

Message from the Dean



Welcome to the Public Services and Fine Arts Division. Our division offers a wide variety of exceptional career paths and learning opportunities. In addition to being outstanding instructors and academic advisors, our faculty members are experienced professionals in their respective disciplines.

They will inspire you and put theory into practice through various experiential learning options and opportunities. The entire faculty and staff of the PS & FA Division are committed to helping you achieve your academic and career goals. I encourage you to explore the viable and exciting career fields of our division.

The resources, support, and guidance are available to you to achieve success in the classroom and to become a lifelong learner for success beyond our campus. I am confident that you can achieve great success in your chosen field of study.

Sincerely,
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About Our Programs

The **Advertising and Graphic Design** curriculum is designed to provide students with knowledge and skills necessary for employment in the graphic design profession, which emphasizes advertising and design, print and web design, and audio/video production.

The **Associate in Fine Arts (AFA)** degree programs are designed for the student who aspires to transfer to a four year college or university, while concentrating in either the area of Music or Visual Fine Arts. The completion of the AFA degree fulfills the freshman and sophomore requirements and allows the student to claim junior status at the receiving four year institution.

Basic Law Enforcement Training covers the skills and knowledge needed for entry-level employment as a law enforcement officer in North Carolina. Emphasis is placed on topics and areas as defined by the North Carolina Administrative Code. Upon completion, students should be able to demonstrate competence in the topics and areas required for the state comprehensive examination. This is a certificate level course.

Criminal Justice Technology is designed to provide knowledge of criminal justice systems and operations. Study will focus on local, state, and federal law enforcement, judicial processes, corrections, counseling, and security services. The criminal justice system's role within society will be explored.

The **Education and Child Development** curriculum prepares individuals to educate and provide care to children with diverse abilities, ages infancy through high school, in varied educational setting. These include private and public child care programs, preschool programs, elementary schools, middle schools, and high schools. Students can choose from 4 transferable degree tracks in B-K Education, K-12 Education, and Early Childhood Administration. Students can earn certificates in areas such as Special Education and Autism.

The **Human Services Technology (HST)** curriculum prepares students for entry-level positions in organizations and agencies which provide prevention, treatment, and community support services. Students may choose to earn an AAS in general Human Services Technology or we offer concentrations in either Gerontology or Substance Abuse. The HST program is approved by the Council for Standards in Human Services Education.

The **Paralegal Technology** program prepares graduates to succeed as professional, ethical, problem-solving members of legal teams and other work environments that make use of legal professionals. This program is approved by the American Bar Association. Graduates are eligible to sit for the NC State Bar's Certified Paralegal Exam.



Public Services & Fine Arts Programs

Advertising and Graphic Design

Advertising and Graphic Design Degree (AAS)
AGD: Fine Arts Supplemental Diploma
Advertising and Graphic Design Certificate

Associate in Fine Arts

Associate in Fine Arts in Visual Arts Degree (AFA)
Associate in Fine Arts in Music (AFA)

Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET)

Criminal Justice Technology

Criminal Justice Technology Degree (AAS)

Education and Child Development

Associate in Arts in Teacher Preparation (AATP)
Associate in Science in Teacher Preparation (ASTP)
Early Childhood Education Degree (AAS)
ECE: Birth Through Kindergarten Degree (AAS)
ECE: Early Education Non-Teaching Degree (AAS)
Early Childhood Education Diploma
Administration Certificate
Autism Certificate
Early Childhood Education Certificate
Infant and Toddler Certificate
School Age Certificate
Special Education Certificate

Human Services Technology (HST)

Human Services Technology Degree (AAS)
HST-Gerontology Degree (AAS)
HST-Substance Abuse Degree (AAS)
Human Services Technology Diploma
Aging Studies Certificate
Substance Abuse Certificate

Paralegal Technology

Paralegal Technology Degree (AAS)
Paralegal Post Baccalaureate Diploma