



RUGBY SCHOOL

13+ ART SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ENTRY IN SEPTEMBER 2024

Assessment date: Tuesday 27 February 2024

**THE CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATION FORMS AND BURSARY AUGMENTATION IS FRIDAY
19 JANUARY 2024**

The 13+ Art Scholarship assessments will be based on an interview with the candidates, their portfolio and two practical exercises. The portfolio should show evidence of self-initiated projects as well as work realised at school and must reflect a good range of media, styles and techniques. The practical exercises will test their dexterity in both two and three dimensions.

Candidates are also required to submit to the address below, **at least one week before the assessment day**, an essay of 200 words. This should be a critical assessment of the influences that have inspired the candidate.

Head of Art
The Art Schools
Design Centre
Oak Street
RUGBY CV22 5EA

An example timetable for the Scholarship is as follows:

TUESDAY 27 FEBRUARY 2024		
Candidates arrive at the Rugby School Design Centre for 14.00		
Session 1	14.00 – 15.00	A drawing from a still life
	15.00 – 15.15	Break in the Design Centre
Session 2	15.15 – 16.30	Drawing development
	16.30	Approximate Departure

It is unusual for candidates to apply for both an Art Scholarship and Design & Technology. Those candidates who wish to apply for both Scholarships should contact the School in the first instance in order to discuss the practical consequences of this.

June 2023

Note to candidates and their teachers:

The approach of the Rugby School Art Department is very open, covering a broad range of disciplines. Whilst this approach is accepting of most forms of making art, all work is underpinned with a high standard of observational drawing. In addition, the ability to evaluate critically the work of others and one's own work is essential. The Department is looking for candidates with a good skill base, imagination, sensitivity, flair and, above all, enthusiasm

Award and Augmentation

The value of a Scholarship award is a fee concession of 5% which parents or legal guardians of the awardee may elect to accept. More than one Scholarship can be awarded to a candidate although the total fee reduction available is limited to 5%. The level of fee concession provided can be augmented by bursary support up to 100% of the boarding or day fees subject to means assessment. To access bursary support a Confidential Statement of Financial Circumstances must be completed and should be submitted to the Bursar before the examination closing date. Completed bursary applications received after the closing date will not be assessed until after the result of a scholarship application is known and any bursary award may not then be offered at the time of joining the School. We are not able to provide an indication of the amount of financial assistance that may be available until the Registration Form has been completed and returned to the Admissions Office, together with payment of the Registration Fee. Bursary application forms are obtainable from The Bursary, Rugby School, 10 Little Church Street, Rugby, CV21 3AW (email funding@rugbyschool.net). Additionally, at the Head Master's discretion, exceptional awards with a fee concession which may be greater than 5% can be made where, during the assessment process, we identify exceptional potential.