



Dulwich High School  
of Visual Arts & Design

## OPEN EVENING 2020

Wednesday 26 February

5:30pm to 7:00pm

No bookings necessary

# Visual Arts & Design Specialist Stream Application for Year 7, 2021

**All Sections Due By: Monday 23 March 2020**

Dulwich High School of Visual Arts & Design (DHSVAD) provides opportunities for students to pursue excellence within the disciplines of Visual Arts and Design, whilst studying the core curriculum prescribed by NESA, for the attainment of ROSA (Record of Student Achievement) and Higher School Certificate.

The application process involves 3 components:

**1. Application form → 2. Interview → 3. Presentation of a Body of Work/Portfolio.**

### Completing the Application:

- Section A:** To be completed by the student and parent/carer.
- A passport sized photo of the applicant, with name and date of birth written on the back, must be attached to this section.
  - Attach a non-refundable administration levy of \$50 payable by cheque or money order. Payment can also be made online via [www.dulwich-h.schools.nsw.gov.au](http://www.dulwich-h.schools.nsw.gov.au), eftpos over the phone or cash to the school finance office.
- Section B:** **All students** are to attach their most recent half yearly and yearly reports and supporting documentation. This could include:
- NAPLAN year 5 results
  - Merit Certificates from school
  - Certificates from workshops/courses outside of school
  - Evidence of involvement eg: children's choir, band, debating, SRC, community.
  - Other evidence to support the application

**All reports and NAPLAN to be certified as true copies of the originals by the current school (with the school stamp) or by Justice of the Peace.**

- Section C** "**Application to Enrol in a NSW Government School**" must be filled in and all sections completed.
- Section D** of this form, regarding the applicant's commitment to learning and achievement in both Visual Arts & Design and across the curriculum, is to be completed by the Principal or staff member appointed by the Principal, at the student's current school.
- Section E** request for student background information and documents form to be completed **by the Principal or appointed staff member** at the student's current school.

### **Parents/Students note for sections D & E:**

The current school needs time to complete **their** relevant sections of this application (Sections D & E) Please ensure that the school is given enough notice to be able to fax or scan/email relevant information by due date. Failure to complete and submit all sections will result in the application being cancelled.

## **Submit the Application**

### **Sections A, B & C**

must be received by DHSVAD by **3:30pm Monday 23 March 2020**. Applications may be delivered by hand or posted to Dulwich High School of Visual Arts & Design **1-9 Seaview St Dulwich Hill NSW 2203**, clearly marked VAD Application 2021.  
A \$50 non-refundable administration levy is payable (see section A)

### **Sections D & E (Current School's Principal's sections)**

to be faxed or scanned/emailed to [dulwich-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:dulwich-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au) **by the current school**. This documentation **must be returned by the primary school by 3:30pm Monday 23 March, 2020.**

## **Application outcome information**

Applicants will be notified by mail, week commencing **6 April, 2020** regarding an interview date and time.

Interviews will be held **between Thursday 7 May and Friday 15 May, 2020.**  
Portfolio (4-6 items) is to be **presented during this interview.**

It is anticipated that successful and unsuccessful applicants will be notified by mail in the **week commencing 8 June, 2020.**

### **Appeals**

Appeals can only be made **on the process** and should be made in writing to: ***Ms C. Alves, Principal, Dulwich High School of Visual Arts & Design*** within two weeks of the notification date. The school **does not** provide feedback on individual applications.

**NOTE: ENROLMENT IN THIS PROGRAM DOES NOT GIVE SIBLINGS THE AUTOMATIC RIGHT TO ENROL AT THIS SCHOOL.**

## **All forms must be completed**

Failure to do so will result in student's application not being processed.  
It is the parent's responsibility to ensure all sections are completed  
and submitted by the due date.

# Information & Checklist for Parents and Guardians

Students will be considered for a place in the Visual Arts and Design Specialist Stream at Dulwich High School of Visual Arts & Design on **all** aspects of the application.

The student's Application Form, Body of Work and Interview results will be assessed by a panel and recommendations will be made to the Principal. The school will inform the applicant of the decision in writing.

