Fine Arts Diploma Seal- Visual Art Requirements

Class of 2020 Fine Arts Students,

The Fine Arts Diploma Seal was developed by the Georgia Department of Education to signal to employers and higher education institutions that a student is prepared to participate in Georgia’s robust Creative Industries sector. The Harrison Fine Arts Department has been granted endorsement to award the Fine Arts Diploma Seal.

1. Visual Art: 3 visual art courses plus one of the following options:

A. One additional visual art course

B. AP Art History

1. Participate in 2 fine arts related extracurricular (outside of regular school hours) activities. This means activities associated with your specific subject area and requires extra commitment and effort. Examples of the types of activities include:

* Creating Art Work for School/Community
* Foundation for Hospital Art
* Leadership/Officer in Fine Arts Class
* National Art Honor Society
* PTSA Reflections
* Taking private lessons
* Student Preparation Assistant
* Tutoring Middle School and Fellow High School Students
* Other: As Approved by the Teacher/Instruction

1. 20 hours of community service related to the arts over the four-year period at Harrison. Art show preparation and assembly beyond the school day are considered community service hours. Students must account for the minimum of 20 hours verified by their teacher
2. Present a 3-5 minute capstone project for a panel of Harrison Fine Arts teachers. The presentation should be summarized and demonstrated by using a PowerPoint (or equivalent) Presentation focusing on your experiences in the Fine Arts program at Harrison.
3. You must include statements and explanations about how the visual art program has impacted your life and predict how your involvement in the arts will impact your future self. Record yourself presenting and upload the video to YouTube as an unlisted video. Email your presentations to your Fine Arts Teacher.

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