



Residential Planning Diploma Program Student Acknowledgement

The Residential Planning diploma program provides a hands-on approach to education that develops students' skills in the basics of hand drafting, color theory, drawing, AutoCAD, and the fundamentals of space planning. The courses prepare graduates to guide customers in a residential retail sales setting to envision and plan small interior projects and renovations. The design of the program is geared toward working adults for self-enrichment (preferably with a college degree and professional experience).

As a one-year diploma program consisting of 36 credits, it does not meet the required amount of educational credits required for membership in the professional, field-related student chapters including ASID (American Society of Interior Designers), IIDA (International Interior Design Association) or the GBA (Green Building Alliance).

Additionally, the program does not provide students with sufficient credentials to be eligible to sit for the NCIDQ exam (National Council of Interior Design Qualifications).

Those students interested in advancing their education toward professional interior design can fully transfer successfully completed (with a grade of C or better) Residential Planning diploma course credits to The Art Institute of Pittsburgh – Online Division Interior Design Bachelor of Science degree program.

(Student Name)

(Signature)

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