

Academic Studio

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION



Only Current 8th Graders Can Apply

THIS APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH A COMPLETED ARTS APPLICATION

Saturday, January 21, 2012.....Open Studio Day for Students & Parents

Monday, January 30, 2012APPLICATION DEADLINE

August 1, 20122012-13 Session Begins for Academic Studio

Dates are subject to change. Call 800.201.4836 or 504.940.2787 to confirm or visit www.NOCCA.com

New Orleans Center for Creative Arts

2800 Chartres Street | New Orleans, LA 70117 | www.nocca.com | 800.201.4836

ABOUT NOCCA

As Louisiana's arts conservatory for high school students, New Orleans Center for Creative Arts (NOCCA) provides professional arts training to talented Louisiana students in Classical Instrumental Music, Creative Writing, Culinary Arts, Dance, Drama, Jazz, Media Arts: Filmmaking & Audio Production, Musical Theatre, Theatre Design, Visual Arts, Vocal Music and academics. Attendance options include full-day, half-day, afterschool and Summer.

A successful NOCCA student is expected to maintain a professional level of commitment to training and progress. NOCCA's rules, procedures and grading system mirror those of the professional arts world, so that students receive rewards and setbacks at NOCCA based on the same criteria they would face in an arts career.

NOCCA is tuition-free, but students are required to pay a Student Fee to cover supply costs.

ABOUT NOCCA'S ACADEMIC STUDIO

The class is limited to 9th grade students only (current 8th graders eligible to apply).

A student must first be admitted to one of the arts disciplines as a Level I Monday-Friday student based upon successful completion of the audition process. *A NOCCA Level I Arts student acceptance is a young artist considered by faculty to have a fundamental base in training and proficiency per their age and grade level. A typical NOCCA Level I Arts student is a student who works on their art form weekly, if not daily, pushing and challenging themselves.* If you are accepted into an arts discipline as a Level I student and you have submitted a complete Academic Studio application, you will be notified in March 2012. A selection lottery will be coordinated if successful Academic Studio applicants exceed eligible spots.

REQUIREMENTS

1. You must be a resident of the State of Louisiana, currently in the 8th grade and enrolled in a middle school program (public, private, parochial, charter or state approved homeschool).
2. You must have a 2.0 (C) overall grade point average from your present school.
3. A complete Arts and Academic Studio application must be received no later than **Monday, January 30, 2012**. A complete Academic Studio application includes: the Student Information Form (Part A), your Academic Report (Part B): copy of most recent middle school report card and standardized test scores, a copy of your birth certificate, copy of social security card, copy of your middle school immunization records, your essay, one letter of recommendation and your Arts Application. **FAXED COPIES OF THE APPLICATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.** In order to expedite the scheduling of your audition, please submit all parts of the application together. You will be scheduled for a specific audition date and time.
4. Please attach the following:
 - Completed Arts Application**
 - Student Information Form (Part A). Ask a parent or guardian to sign it.**
 - One letter of recommendation from a teacher**
 - Your most recent middle school report cards, standardized test scores, and IEP (if applicable).**
 - Copy of Birth Certificate**
 - Copy of Immunization Records**
 - Copy of Social Security Card**



PART A: STUDENT INFORMATION

Fill out this form completely and then ask a parent or guardian to sign it. Mail this form, along with the other materials specified in the application to NOCCA, 2800 Chartres Street, New Orleans, LA 70117. Questions? Call 800.201.4836 or 504.940.2787.

APPLYING FOR:

Academic Studio (Only 8th Graders Can Apply)

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Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Parish: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Male Female

Date Of Birth: _____ Age: _____ SS#: _____

Grade Level (As Of Today's Date) _____

Full Name(S) Of Parent(S) Or Guardian(S) With Whom You Live:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

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Current School Name: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Type: Public Charter Private Parochial Homeschool

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My Ethnicity: I Am Hispanic/Latino? Yes No

Choose One Or More:

American Indian Or Alaskan Native Black Or African American White Or Caucasian

Asian Native Hawaiian Or Other Pacific Islander

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PART A: CONTINUED

Essay Component: Choose one of the following essay prompts to write a brief essay

1. Describe yourself as a young artist.
2. Why do you want to attend NOCCA's Academic Studio?

Do you have any special needs? No Yes: (Please describe on separate page)

Are you classified as: Gifted Grade: _____ School: _____

Talented Grade: _____ School: _____

Do you have a current IEP? Yes Grade: _____ School: _____

Have you ever attended NOCCA? No Yes - Year Attended/Discipline: _____

I am eligible to participate in the federal free lunch program at my present school. No Yes

Student's Signature: _____ Date _____

Print Parent's Or Guardian's Name: _____

Parent's Or Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

By signing above you agree to all outcomes of the audition and application processes.
All application and audition documentation is confidential and will not be returned to the student or parent.



PART B: ACADEMIC REPORT AND DOCUMENTS

To the student: Complete form and attach a copy of your most recent report card, your complete transcript, standardized test scores, and IEP (if applicable).

Questions? Call 800.201.4836 or 504.940.2787

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Applicant's Name: _____

Applicant's Address: _____

Applicant's City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Applicant's Home Telephone: _____ Male Female

Applicant's Grade Level (As Of Today's Date) _____

Applicant's Current School Name: _____

Applicant's School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

ADMISSION CHECKLIST

Remember to attach the following:

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