

PACIFIC NORTHWEST COLLEGE OF ART Home-Schooled Admission Requirements

PNCA wishes to recognize the achievements of home-schooled students and to encourage their application for admission. The information provided below is designed to articulate our home-schooled policy and address any issues for the home-schooled applicant.

Admissions Requirements

In addition to the standard application materials (portfolio, essay, application form, application fee), home-schooled applicants must submit one of the following:

- Official Copy of your GED or state authorized examination that is recognized as the equivalent of a high school diploma (i.e. CHSE)
- State issued Secondary School Completion Credential (if available)
- Diploma or Certificate from a Recognized Home School Association

If you do not have one of the above stated documents, you may be requested to submit each of the following:

- Official Transcripts/Documentation from any previously attended high schools or community colleges
- A detailed outline of the home-school curriculum including subject areas studied, texts used and time spent on each discipline
- One letter of recommendation from a home school teacher
- One letter of recommendation from an outside source
- Must be above the age of compulsory education in your home state.

NOTE: Applicants who have successfully completed the equivalent of 60 semester credits at a regionally accredited college may be exempt from this required documentation.

Students home schooled in Oregon must meet the diploma requirements for the state:

- Language Arts: 3 units
- Mathematics: 2 units
- Science: 2 units
- Social Sciences: 3 units
- Health Education: 1 unit
- Physical Education: 1 unit
- Applied Arts, Fine Arts or Second Language: 1 unit

In order to strengthen the application we suggest:

- An interview with an admissions counselor.
- SAT or ACT test scores

Home-schooled applications are handled on a case-by-case basis. We strongly encourage you to schedule an informal interview with an Admissions counselor. For more information or to schedule an interview contact:

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