



Kindergarten to Year 9 Application Form

This form must be completed for all new students wishing to attend Calgary Arts Academy.

Student Information					
Last Legal Name:		First Legal Name:		Middle Legal Name:	
Student Preferred Name: (If different from legal name) Last, First, Middle			Gender (F/M/X):		Preferred Pronouns (he/she/they):
Birth Date (MM/DD/YYYY):		Grade Level Applying For:		School Year Applying For? E.g. 27/28	Highest Grade Level Completed:
Address:			City/Province:		Postal Code:
Preferred Contact Phone Number:					
Student Citizenship: Are you a Canadian Citizen? ☐ Yes ☐ No					
Please provide a copy of citizenship document (e.g. Canadian Birth Certificate Permanent Resident, Refugee Claimant, Temporary Resident, Child of Canadian Citizen, Child of a lawfully admitted permanent or temporary resident).					
Document Type: _____					
Name of Current School:			Designated School:		
Reason for Leaving:					
Does the student have, or ever had, an IPP? ☐ Yes ☐ No If there is an IPP currently in place, a copy is required.					
Medical Information:					
Does your child have any medical conditions we should be aware of? ☐ Yes ☐ No					
Does your child need to take medication at school? ☐ Yes ☐ No					
If "Yes" to either of the above, please explain: _____ _____					
Sibling Information:					
Do you have other children attending CAA, or have you applied for any other children? If yes, please list:					
Name: _____			Grade: _____		
Name: _____			Grade: _____		

Kindergarten Applicants Only

Is your child currently enrolled, or has your child ever attended, another Kindergarten program?

☐

Yes

☐

No

Does your child qualify for PUF Funding?

If yes, please provide more information and attach any IPP's or specialized assessments.

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Yes

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No

Did your child attend pre-school?

☐

Yes

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No

Name of Preschool:

Parent/Guardian Information

Parent/Guardian 1

Parent/Guardian 2

Last Name:	First Name:	Last Name:	First Name:
Address:		Address:	
Email:		Email:	
Primary Phone Number:	Alternate Phone Number:	Primary Phone Number:	Alternate Phone Number:
☐ Mother ☐ Father ☐ Guardian ☐ Other	☐ Mother ☐ Father ☐ Guardian ☐ Other	☐ Mother ☐ Father ☐ Guardian ☐ Other	☐ Mother ☐ Father ☐ Guardian ☐ Other

Custody/Guardianship Information: The student lives with

☐ Both parents
 ☐ Shared Custody
 ☐ Mother
 ☐ Father
 ☐ Legal Guardian
 ☐ Other _____

Note: If a custody order or any other legal document governing the custody or guardianship of your child exists, please provide a copy.

Demographic Information

Language: Primary Language spoken at home: _____

Note: This statistical information is required by the Government of Alberta and does not imply that Calgary Arts Academy offers second language instruction.

Francophone Education

Pursuant to section 23 of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms, citizens of Canada (1) whose first language learned and still understood is French, or (2) who have received their primary school instruction in Canada in French, have the right to have their children receive primary and secondary instruction in French, or (3) of whom any child has received or is receiving primary or secondary school instruction in French in Canada have the right to have their children receive primary and secondary school instruction in the same language. In Alberta, parents can only exercise this right by enrolling their child in a French first language (Francophone) program offered by a Francophone regional authority.

A. According to the criteria as set out in the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms, are you eligible to have your child receive a Francophone Education? ☐ Yes ☐ No

B. If yes, do you wish to exercise your right to have your child receive a Francophone education? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Aboriginal Eligibility

If you wish to declare the student is Aboriginal, please select one:

☐ First Nation (status) ☐ First Nation (non-status) ☐ Metis ☐ Inuit

For further information, please refer to: <https://www.alberta.ca/first-nations-metis-or-inuit-student-self-identification.aspx> or contact Alberta Education at 780-427-8501.

