

Department of Art Talent Award

Incoming Freshmen Application

Instructions

Please read the reverse side of this form. In order to qualify applicants must:

- 1) must be accepted at BYU Idaho and assigned a track,
- 2) register as an Art major,
- 3) fill this application out completely,
- 4) attach it to a portfolio of your work (please see the reverse side of this application for other important information), and
- 5) enclose your High School transcript (see reverse).

Note: portfolios will be accepted in the Department Office for one week prior to the deadline date.

_____		_____ _____ _____	
Full Name		Today's Date	
_____		_____	
Home Address		Home City, State, Zip	
_____	_____	_____	_____
Preferred e-Mail Address	Home Phone Number (with Area Code)	Current HS GPA	Total Earned HS Credits

Please indicate which semesters you will be attending BYU in the next academic year: Fall Winter Spring

Please indicate your anticipated emphasis area:

- Two-Dimensional Studies Three-Dimensional Studies Graphic Design Illustration Photography Art Education

Please list your high school art courses and the grade received in each:

_____	_____
Course	Grade
_____	_____
Course	Grade
_____	_____
Course	Grade
_____	_____
Course	Grade
_____	_____
Course	Grade

Signature

Your signature is required for three purposes: 1) the work submitted is your own, 2) it is agreed that the BYU-Idaho Department of Art will not be required to reimburse students for loss or damage to submitted work; and 3) to submit portfolio release:

By signing below, I grant a non-exclusive, non-transferable, royalty-free license to Brigham Young University-Idaho and the Department of Art to use any of my digital portfolio, including any artwork in this digital portfolio for its own educational or administrative purposes.

_____	_____
Signature	Date

Talent Award Portfolio Guidelines

Before the Review

Make sure that all required steps below are met. Then send the portfolio and other materials to the address below well in advance of the scheduled closing time.

After the Review

Portfolios will be returned to applicants within approximately one month from the deadline date. Please be patient. The approvals from the BYU-Idaho Office of Financial Aid and Scholarship can take one to two months. Please do not contact individual instructors or the Department office about the results of the review.

Mailed Portfolio Information

New students should mail portfolios and applications well in advance of the published deadline to the address below. Please mark the outside of the package in large letters: "**Talent Award Portfolio**". All other questions should be directed to the phone number below.

Portfolio Instructions

- 1) Complete this application and enclose it with the following:
 - a) One copy of the applicant's high school transcript (please highlight the courses listed on the front of this form).
- 2) A digital portfolio should be prepared as follows:
 - a) A minimum of 8 to a maximum of 10 images of the applicant's own artwork. These images should represent a variety of subjects and media. Original artwork should not be sent.
Note: Three-dimensional work (sculpture, etc.) may have two views of a particular work, which can be added to the 10 image total.
 - b) Label all images with the applicant's name, size of original artwork, and medium.

Portfolios may be in the following formats: CD or thumb drive of digital images in a software program such as PowerPoint, Keynote, or Acrobat. It is important that files for each image be a manageable size. Please use JPEG format, with each image being no larger than 1 meg or 1024 x 768 pixels.

- 3) Finally, in order to return these portfolios to the applicant it will be necessary for the applicant to enclose an envelope as described:
 - a) Use a heavy or padded envelope for added security.
 - b) Address it with the location to which the portfolio should be returned.
 - c) All US applicants should affix the correct amount of US Mail postage—even if you sent it to us by another delivery carrier. Do not use metered postage. Canadian and foreign applicants should not affix postage.

Judging Criteria

Specific criteria used for awarding a scholarship include a review of:

- 1) Artistic skill demonstrated in the submitted work.
- 2) Grades for all art courses listed on the high school transcript.

Additional Information

- 1) Art Talent Awards for incoming freshman are available in limited numbers and range in amounts from \$100 to \$500 per semester.
- 2) A letter announcing the result of the talent award review will be mailed to all applicants as soon as possible. Please be patient, letters can not be sent until the Award is cleared through the Financial Aid Office. This can take up to a month.
- 3) All portfolios will be returned by standard mail in the envelope you provide approximately one month after the submission deadline date.

Address Information

BYU-Idaho Department of Art
525 So. Center St.
Rexburg, ID 83460-0130
Telephone (208) 496-4900
E-mail art_dept@byui.edu
Website www.byui.edu/art