*There is a three part application process:*

**1. APPLICATION FORM: (Please do not submit in display folder)**

- Students with their parent/guardian are to complete **Section A**.
- Payment to be made before due date if paying online (details in Section A).
- Attach school reports to **Section B**.
- Complete **Section C** "Application to Enrol in a NSW Government School".
- (Sections A, B & C to be posted or delivered to the school with payment, unless payment is to be made on line before the due date.)
- **The Principal of the student's current school or appointed staff member** is to complete **Section D** and **E** and fax or email them to Dulwich High School of Visual Arts & Design by Fax: 9550 0929 or Email: [dulwich-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:dulwich-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au) - Attention: Ms Kardum.  
**Note:** Parents need to ensure that the current school is given sufficient time to complete Sections D & E.

**2. INTERVIEW:** Students will be interviewed regarding their body of work, their general interests and experiences of art, art making, art appreciation and/or design, the design process and demonstrated design literacy.

**3. BODY OF WORK/PORTFOLIO PRESENTATION:** Students will be required to present a body of work during the interview. The requirement is to have 4 to 6 original pieces of student's artwork and/or design projects demonstrating experiences using a variety of mediums. The artworks presented must have been produced within the last 18 months and it needs to be **the student's own work**.

*All sections of this application must be submitted.  
Failure to do so means applications will not be processed.*

**Application and administration fee/online payment receipt, are to be forwarded to:**

Visual Arts & Design Stream Enrolment Officer  
Dulwich High School of Visual Arts and Design  
1-9 Seaview Street  
Dulwich Hill NSW 2203

**Appeals can be made (on process only) in writing to:**

The Principal  
Dulwich High School of Visual Arts & Design  
1-9 Seaview Street  
DULWICH HILL NSW 2203

# SECTION A

*To be completed by student and Parent/Guardian. PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION ON THIS PAGE*

<b><u>STUDENT INFORMATION</u></b>	
Student is seeking enrolment into year: <b>7    8    9    10    11    12</b> for <b>20.....</b> <i>(please circle appropriate year)</i> <span style="float: right;"><i>(year)</i></span>	
Student Family Name:	Given Name:
Gender:            Male / Female	
Name of Current school:	
Number of years enrolled at the current school:	
Name of any sibling/s attending Dulwich High School of Visual Arts & Design:	

The work in the folio which will be presented is my own work .....  
*(Student to sign)*

Parent Signature.....

Parent Name .....

<p><b><u>Office Use Only:</u></b></p> <p><b>Application Received on:</b></p> <p>Date: .....</p> <p><b>\$50 Payment Received &amp; Receipted</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Cash    <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Money order    <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Cheque    <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Card    <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>OR</p> <p><b>On-line receipt sighted/attached</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p>
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<p><b><u>\$50 ON LINE PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS</u></b></p> <p>To make an online payment visit the home page of the School's website <a href="http://www.dulwich-h.schools.nsw.gov.au">www.dulwich-h.schools.nsw.gov.au</a>. Here you will find a tab located at the top right corner "Make a payment".</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Fill in the requested details marked with a green asterisk only.</li><li>▪ Description: <b>Art Application</b></li><li>▪ You will receive an online receipt from Westpac QuickWeb, our secure payment page.</li><li>▪ <b><u>Attach a printout of this receipt to your application.</u></b></li></ul>
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<p><b><u>\$50 IN PERSON PAYMENT</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Cash</li><li>▪ Cheque</li><li>▪ Money Order</li></ul> <p><b><u>IN PERSON OR BY PHONE ONLY</u></b></p> <p>Phone 9560 7299 Xtn 204 – have your card ready</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <b>Visa or MasterCard credit or debit card</b></li></ul>
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**Please attach a  
photo on this page**  
with student's name and  
date of birth written on  
the back of the photo.

Any size photo from  
passport size up

**SECTION A** (continued)

STUDENT NAME:

D.O.B.

