

JOHNSON COUNTY COMMUNITY  
COLLEGE TRANSFER INFORMATION FOR  
KANSAS CITY ART INSTITUTE  
2023-2024 ACADEMIC YEAR  
[www.kcai.edu](http://www.kcai.edu)

**OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS**

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**TRANSFER ADMISSION PROCEDURES/QUALIFICATIONS**

- Application:
- Application is online at [www.kcai.edu](http://www.kcai.edu).
  - No application fee is required.
  - Request official transcripts from all previous colleges and universities. Students who have earned fewer than 24 college credits, including coursework in humanities and science, are required to submit a high school transcript or GED.
  - Application deadline: March 1. After March 1, admission is rolling depending on availability of space.
- Letters of Recommendation:
- One letter of recommendation is recommended from teachers, professional artists or employers who are familiar with your work and work ethic.
  - Forms are provided but not required for recommendation.
- Portfolio Evaluation:
- Portfolio review and course evaluations will be determined by an Admissions Committee.
- Transfer Qualifications:
- Minimum recommended cumulative GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.
- ACT/SAT Scores:
- Not required for admission.
- Campus Visits:
- Arrange for a visit by contacting [admiss@kcai.edu](mailto:admiss@kcai.edu) or phone.

**TUITION/FEES/EXPENSES**

<u>Tuition/Fees:</u>	\$42,000
<u>Books and Supplies:</u>	Estimated: \$1,500
<u>Technology Fee:</u>	\$600
<u>Health and Wellness Fee:</u>	\$150
<u>Room and Board:</u>	Double Room: \$9,170; 19 meals per week plan: \$3,730; 14 meals per week plan: \$3,340
<u>Est. Additional Expense:</u>	\$2,500 (personal and transportation)

**FINANCIAL AID/SCHOLARSHIPS**

Application Deadline: March 1 – priority scholarship deadline.

**TRANSFER CREDIT/GRADING POLICIES**

- Application of Credit: No specific limit, but placement is based on portfolio review and number of studio credit hours. A maximum of 63 credit hours may be transferred.
- GPA Calculation: Calculation of GPA for the bachelor's degree includes those grades from course work taken at KCAI only.
- Pass/Fail: Accepted, provided a Pass grade is equivalent to a "C" or higher.
- "D" Grades: Not acceptable.
- Time Limit on Credit: No time limit on age of credit earned.
- Credit Given For: Department proficiency exams, AP test in liberal arts administered through College Board Tests, CLEP (up to 15 hours).

**SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

- Internships are available through all departments in areas across the country.
- Foreign study available in junior year to several countries and domestic exchanges available through AICAD, which includes over 35 independent art and design colleges throughout the United States, four affiliated Canadian colleges, and select colleges in Singapore, China and the UK.