Animation and Interactive Media Programme

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Programme Structure (2025 cohort)	Unit	Year 1		Year 2		Year 3		Year 4	
		S1	S2	S1	S2	S1	S2	S1	S2
Common Core Courses	**15**	**3**		**3**	**3**	**3**	**3**		
Common Core Required Courses	**12**	**3**		**3**	**3**	**3**			
Data Structure and Algorithms					3				
JavaScript for Art and Design			3						
Python for Visual Culture				3					
AI for Art Students						3			
Common Core Elective Courses	**3**						3		
Major Required Courses	**60**	**3**	**6**	**12**	**9**	**9**	**12**	**6**	**3**
Fundamentals of Communication		3							
Introduction to Media Aesthetics			3						
Studio Art Practices: Drawing Fundamentals			3						
Scriptwriting for Animation				3					
Fundamentals of Digital Illustration				3					
History of Animation				3					
Introduction to Communication Theory				3					
3D Modelling					3				
Interactive Graphics					3				
2D Computer Animation					3				
Scenery Design						3			
Interactive Media Workshop						3			
Multimedia Storytelling						3			
3D Animation							3		
Interactive Media Arts: Origins to the Present							3		
Animation Sound Design and Mixing							3		
Communication Research Methods							3		
Production Methods								3	
Final Year Project I (AIM)								3	
Final Year Project II (AIM)									3
Major Elective Courses	**18**					**3**	**3**	**6**	**6**
University Core Courses	**37**	**12**	**11**	**8**	**6**				
University Chinese			3						
English for Academic Purposes I		3							
English for Academic Purposes II			3						
Introduction to AI Literacy		3							
Introduction to Modern Social Theories					3				
Morality and Foundations of Law			3						
Chinese Culture and Modern China				3					
Contemporary Chinese Society and Thought I		3							
Contemporary Chinese Society and Thought II				3					
Contemporary World and China					2				
Military Training		2							
Emotional Intelligence			1						
Experiential Arts				1					
Voluntary Service, or Environmental Awareness					1				

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		S1	S2	S1	S2	S1	S2	S1	S2
Healthy Lifestyle		1	1	1					
General Education Courses	**18**	**3**	**3**		**6**	**3**		**3**	
History and Civilization (Level 1)					3				
Quantitative Reasoning (Level 1)		3							
Values and the Meaning of Life (Level 1)			3						
Interdisciplinary Thematic Courses (Level 2)					3	3			
Capstone Courses (Level 3)								3	
Free Elective Courses	**0**								
Total Unit	**148**	**21**	**20**	**23**	**24**	**18**	**18**	**15**	**9**