

NORTHWEST COLLEGE OF ART & DESIGN  
**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (      ) Cell Phone: (      )

Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a Veteran or the dependant of a Veteran? Y or N \_\_\_\_\_

- Active Duty    Veteran    Dependant    N/A

Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_ If country of citizenship is other than US, visa status is: \_\_\_\_\_

**INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS**

Is english your first language? Y or N \_\_\_\_\_

If no, please check which option you will fulfill to show proof of english proficiency: \_\_\_\_\_

- Providing TOEFL or IELTS scores that meet the minimum requirements. TOEFL or IELTS Score: \_\_\_\_\_
- Completed/will have completed four years of high school at an english speaking institution prior to attending NCAD
- Earned a degree at an english speaking college prior to attending NCAD.

**GOALS**

**BFA Program in Visual Communication**

- Major in:  Graphic Design/Illustration    Graphic Design/Interactive Design  
 Graphic Design/Motion Design    Graphic Design/Entertainment Art  
 Entertainment Art/Illustration    Entertainment Art/Interactive Design  
 Motion Design/Interactive Design

Start date:    Sept. 2018       Sept. 2019       Sept. 2020

**AOS Programs**

- Graphic Design       Web Design  
 Web Development       User Experience (UX) Design  
 Concept Art

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Where did you first learn about Northwest College of Art & Design?

- High School Visit    NCAD Website    NCAD Student    NCAD Graduate    Campus Visit  
 Publication    Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION HISTORY**

High school \_\_\_\_\_ Dates attended \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation date \_\_\_\_\_

Have you earned, or will you earn, a GED certificate? Y or N \_\_\_\_\_

If Yes, Date (MO/YR) \_\_\_\_\_ State or Agency \_\_\_\_\_

College \_\_\_\_\_ Dates attended \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation date \_\_\_\_\_

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Degree earned \_\_\_\_\_ Do you wish to transfer credit from another college? Y or N \_\_\_\_\_

(Please see Pg. 4-5 of this form or the NCAD Catalog for our complete Transfer of Credit Policy)

Did you receive Financial Aid? Y or N \_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever been dismissed from a school or college? Y or N \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, include a paragraph on the reason for the dismissal

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

Are you applying for Federal Financial Aid? Y or N \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please use FAFSA school code 026021.

Do you wish to arrange a payment plan? Y or N \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY HISTORY**

Mother's / (Guardian #1) Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Father's / (Guardian #2) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_ Father's Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION**

This information is intended solely for federal statistical and reporting purposes and will not be used as a factor in the admissions process. Information about the collection of ethnicity and race: Federal law requires that institutions of higher education gather the following information regarding the ethnicity and race of its students and employees. NCAD does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, sexual orientation, or marital status in its programs and activities. Your individual information will be kept strictly confidential.

GENDER:  Female  Male

RACE/ETHNICITY:  Hispanic or Latino or Spanish Origin  Not Hispanic or Latino or Spanish Origin

American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian

Black or African American  Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

White

What other colleges are you applying to?

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This application must be submitted with a \$50 application fee.  
(\$100 application fee for International students.) All application materials as outlined in the catalog must be submitted to:

NCAD/ Admissions  
1126 Pacific Avenue, Suite 101  
Tacoma, WA 98402

*I have read and received a copy of or downloaded the NCAD catalog. I understand and agree to the information outlined in this catalog. I also understand and accept that information in this catalog may change and it is my responsibility to acquire new editions of the catalog while I am enrolled.*

Signature of Applicant

Date

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**TRANSFER CREDIT POLICY**

Credit that has been successfully completed at other US accredited institutions (including Running Start credits) may be transferred to NCAD if transfer situations meet the following::

- A. Studio art courses must have been completed within the last 10 years. (There is no time limit on general education courses).
- B. Courses must be comparable with NCAD courses.
- C. Course grade is a C+ or above.
- D. Applicant can demonstrate appropriate skill.
- E. Transfer course credit is equal to or above NCAD course credit.

Official transcript of grades and course outlines must be presented no later than August 1st for evaluation. Transfer credit will not be granted after the August 1st deadline. A portfolio evaluation may be required.

No more than 50% of the program may transfer. Transferring credit may reduce program length, however reduction is not guaranteed. Transferring credit may require the student to drop to a part-time status at certain times during the program.

Credit is not available for life experience. Standard high school courses other than AP or Running Start courses do not apply. Advanced Placement (AP) credits taken in high school and evaluated by the College Board will be evaluated for transfer credit based on the following requirements.

**Studio Art**

- A. Score of 5
- B. NCAD faculty review of AP portfolio to determine what course the credits will be transferred for i.e. Drawing, 2D Design, Painting Techniques, etc.

**Art History**

- A. Score of 5
- B. This course will be transferred for Art Introduction—the first semester course in the Art History series.

**English Composition 1/ Psychology / Quantitative Principles**

- A. Score of 4–5
- B. AP Course will be transferred for appropriate NCAD general education course. NCAD reserves the right to interview the student before transfer is approved.

**TRANSFER CREDIT FROM NCAD TO ANOTHER COLLEGE**

NCAD is not a school that concentrates on preparing students to continue their education in another field or at another school. NCAD programs are technical in nature with an emphasis on preparation for entry level arts occupations and therefore may not be transferable to other arts programs. Students interested in transferring credits should check with the receiving institution directly to determine to what extent, if any, credits can be transferred. NCAD does not guarantee the transferability of NCAD credits.

**NCAD AP College Code: 2432**