need HDMI port or an adapter
Mouse:	With right/left click and scrolling wheel

Note: Mac computers are not recommended. If you have one, you must know how to run Windows on it. Revit will only run on Windows and is very power hungry. No instruction can be offered on technical problems with running Windows/Revit on Mac computers.

Software

Microsoft Office	free through school
Word	
Excel	
PowerPoint	
Adobe CC	free through school
Photoshop	
Illustrator	
InDesign	
Acrobat	
AutoCAD	free education version
Revit	free education version
SketchUp	discounted education version

COSTS & SOURCES

Cost Expectations

In addition to tuition and laptop, costs will range from $500 to $1000 per year, for books, materials, and other supplies.

Other than the ID Kit, it is recommended that you wait until the first day of class to confirm what further supplies will be required.

Supplies Sources

- Amazon.com
- Blick Art Supplies - 1025 E 2100 S SLC, UT 84106
- Michael's - 2236 S 1300 E Suite D2 SLC, UT 84106
- Talk to other students and share

Sample Library
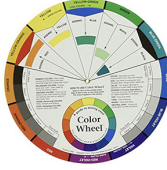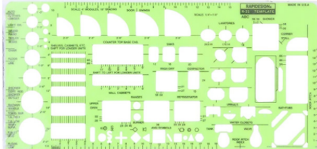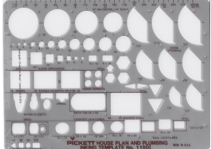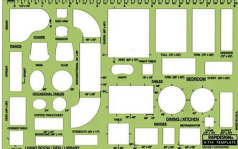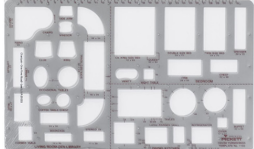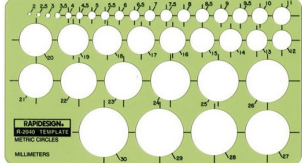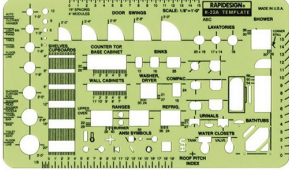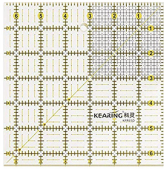
There is a sample library located on the 8th floor in room 803/804. This is a resource for you to use throughout your time at Ensign College.

This room must be kept clean and orderly at all times. Please clean up after yourself and return samples to their proper shelves. Please do not use any spray adhesives in here or anywhere else on campus.
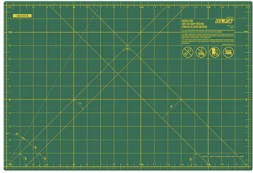
REQUIRED SUPPLIES
Included in ID Kit

You can buy your ID kit from the bookstore on the first floor of Ensign College. The kit contains most of the items you will need to start classes.

Color Wheel	
1/4" Drafting Template House Planning and Plumbing	 **R22**　　**OR**　　**1150i**
1/4" Drafting Template House Furnishings	 **R714**　　**OR**　　**1155i**
Drafting Circle Template	
1/8" Drafting Template Residential	
Clear Ruler	
1/2" Drafting Template NKBA Kitchen and Bath	
10" Drafting Triangles 45° and 30/60°	
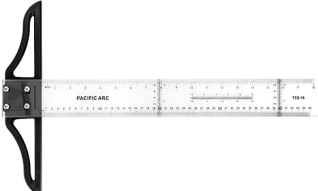
REQUIRED SUPPLIES
Included in ID Kit

Rubber Cement More in bookstore if needed	
Fabric Scissors One pair included You should buy another pair for paper	
Cutting Mat 12 x 18" approx. Do not cut on tables without mat	
Xacto Knife	
Replacement Blades 5 pack included You will need more	
Metal Straight Edge Grip on Back	
Architectural Scale Ruler Imperial Only	
0.9mm Mechanical Pencil Replacement Leads	

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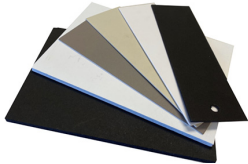|	
Kneadable Eraser	
Gridded Sketchbook	
Tracing Paper 12" x 50 yds	
Drafting Dots	
Adjustable T-square	
Drafting Pens 0.1mm - 1.2mm	
Red Lining Sharpie	
Correction Tape	

REQUIRED SUPPLIES
Not Included in ID Kit but Available in Bookstore

Bristol Board 8.5 x 11" Heavy Gauge Paper Only need 5 pages... Go in as a group.	

REQUIRED SUPPLIES
Not Included in ID Kit or the Bookstore

Drafting Board Board is provided in drafting class You may want your own for home	
Mat Board Use as needed for color boards	
Hot Glue Gun and Glue	**See Color Theory Class**
Paint Brushes	**See Color Theory Class**
Craft Paint	**See Color Theory Class**
Paint Pallet	**See Color Theory Class**