



# CREATE your way up.



Apex Arts overview

## A program that's **GREATER** than the sum of its arts.

At Apex Arts, we engage our students with an art focused curriculum that goes beyond honing a natural ability. It's a top-tier creative education that fortifies raw artistic talent with knowledge and support designed to help students make an impact in the real world.

Our administrative staff consists of experts in education that are dedicated to cultivating young artists' potential. Their vision is realized through our outstanding teachers who work in partnership with accomplished artists to provide students with an unparalleled educational experience.

Apex Visual Arts overview

## Expression. Connection. Direction.

Apex Visual Arts teaches students the value of using art as a platform for expression, and emphasizes a creative process that builds work consistency and artistic confidence. Our students are empowered to harness their creativity and let it guide their journey through personal and artistic growth. They're exposed to new media, ranging from digital to traditional formats, and are encouraged to stretch their creative minds while being challenged individually and collaboratively. In addition to building their artistic and problem-solving abilities, students will also be given the opportunity to showcase their work publicly.



Art focused curriculum

## A creative spark lights a path of possibilities.

Apex Visual Arts will expose students to practical skills that strengthen and refine their abilities, while pushing their existing limits to define their personal voice. They will explore artistic movements, themes, and styles, participate in peer-based art critiques, and experience multiple facets of artistry through a variety of traditional and digital media including drawing, painting, sculpting, photography, video, and digital software.

Students will build a portfolio of work that best reflects their style, while sketchbooks and visual journals will be kept to record their creative progress. Additional experiences serve to bolster this program including art-based field trips, and collaborating with professional artists.

Apex+

## It's only up from here.

Apex+ presents students with the unique opportunity to further learning and explore varying disciplines. This program also offers students the ability to learn even more from our partner teaching artists. Example classes include:

- Painting & Printmaking
- Sculpture & Ceramics
- Digital Design
- Careers in Art
- Community Arts
- Digital & Darkroom Photography

Professional Arts Experiences

## Inspired outings. Insightful outcomes.

We understand broadening students' creative vision starts by keeping them inspired. By exploring fresh perspectives outside of the Apex Arts ecosystem, our students gain insights that expand their outlooks. Destinations include:

- Hirshhorn Gallery
- National Gallery
- Phillips Collection
- Philadelphia Museum of Art
- MoMA (NYC)
- Workshops in ceramics, glassblowing, printmaking

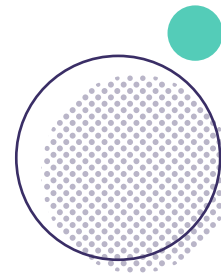
Audition information

## Make a You Turn.

All Apex Arts applicants must complete an audition to be considered for eligibility. The Apex Visual Arts audition requires:

- Portfolio of three (3) art works
- Drawing Prompt at the audition
- Short interview to discuss interest in the program and Prime.

**See the audition guide for more details.**



Learn More

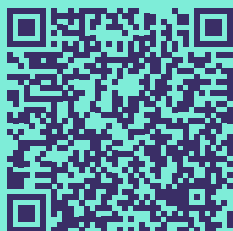
### Recruitment opportunities

Informations Sessions

Audition Workshops

School Visits

Community Events



Reach out

Learn more about Apex Arts, get more audition info, and apply today!

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