

HANDOUT 01 | Admission Process

Regular Admissions 2024 | School of Visual Arts and Design [SVAD]

DEGREE PROGRAMS

- BA (Hons.) IEDA – Interdisciplinary Expanded Design and Art (IEDA)
- BFA Visual Arts (VA)
- BDes Visual Communication Design (VCD)
- BDes Textile, Fashion and Accessories Design (TFA)
specialization in Textile and Fibre/Fashion/Jewellery and Accessories

IMPORTANT DATES



HOW TO APPLY

STEP 1 – ONLINE APPLICATION

Fill out the online application form by following the steps given below:

- Visit www.bnu.edu.pk and click “Fall 2024 Admissions Open” at the top right of the BNU webpage
OR Simply click here: admission.bnu.edu.pk
- Read Admission Application instructions carefully.

STEP 2 – APPLICATION SUBMISSION

Submit Online:

Submit your application online.

Please also upload **ONE** of the following proofs of payment on the admission portal for the application fee of Rs. 4000/- (non-refundable) as a screenshot

- Pay via Bank Deposit to **A/C. #00211650512685** at any UBL branch.
- Pay via **Blinq App** (procedure is available in your application portal in the ‘processing fee’ section)
- Pay via **Funds Transfer** using 1Bill option from your mobile banking app

STEP 3 – ADMISSION TEST AND INTERVIEW

The SVAD admission process is divided into two parts for all applicants; the **Admission Test** and the **Interview**. This year both parts will be conducted ONLINE.

TEST: Sunday, 25th August

*The admission test for the School of Visual Arts and Design is an online, open-book, at-home test. Students will be given **15 hours** to complete all the tasks. Candidates will be tested for reading comprehension, visual comprehension, general knowledge, research etc.*

INTERVIEW: Tuesday - Saturday, 27th – 31st, August

Applicant will be emailed with a specific date and time along with a Zoom link on 26th August.

You will be interviewed by a panel of SVAD faculty members to gauge your aptitude for the degree applied for. The interview is also your chance to ask us questions about SVAD.

Further details about admission test and interview will be provided upon application submission.

CONTACT US:

*For inquiries related to **Step 1 & 2** - submission of documents, academic criteria for admission (equivalence, min. marks required, etc.), scholarships, and fee:*

UAN 042-111-BNU-LHR (042-111-268-547) or **admissions@bnu.edu.pk**

*For inquiries related to **Step 3** - Admission test and Interview guidelines:*

+92 333 4051931 or **svad.admissions@bnu.edu.pk**

TALK TO OUR REPRESENTATIVE

For all your queries and concerns you can talk to our representative by clicking on the Zoom link given below.

Timings

Monday till Friday

10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Zoom Link: <https://bnu-edu-pk.zoom.us/j/94618984196?pwd=ReZbdh81DTVcqWU9FaNd415uZBkcOz.1>

Meeting ID: 946 1898 4196

Passcode: 141221

SVAD FAQs

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTION ABOUT THE SCHOOL OF VISUAL ARTS AND DESIGN

1. Does SVAD open its admission in January/Spring?

NO, SVAD Undergraduate Admissions will not be open in January.

2. How can I learn more about the different degree programs that are offered?

To find out more about SVAD undergraduate programs, go here: bnu.edu.pk/bnu/mdsvad

3. When do classes begin?

The classes for Fall 2024 session will commence from Monday, September 16th.

4. What are the fees and/or are there scholarships?

To learn more about the fee structure and scholarships offered at BNU, go here: bnu.edu.pk/scholarships

5. What is the minimum grade requirement for eligibility?

To learn about BNU Admission Criteria: bnu.edu.pk/admissions-criteria

6. Do you have hostels?

Yes, we have newly constructed hostels available on campus. But spaces are limited so you must apply during admissions to secure a spot.

7. Will the test be online?

Yes. The Admission test will be online and can be completed from home.

8. How can I take the Admission Test?

Once you apply, you will be provided a detailed handout containing more information about the SVAD admission test and interview.

9. Will interviews be held online?

Interviews will happen online. Please make sure you are familiar with [Zoom](#) before the interview date

10. Do all candidates need to appear for the virtual interview?

Yes, all applicants who appear for the entrance test are given a chance for an interview. You will be interviewed by a panel of SVAD faculty members who look for curious individuals, with visual intelligence and various interests, like reading or interesting hobbies. The interview is also your chance to ask us questions about SVAD

11. How does one prepare for the interview?

- In-depth reading of the SVAD prospectus is required and candidates will be asked questions about information provided in the prospectus about the candidate's area of interest.

- A portfolio is encouraged, as it will help us recognize your passion and commitment. However a portfolio in this context can be anything that demonstrates a candidate's inclination towards creative expression by any kind of visuals/images and objects/forms created by them. It does not necessarily have to be work created at an academy. You may share links to an online portfolio or share a PDF via screen share during the interview.