

application

PERSONAL STATEMENT & ESSAY

We would like to learn how you've been affected by artistic experiences, what influences your work and how you articulate your artistic values. Please take time to reflect on the topics and create a thoughtful response to each.

Instructions:

Please write and submit two compositions: a Personal Statement and an Essay. Each composition should be written on separate sheets of paper. Each must be 250 to 500 words, double-spaced and typed. At the top, write your full name, telephone number and email address (if you have one).

1. Personal Statement

Please describe your prior education and involvement in your art form. Describe the work you do and what influences it. What are your artistic goals, what are your passions and what has led you to pursue a career in the field? How will attending Cornish College of the Arts contribute to your plans and aspirations?

2. Essay

Applicants to the Art major please write and submit your essay on this topic:

Analyze a work of visual art. Please describe the work and specifically identify what you consider to be its strengths and/or weaknesses. The piece you write about must be the work of someone other than yourself.

Applicants to Dance, Design, Music, Performance Production & Theater majors please write and submit your essay on this topic:

How has a piece of visual art, a performance, a composition, an example of design, a piece of literature or a film affected you? Please describe the work and explain how it affected you as a person and artist. The piece you write about must be the work of someone other than yourself.

application for admission

personal information

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
last name	first name	middle name
<input type="text"/>		
preferred name		
<input type="checkbox"/> male	<input type="checkbox"/> female	<input type="text"/>
	date of birth	social security number

CONTACT INFORMATION

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
home phone	cell phone	fax
<input type="text"/>		
email		

CURRENT MAILING ADDRESS

<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
address		apartment #
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
city	state	zip/postal code
		country

intended major & term

ART

- painting sculpture
 photography video/media arts
 print art

DANCE

- choreography
 performance
 teaching

DESIGN

- interior design
 motion design
 visual communication design

MUSIC

- composition instrumental (*jazz*)
 vocal (*jazz*) instrumental (*classical*)
 vocal (*classical*) composer/performer

PERFORMANCE PRODUCTION

- costume design sound design
 lighting design stage management
 scenic design technical direction

THEATER

- acting performing arts
 original works (*musical theater*)
(playwriting, directing, ensemble creation)

instrument(s) you play

I AM APPLYING FOR THE FOLLOWING SEMESTER:

- fall 20 spring 20

I AM APPLYING AS:

- freshman freshman with college credit
 transfer student earned while in high school

citizenship

U.S. citizen

Permanent resident
U.S. alien registration number

International student
country of citizenship native language

I will take the TOEFL exam on this date I have taken the TOEFL exam on this date

score

I have a U.S. Visa
 yes no
If yes, visa type (F, H, etc.)

educational history

HIGH SCHOOL YOU HAVE OR WILL GRADUATE FROM

high school city state graduation date

I HAVE EARNED A G.E.D.

GED center city state year earned

OTHER HIGH SCHOOLS ATTENDED

high school city state

high school city state

COLLEGES OR UNIVERSITIES ATTENDED (list the one you attend now or attended most recently)

name city state

dates of attendance degree earned major

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references

DANCERS: Please list your current studio and main technique teacher in your artistic discipline.

MUSICIANS: Please list your private instructor or school music teacher.

FIRST REFERENCE – INSTRUCTOR OR TEACHER (high school teacher, college professor, studio instructor, private instructor, etc.)

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
first name	last name	relationship to you
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
name of school / studio / business / etc.		telephone
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
city	state	email address

SECOND REFERENCE – GENERAL (in addition to the list above it can also be an employer, mentor or adult friend)

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
first name	last name	relationship to you
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
name of school / studio / business / etc.		telephone
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
city	state	email address

family information

PARENT OR GUARDIAN ONE

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
first name	last name	occupation
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
address (if different from your own)		apartment #
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
city	state	zip/postal code
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
college or university attended	degree attained	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
college or university attended	degree attained	

PARENT OR GUARDIAN TWO

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
first name	last name	occupation
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
address (if different from your own)		apartment #
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
city	state	zip/postal code
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college or university attended	degree attained	
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additional information (optional)

Cornish College of the Arts complies with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), other state and federal laws regarding the protection and privacy of student information and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Cornish College of the Arts admits students without regard to age, race, color, creed, sex, religion, disability, sexual orientation, national or ethnic origin.

Collection of the information below is for statistical and informational purposes only and has no bearing upon admission decisions.

HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOURSELF?

- Nonresident Alien
 Hispanic of any race

For Non-Hispanics Only:

- American Indian or Alaska Native
 Asian
 Black or African American
 Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
 White
 2 or more races

ARE YOU THE FIRST IN YOUR FAMILY TO ATTEND COLLEGE?

- yes no

IS ENGLISH THE PRIMARY LANGUAGE SPOKEN IN YOUR HOME?

- yes no

ARE YOU A VETERAN OF THE U.S. MILITARY?

- yes no

ARE YOU AN ORPHAN OR WARD OF THE COURT?

- yes no

DO YOU PLAN TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID?

- yes no

WHAT LED YOU TO APPLY TO CORNISH COLLEGE OF THE ARTS? (Please check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cornish Faculty or Staff | <input type="checkbox"/> admission representative | <input type="checkbox"/> Cornish publication |
| <input type="checkbox"/> family member | <input type="checkbox"/> Cornish reputation | <input type="checkbox"/> teacher or counselor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> visit to campus | <input type="checkbox"/> Cornish website | <input type="checkbox"/> faculty member |
| <input type="checkbox"/> other | <input type="text"/> | |

LIST OTHER COLLEGES OR UNIVERSITIES TO WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING

name

name

name

essays

PERSONAL STATEMENT AND ESSAY

A personal statement and an essay are required as part of your Application for Admission. The instructions are on page 12. Please submit your essays on separate sheets of paper as instructed.

application fee & mailing instructions

ONCE COMPLETE, MAIL YOUR APPLICATION, TWO ESSAYS AND A \$35 APPLICATION FEE TO:

Cornish College of the Arts

Office of Admission
1000 Lenora Street
Seattle, WA 98121

signature (required)

I affirm that the information provided in this Application for Admission to Cornish College of the Arts is truthful and accurate, that the essays are my original compositions and that the work presented in my audition or portfolio review is my own.

applicant's signature

date