Considering a career in creative technology?

These courses can be applied to programs in our School of Creative Industries & Digital Technology.

You can take any of the courses listed in the table below through Open Studies before you are admitted to or waitlisted for a post-secondary program. Taking courses through Open Studies will also help lighten your workload and will prepare you for the program of your choice. You can also gain transfer credit at other post-secondary institutions for many of these courses.

Once you are admitted to your post-secondary program, the course credits will be transferred to your program.
***Course transferability subject to curriculum changes.*

M – Mandatory course: This course is required in this program to qualify for program completion and graduation.
E – Elective course: This course is used to fulfill an elective requirement. Electives offer opportunities to expand knowledge, develop critical thinking skills, and make connections between different areas of study. Not all programs have elective requirements.

Courses are subject to availability each term. Registration for these courses is completed online at *bowvalleycollege.ca/programs/open-studies*

Upcoming registration dates for Open Studies courses are:
November 9, 2026, for classes beginning January 2027
March 8, 2027, for classes beginning May 2027
July 5, 2027, for classes beginning September 2027

Course Code	Course Name	Digital Design Diploma	Software Development Diploma
DESN1101	Fundamentals Principles of Digital Design	M	
SODV1101	Programming Fundamentals		M
TECH1101	Web and internet Fundamentals		M

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