



**Visual Arts Academy**  
**Application Spring 2017 Semester**  
**For students in grades 5-8**  
**February 7 – March 30, 2017**

**Art Teacher completes Section I and forwards directly to: [megan@gmoa.org](mailto:megan@gmoa.org)**

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Visual Art Teacher nominating student: \_\_\_\_\_

Please email nomination directly to:

Megan Maxwell, Director of Operations and  
Programming  
Greenville Museum of Art  
[megan@gmoa.org](mailto:megan@gmoa.org)

**Parent Completes Section II**

The GMA Visual Arts Academy meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m. at the **Greenville Museum of Art Center for Art Education**, 806 S. Evans Street, Greenville, NC 27834. Students are expected to meet with their studio groups at all sessions unless properly excused. Excellent behavior is required. This is an honor and a privilege. Enjoy it!

To be considered for the Fall 2016 semester, please complete and return this form by **ASAP** to the Greenville Museum of Art, 802 S. Evans Street, Greenville, NC 27834. Please be advised that space is limited.

Are you a returning student to the VAA? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**Once the semester begins, class tuition is non-refundable.**

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Parent/Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Frequently Asked Questions**

1. *Who should attend the Academy?*

Students in **grades 5-8** who show passion and aptitude in the visual arts should attend.

2. *What is the difference between the Academy and private art lessons?*

There are several differences. Your child will find having other students of like mind and ability extremely exciting and inspiring as they work in an atmosphere of collaborative learning. Our student artists will be assured of learning that is within the recognized structure of the N.C. Standard Course of Study (curriculum) for the Visual Arts. You can be certain that your child will be challenged in a safe environment.

3. *What things are covered in the classes?*

A variety of topics and issues in the Visual Arts are covered. A selection of visually stimulating problems and media will be presented.

4. *What are the benefits of being in the Academy?*

Your child benefits from the other students, professional art educators, and visiting artists. Our student artists automatically become members of the GMA community which gives them access to more opportunities for the classes and interactions with professionals. Students hold an exhibit at the end of each semester at the Greenville Museum of Art.

5. *Who are the instructors?*

Our instructors are N.C. certified and licensed art educators committed to mentoring your child in the Visual Arts learning process.

6. *When does the Academy meet?*

The Academy semester is divided into two, 8 week semesters. Semesters consist of 16 meetings per term. Class times are from 4:30-6:00 on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

7. *Where does the Academy meet?*

The Academy meets at the Greenville Museum of Art Center for Art Education. This is a newly renovated building next door to the museum.

8. *How much does it cost?*

The tuition is **\$325.00** for new students. The tuition for returning students is **\$275.00**.

10. *What supplies do I have to purchase?*

None! The Academy supplies your child with all the material for the semester classes including a sketchbook.

11. *Are there outside requirements?*

There may be 'homework' however it will be limited in scope.

12. *Is transportation offered?*

Sorry, no. Students must arrange their own transportation.

13. *Are there scholarships available?*

Scholarship availability is very limited. If you would like information on scholarships please contact [charlotte@gmoa.org](mailto:charlotte@gmoa.org).