Student Enrolment and Expectations

Students accepted into our school are expected to:

- Participate to the best of their ability and display commitment to all aspects of their learning.
- Attend all classes, rehearsals, performances and special events.
- Display CAA's Circle of Courage values.
- Demonstrate willingness to work independently and collaboratively.
- Participate in all art forms

Students who find success at CAA are:

- Committed to learning
- Resilient and flexible
- Able to follow a group plan with minimal support
- Working towards academic excellence
- Interested in the arts
- Commitment to understanding the CAA pillars

Now for the fun part! Tell us a little bit more about your family and your student's interest in the arts!

Calgary Arts Academy's Vision: **Children and Community that values Arts and Learning!**

Calgary Arts Academy provides Arts Immersion teaching and learning, focusing on high expectations and academic excellence. We serve students who are passionate about the arts and pure art form instruction in: dance, drama, literary arts, media arts, music and visual arts. We are passionate about Arts Immersion learning!

At Calgary Arts Academy students learn the Alberta curriculum through all art forms. Is your child committed to participating meaningfully in all art forms? ☐ Yes ☐ No

What art forms interests your child the most?

☐ Dance ☐ Drama ☐ Literary Arts ☐ Media Arts ☐ Music ☐ Visual Arts

Why are you interested in attending our school?

Does your child participate in any arts-related activities outside of school? (This is optional and not a requirement for admission. Examples include; dance program, music sessions, community theatre, art lessons, etc.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes please provide more information below:

What are you hoping your child will experience or gain from attending Calgary Arts Academy?

What does being a part of a community mean to you and your child?

Reflecting on the information above, please share any thoughts or information about your child that are relevant and/or important. (**required**)

Have you attended a tour of the school? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Where or how did you hear about Calgary Arts Academy (check all the apply)?

☐ Friends/Family ☐ Social Media ☐ Internet Search ☐ Print Ad/Signs ☐ Other: _____

Important to Note

- Calgary Arts Academy delivers the Alberta curriculum through Arts Immersion. Students are required to meaningfully participate in all art forms.
- We encourage all families to attend a school tour (either in-person or virtually) to experience arts immersion education before applying.
- All completed applications are reviewed by the Application Review Committee in accordance with our F-1 Student Selection, Admissions and Placement Policy. Successful applicants will be added to the wait list.
- Students in Years 4 to 9 on the wait list will be contacted to schedule a group audition. This is a requirement to complete the application package.
- Calgary Arts Academy operates on a first-come, first-served basis, with siblings of current students and active participants in the Arts taking priority.
- To receive priority for sibling applications, the student must have completed one year at Calgary Arts Academy and be in good standing.
- All documents (please see the checklist below), plus payment of a \$50.00 admin fee must be received before your child's name is placed on the applicant list.

How to submit your application:

- Completed application form
- Student Citizenship Status Document (e.g. Canadian Birth Certificate, Permanent Resident card, etc.). *See page 1 for more information.*
- Most recent report card. *A copy is required when applying for Year 1 to Year 9.*
- Copies of any educational documents, such as IPP's, specialized program, assessments
- Non-refundable application fee of \$50.00. Cash, cheque, debit, credit (no Amex).

How to submit the completed application and supporting documents:

Email: admissions@caaschool.com (*Photographed documents are not accepted*)
In Person: To any of our campus locations during office hours.
Mail: Calgary Arts Academy
640 - 14 Avenue SE
Calgary, AB T2G 1E8

Collection and Use of Personal Information

The information requested on this form is collected under the authority of the Education Act, the Student Record Regulation and Alberta's Protection of Privacy Act (POPA). The personal information collected on this form is necessary for determining eligibility for an education program. It will be treated in accordance with the privacy protection provisions of POPA. If you have any questions concerning the collection, use or disclosure of this information, please contact the Superintendent of the school at 403-532-3020.

Declaration

By signing below, the student and parent(s)/guardian(s) acknowledge awareness of the above and hereby apply to attend Calgary Arts Academy program. Once a space has been offered, we agree to attend the Intake Session (Kindergarten to Year 3) and New Student Orientation Day in August.

We have read and understand the information provided on this form. We declare that all the information provided on this application form is complete and accurate and that all legal guardians of the student are in agreement to the submission of the application. We will notify the school of any changes to the information on this form. We understand that any misrepresentation or exclusion of pertinent student information could result in the withdrawal of an offer of a space.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

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