

SHORT TERM ART PROGRAMME

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. What are the aims of the Short Term Art Programme?

The Short Term Art Programme aims to provide students who are interested in Art the opportunities to discover their talents. We aim to build their cognitive skills such as critical thinking, problem-solving, inter-personal relationship, decision making and many other skills that can contribute to school success.

2. What is covered in the Short Term Art Programme?

Students will be introduced to various art medium, techniques and art forms. We will be covering both 2- and 3-dimensional art forms, from acrylic and oil painting to sculpturing. Students will also learn about classic artists like Pablo Picasso to contemporary artists such as Yoyoi Kusama who recently exhibited her work in The National Gallery Singapore.

Guidance will be given to students on how to transform their creative thought processes into artworks.

3. How different is the Short Term Art Programme at DAS compared to the art programmes offered at enrichment centres?

Here at the DAS, all our creative instructors follow the OG principles in our delivery of lessons. It has proven to help students with dyslexia learn better. On top of learning the various art forms and art techniques, our lessons will also help to build the students' cognitive skills as well as their self-confidence. In addition, having students to work on a small art project we aim to help them prepare for building a portfolio in future.

4. How many students are there in a class?

There will be a maximum of eight students in a class. This is to give the students closer attention and maximum learning opportunities.

5. What are the criteria for joining the programme?

The Short Term Art Programme is available for students from Primary 1 to Primary 3.

6. My child has dyslexia but is not a student at the DAS. Can he still enrol in the programme?

Yes. This Short Term Art Programme is suitable for all students from Primary 1 to Primary 3.

7. Will art materials be provided throughout the Programme?

Yes.

8. How often are classes conducted?

Classes are conducted once a week, 1.5 hours per lesson.

9. Where are lessons conducted?

Lessons are conducted at the following learning centres: Jurong Point and Tampines

10. What are the charges for the Short Term Art Programme?

Lessons are charged on a term basis. The regular course fee is \$337.50 for 10 lessons (15 hrs).