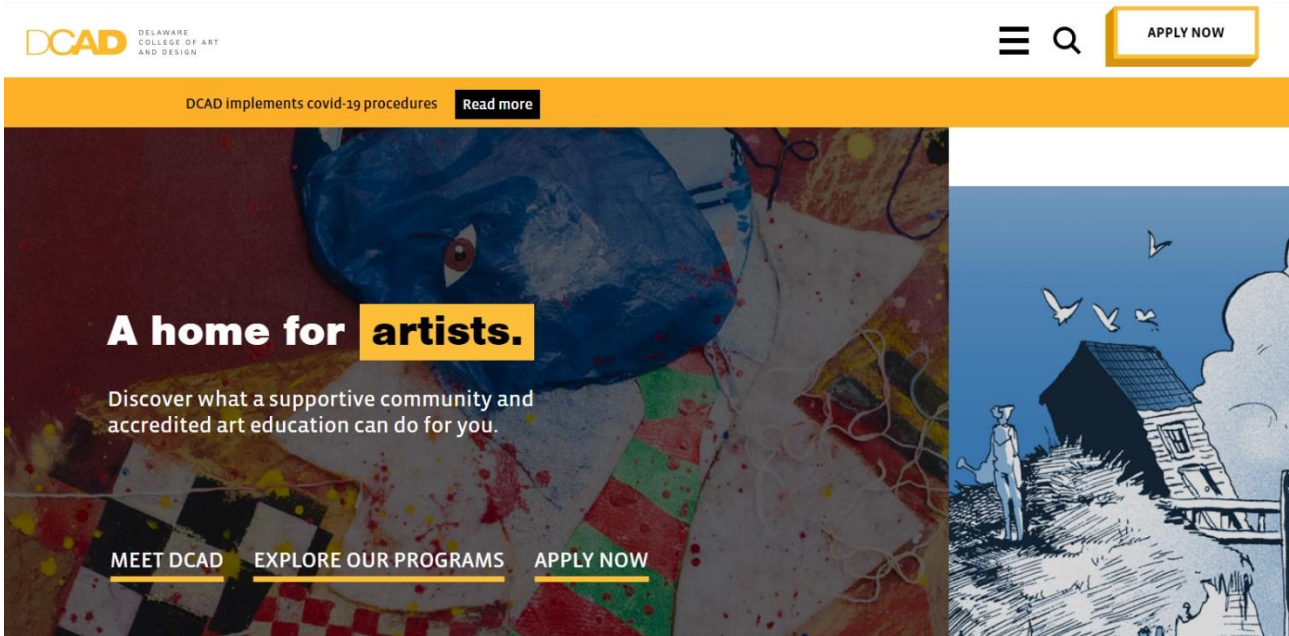


How to Apply with the Delaware College of Art and Design

1. Visit www.dcad.edu and click on APPLY NOW



2. Fill in your information and click submit.

application – 2021

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

Email

Confirm Email

Phone

Use for text messaging



3. A new window will pop up with the application. *You will need to verify your email address. Please check your email and click on the link to verify.*
4. First up, we need to know who you are. If you have a preferred name or website/Art-Based Insta, be sure to include it!

Personal Information

First Name *

Saved

Middle Name

Last Name *

Saved

Email Address *

Saved

Phone number *

Saved

Preferred Name

Website or Art-Based Instagram

Major interest *

5. Next, we will need your demographic information.

Demographic Information (required for State Reporting)

Gender Identity *

Preferred Pronouns

For example: she/her/hers; he/him/his; they/them/theirs

Ethnicity *

Citizenship *

Date of Birth *

mm/dd/yyyy



Parent/Guardian Information

First Name

Last Name

Relationship

Email Address

Education Level

Phone Number



6. We will need your parent or guardian information. There is an option to list more than one. FYI - this section is not required.

7. Up next, we will need your Education Information.



Education Information

High School Year of Graduation *

4 digit year of Graduation (example: 2021)

High School Name *

High School Address *

 ZIP

Have you attended another college? *

If yes, which institution?

If yes, are you planning on transferring credits?

 Yes No

Applicant Information

Enrollment Plan (full or part time?) *

Intended Term of Entry *

I plan on applying for Financial Aid *

 Yes No

I plan on living on campus *

 Yes No

I have visited the DCAD campus *

 Yes No

How did you hear about DCAD? *

If you selected "other" please explain

8. You are almost to the finish line. We would like to know your plans when attending DCAD.



9. 'Additional Requirements' is where we get to know what keeps you busy other than school and a chance to brag about your success!

Additional Requirements

Work Experience

Type your answer here...

Volunteer or Community Service

Type your answer here...

Extracurricular Activities

Type your answer here...

Honors/Awards

Type your answer here...



Essay *

Tell us about your interest in Art & Design, and why do you think DCAD would be a good fit for you?

Type your answer here...

10. The last part of your application is your essay. This doesn't need to be a 3-page book report, but you should write more than just one sentence. We really want to get to know who you are and some of your goals as an artist and designer which is why we are asking you to answer the following:



Tell us about your interest in Art & Design, and why do you think DCAD would be a good fit for you?

Your application is only one part of our admission's process, info on your next steps is below:

1

COMPLETE ONLINE APPLICATION

Once you complete your online application, you will be directed to the applicant portal where you can check the status of your DCAD application anytime. Remember, application requirements may take up to two days to process and reflect on the applicant portal.

3

FORWARD YOUR HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS

All applicants must have received a high school diploma or the equivalent prior to entering DCAD. Official copies of all high school transcripts must be forwarded to the DCAD Admissions Office and must come directly from your High School via mail, email, or Parchment. SAT and ACT scores are not required.

2

SUBMIT YOUR PORTFOLIO

A portfolio review is required for admission to DCAD. After you submit your online application, we'd like to welcome you to an in-person portfolio review and tour of the school. Don't forget to bring your sketchbook!

Schedule a tour, reach out to our admissions office through email at admissions@dcad.edu or by phone at [302.622.8000 x.118](tel:302.622.8000). If you can't visit in person, you can submit your portfolio online via Slideroom, or if you have a website or art-based Instagram please include that information on your application.

PORTFOLIO TIPS

- Include 10 to 15 pieces of original artwork
- Drawing from life is recommended
- Work should be completed within the last two years
- Your portfolio can include any artwork in the media and style of your choice

Check out our [#TuesdayTips](#)