

Artistic entrance exam 2021 Fashion

Practical information about the artistic entrance exam for permission to enrol in the Bachelor of Arts in Visual Arts Programme, specialization Fashion, for the academic year 2021-2022

The Bachelor of Arts in Visual Arts programme is only available to candidate students who have passed the artistic entrance examination.

The artistic entrance exam assesses your artistic insight, cultural knowledge, creativity, skills and motivation. This two-day test consists of different assignments and an interview during which we will also discuss your curriculum vitae and your portfolio.

1 Dates

In 2021 the artistic entrance examination will be organized one more time, on the following date:

~~Session 1: Monday 5 July and Tuesday 6 July 2021~~

~~->> Registration possible until June 15~~

~~->> Uploading documents (CV, portfolio and motivation letter + possible assignments to be submitted in advance) possible until June 18~~

Session 2: Thursday 2 September and Friday 3 September 2021

->> Registration possible until August 23

->> Uploading documents (CV, portfolio and motivation letter + possible assignments to be submitted in advance) possible until August 26

One can only participate once per academic year in the artistic entrance exam for a specific specialization and option within the Visual Arts programme. It is however possible to participate in the entrance exam for different specializations and options in the same year.

2 Registration and payment

You can register for an artistic entrance exam online, on <https://inschrijven.ap.be>. In order to participate in an artistic entrance exam, **you must pay a non-refundable** administrative fee of 25 euros, to be paid in advance, during the online registration.

We would like to receive your payment no later than:

Session 1: ~~Wednesday, June 16~~

Session 2: Tuesday, August 24

→ Please note that your payment may take a few days to arrive

3 Practical information

The artistic entrance exam will take place digitally.

The artistic entrance exam for a Bachelor in Fashion will be in 2 parts.

Part 1: submitting documents (CV, portfolio and motivation letter)

Did you pass part 1?

->Part 2: admission test and interview

The link where you can upload your files (cv, portfolio, motivation letter and assignment practical test) and the link where the assignment for the practical test will be released, will be sent to you by mail.

→ The Academy will be closed from the 17th of July until the 15th of August, during this period the links will not be sent!

3.1 To be submitted in advance

1 CV with an indication of the studies carried out.

2 Motivation letter indicating very clearly why you choose this course.

3 Portfolio

Details of the structure are further explained in the description (see below)

Combine your CV , motivation letter and portfolio in one file (PDF)

Filename: please use your personal name, so we know to whom it belongs.
(name_familyname_portfolio.pdf)

→ The link where you can upload your file will be sent to you by e-mail.

→ Submit file by 26 August

3.2 Results portfolio

On Monday 30 August you will be notified if you passed your portfolio and receive further information regarding the assignments admission test and interview by e-mail.

3.3 Course of this 2-day test

Day 1 assignment:

- Artistic assignment
- Thursday 2 September 2021

Day 2 interview:

- Via Skype,..
- A staff member of the student administration will give you an appointment by e-mail.
- Friday 3 September 2021

4 Description: Portfolio, Assignment and Interview

- **Portfolio**
A pdf of maximum 5MB containing observation drawings but also photos of sketchbooks, personal designs, creative graphic work and all realized creative work.
- **Assignment**
The content of the order will be released at 8 a.m. (Belgium local time) via the link that will be sent to you by mail.
The drawing assignment consists of black and white techniques and color techniques.
Materials required: sketching-, drawing and painting materials : pencils, pens, watercolor, brushes, oil crayon, east Indian ink and drawing paper in different sizes.
- **Interview**
Discussion of your vision and knowledge of fashion.
Description of some contemporary designers + insight into fashion history.
Basic knowledge expected on artistic art movements and cultural events.
Besides the course Fashion Design, other practical and theoretical courses are given. You can find the course packages (ECTS files) [HERE](#). During the interview you may be asked if you know the full programme of the Bachelor years.

5 Results artistic entrance exam

On Tuesday September 7 you will receive a message whether or not you have passed the artistic entrance exam, along with some further information.

6 Passed the artistic entrance exam?

If you have passed the artistic entrance exam and if you also meet the diploma and language requirements, you can enrol in your chosen specialization in the Bachelor of Arts in Visual Arts Programme for the academic year 2021-2022 or the academic year 2022-2023.

To enrol, you must also meet the diploma and language requirements by the beginning of the academic year:

- September 20, 2021 for academic year 2021-2022
- September 21, 2022 for academic year 2022-2023

After passing artistic the entrance exam, you will receive an e-mail from us with all the information needed in order to enrol.

Read more about the admission requirements on <https://ap-arts.be/en/academy>.