

Admission Requirements for Holders of Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE)

Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts (NAFA)

A. General Entrance Requirements for Holders of HKDSE			
	Bachelor Degree/ Undergraduate Programme	International Foundation/ Diploma/ UG Diploma Programme (if applicable)	Other Higher Education Programmes (if applicable, please specify)
<p>1. Please state the general entrance requirements for holders of HKDSE applying for admission to your Institution.</p> <p>Example: <i>Level (1 – 5/5*/5**) in (number) subjects, including (names of subjects) or UCAS points required (if applicable)</i></p>	<p>Minimum of 3 subjects of level 4 from any categories.</p> <p>Acceptance into the course is subject to portfolio interview or audition.</p>	<p>Minimum of 3 subjects of level 4 from any categories.</p> <p>Acceptance into the course is subject to portfolio or audition.</p>	N/A
<p>2. Please provide the website address where applicants can access to the specific programme-level requirements.</p>	<p>https://www.nafa.edu.sg/courses/degree</p>	<p>https://www.nafa.edu.sg/courses/diploma</p>	N/A
B. Language Requirements for Holders of HKDSE			
<p>1. Please indicate the requirement in English Language in terms of level attained under the HKDSE, and/ or alternative language</p>	<p>For degree courses offered in collaboration with the University of the Arts London (UAL): All classes are taught in English. If English was not the applicant's primary medium of instruction</p>	<p>The minimum English Language proficiency requirement for all diploma courses except Dance, Music:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grade C6 at GCE 'O' Levels • TOEFL iBT 50 • TOEFL 500 	N/A

<p>qualifications that demonstrate the applicants' English standard for admission to your institution.</p>	<p>throughout his or her school education, the applicant must provide evidence at enrolment of the following: IELTS level 6.0 or above, with at least 5.5 in reading, writing, listening, and speaking. Click here for other acceptable English language qualifications.</p> <p>For degree courses offered in collaboration with the Royal College of Music (RCM): The minimum entry requirement for English language proficiency is IELTS Academic Band 5.5 or equivalent.*</p> <p><i>*Waived for NAFA applicants who have successfully completed NAFA's Diploma in Music or Diploma in Music Teaching. Non-NAFA applicants who have successfully completed a recognised and approved Diploma qualification or higher, where the language of instruction was English, may be given a waiver on a case-by-case basis.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IELTS Academic Band 5 • SAT score of 480 (Evidence-Based Reading and Writing component) • Duolingo score of 75 <p>For Dance and Music:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grade D7 at GCE 'O' Levels • TOEFL iBT 40 • TOEFL 400 • IELTS Academic Band 4 • SAT score of 450 (Evidence-Based Reading and Writing component) • Duolingo score of 55 <p>Applicants who do not meet the English Language proficiency requirement for the applied diploma course will have the option to enroll in the NAFA Preparatory English Course (PEC).</p> <p>Prior to enrolment in the PEC, applicants are required to submit their English Language proficiency scores from certification systems such as TOEFL, IELTS or Duolingo. They will be placed in the appropriate module(s) – Pre-intermediate Level English and/or Intermediate Level English or Supplementary English as determined by the submitted scores.</p>	
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C. Student Learning Profile (SLP)

Information provided in the SLP includes student's other learning experiences, awards/achievements gained outside school, academic performance in school as well as his/her "self-account" (for example, impressive learning experiences, career goal setting, etc.)

1. Does your Institution consider information provided in the SLP when processing application for admission?

Recognition is accorded for prior achievements in areas relevant to intended studies and it will be useful for scholarship purposes.

D. Other Information

1. What is the information, apart from SLP, needed to be provided by the applicant to support his/her application?

Please refer to the following link for the portfolio/ audition requirements etc. from the following links:

<https://www.nafa.edu.sg/courses/diploma>
<https://www.nafa.edu.sg/courses/degree>

2. What are the qualities of the applicant your Institution is looking for in schools' recommendation other than academic performance?

NAFA hopes to attract applicants with the potential to become excellent arts practitioners. Applicants are selected by merit, based on the following criteria:

- Potential in Artistic Talent and Creativity
- Educational Qualification
- Language Proficiency

3. Please provide further information (if any) regarding undergraduate studies at your Institution (such as scholarship etc.) for prospective students who hold the HKDSE, or the website address for accessing the relevant information.

Students with outstanding academic results and an excellent track record of achievements in related arts industry may apply for NAFA's in-house Scholarships and Merit Awards.

<https://www.nafa.edu.sg/admissions/scholarships-financial-aid-schemes>

**Normally, students who have completed secondary education in Hong Kong holding the HKDSE should have reached the age of 18.*

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