1. Give details of experience and achievements in Visual Arts & Design. Additional information may be attached (photocopies only)

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2. Give details of experiences & interests in other areas of school (eg: academic, sporting, drama group & dance ensemble etc.)

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3. Why would you like to be part of the Dulwich High School of Visual Arts & Design **Specialist Visual Arts & Design stream**?

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4. What does being a creative person mean to you?

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## **SECTION B**

**All students are to attach copies of their most recent half yearly and yearly school academic reports.**

**Supporting documentation you may wish to supply (copies):**

- NAPLAN
- Merit Certificates from school
- Certificates from workshops/courses outside of school
- Evidence of involvement eg: children's choir, band, debating, SRC, community.

**School reports and NAPLAN must be verified as true copies of the originals by the current school, with the school stamp, or by a JP.**

**Parents/ Guardians are reminded to give their child's current school enough time to complete and fax or email Sections D & E of this application.**

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## **SECTION C**

**Parents/Guardians are to complete and attach the form:**

*"Application to Enrol in a NSW Government School"*

**This can be downloaded from our website**

*<http://www.dulwich-h.schools.nsw.gov.au>*

*under 'Enrolment'.*

**OR**

**Type the following into Google to access and download a form:**

*"Application to Enrol in a NSW Government School Form"*

## SECTION D

**Due in by Monday March 23, 2020**

Must be completed and sent by Principal or appointed staff member

**Either fax or scan/email Sections D&E.**

(F) 9550 0929, or (E), [dulwich-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:dulwich-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

<b>STUDENT NAME:</b>	<b>D.O.B.</b>		
<b>SCHOOL:</b>			
<b>Please rate the applicant in the following areas by circling the most appropriate assessment</b>			
a) <i>Achievement across the curriculum</i>			
<b>Outstanding</b>	<b>Above average</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Below Average</b>
Comment: _____			
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b) <i>Attitude, behaviour and commitment to learning:</i>			
<b>Outstanding</b>	<b>Above average</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Below Average</b>
Comment: _____			
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c) <i>Genuine interest and commitment to the study of Visual Arts and Design</i>			
<b>Outstanding</b>	<b>Above average</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Below Average</b>
Comment: _____			
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d) Overall Comment: _____			
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Principal: _____(Name) Or Delegate _____(Name)			
Signature: _____		Date: _____	



## SECTION E

**Due in by Monday March 23, 2020**

Must be completed and sent by Principal or appointed staff member.

**Either fax or scan/email Sections D&E.**

(F) 9550 0929, or (E) [dulwich-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:dulwich-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

STUDENT'S NAME: _____	D.O.B. _____
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School year applying for: <b>7, 8, 9, 10, 11</b> (circle one) in 20__
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### INFORMATION REQUIRED ABOUT YOUR STUDENT SEEKING ENROLMENT

To assist us to conduct a risk assessment in the context of enrolment, I would appreciate all relevant and available information about the student's behaviour and disciplinary history. In the event that the student is accepted would you please forward to me all relevant information. This should include the student's enrolment details, risk assessments undertaken relating to the student, behaviour management or disciplinary processes undertaken within the school, any reports of concerns raised by classroom teachers, notes of the student welfare committees.

**Please indicate Y (yes) or N (no) in each box below.  
All boxes must be filled.**

#### Student Profile:

- Non English Speaking Background (NESB)
- Aboriginal / Torres Strait Islander (ATSI)
- This student needs support
- Diagnosed Support:   
(eg Aspergers, Autism, Behaviour Support, Physical disability, difficulties in the basic areas of learning.) **Please Circle appropriate condition.**
- Has a Learning Support Plan
- Gifted and Talented in the following areas: \_\_\_\_\_

#### This Student:

- Was suspended for violence  Number of Suspension/s: \_\_\_\_\_
- Expelled for violence
- Made threats of violence
- Was in possession on school premises of a weapon or implement used or intended to cause harm1
- Has a documented history of violence or use of illicit drugs or legal drugs in a manner not prescribed, or use of alcohol
- Required management behaviour support
- Has a risk assessment

Name of School : \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_