



**Center for Open and Distance Learning  
University of the Visual and Performing Arts**

**5. Diploma in Drawing and Painting – 2022/2023**

**Course Duration** : 01 Year

**Eligibility Criteria** : Should pass G.C.E. (A/L) with Art as a subject

**or**

Has passed G. C. E. (O/L) with Art as a subject and passed G. C. E. (A/L) 03 subjects in any stream

**or**

Has passed the G. C. E. (O/L) and G. C. E. (A/L) but has not done Art as a subject he/ she should be presented his/ her working experience in the relevant field

**or**

Has passed G. C. E. (O/L) in Art subject a candidate demonstrate competence in the relevant field and potential for future carrier development

**And**

Pass the practical test and interview conducted by the University.

Note: The Candidate should submit a comprehensive Portfolio with sample Creative Works at the interview

**Medium** : Sinhala and English

**Course Fee** : Rs.100,000/- (Can be paid in 3 installments)  
(First Installment Rs.70,000/- Second and Third installments Rs.15,000/- each)

**Lectures** : 9.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. on **Sundays**  
Lecturers (Theory an Practical )are conducted as per the approved methods of the university

❖ Clear scanned PDF form of the following documents should be made available with the applicant before applying online.

1. National ID Card (both sides)
2. Birth Certificate (Both sides)
3. Payment receipt of Rs. 1,000/-
4. Documents related to eligibility criteria of the course

Originals of the above documents/certificates should be produced at the interview.

❖ Applicants should pay Rs. 1,000/- as application fee. Receipt of the payment made **over the counter** in favour of the Centre for Open and Distance Learning, University of the Visual and Performing Arts to any branch of the Bank of Ceylon to be credited to the A/C No. **71876640** at the Independent Square Branch of the Bank of Ceylon, Colombo 07, **or** the receipt of the payment of Rs. 1,030/- through 'Pay Online' at the official website of the university [www.vpa.ac.lk](http://www.vpa.ac.lk) should be expressed.

- ❖ **Mode of the submission of Applications:** Apply online using the link here
- ❖ Applicants who do not have the minimum eligibility requirements for the course or incomplete applications or late applications will be rejected. In such cases, the payment made by the applicant will not be refunded.
- ❖ **Deadline for applications is 19.09.2022**

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