

**PROSPECTUS FOR ADMISSION TO BFA DEGREE COURSE
FOR THE YEAR 2017-18**

G.O(Rt)NO.659/2017/HEDN Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 03/04/2017

1. Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree Course is introduced for those who have passed +2 or equivalent examination to acquire degree in Fine Arts. The selection will be made on the basis of an Entrance Examination. The duration of the course is 4 years. The 1st year of the course is termed as common course and the remaining 3 years are allocated for specialization in Painting, Sculpture or Applied Art. These specialized branches in the 2nd year will be offered based on the percentage of marks obtained in the 1st Year University Examination in the ratio 1:2:3, Sculpture, Painting, and Applied Art. First and Final year examination will be conducted by the Universities to which the colleges are affiliated while the 2nd and 3rd year Examinations by the respective colleges.

2. Institution and Intake

a) College of Fine Arts, Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram- 695 033 affiliated to University of Kerala with intake of 43 students.

b) Raja Ravi Varma College of Fine Arts, Mavelikkara- 690 101 affiliated to University of Kerala with intake of 40 students.

c) College of Fine Arts, Thrissur- 680 020 affiliated to University of Calicut with Intake of 40 Students.

3. Eligibility

a) Candidates must have passed +2 or equivalent Examinations.

b) Hearing Impaired(speaking/hearing disability only) students those who are passed Diploma in Engineering can also apply for BFA Admission 2017-18

c) Candidates should have completed 17 years of age and must be below 27 years as on 1st June 2017

4. Reservation of Seats

a) Seats are reserved for Candidates belonging to Socially and Educationally Backward Classes (SEBC) as per GO(Ms) No.683/2015/H.Edn. dated 11-12-2015. The distribution of seats for various categories are as follows. Ezhava- 9%, Muslim-8%, Latin Catholic and Anglo Indian-3%, Other backward Christian-1%, Other Backward Hindu -3%, Kudumbi-1% Kusavan and related communities-1%, Dheevara and related communities-2% and Viswakarma and related communities-2%. Candidates claiming reservation under SEBC quota should produce Non-Creamy layer Certificate from the Village Officer concerned along with the application. However, all candidates who are considered for any fee concession/ scholarship/ any other benefits based on annual family income should produce Income certificate from the Village Officer concerned.

b) For Scheduled Caste (SC) and Scheduled Tribe (ST) Candidates, the reservation of seats is 8% and 2% respectively. Candidates claiming reservation under SC/ST quota should produce the Caste/Community Certificate obtained from Tahsildar.

c) 3% seats are reserved for Physically Disabled candidates. Candidates claiming reservation under this quota will have to produce a Disability Certificate from the District Medical Board to the effect that their disability is above 40%.

d) One seat is reserved in any one of the institution for son/ daughter of Ex-servicemen. Candidates claiming reservation under this quota will have to produce a Certificate from the Military authorities concerned to the effect that he/she is the son/daughter of Ex-servicemen.

e) The seats unavailed by the ST candidates will be allotted to SC candidates and vice versa . The seats unavailed by the SC/ST candidates will be allotted to candidates belonging to Other Eligible Community.

5. Fees

i) Admission Fees : Rs 75/-

ii) Tuition Fees : Rs 1800/- per year (Payable in two installments)

iii) Special Fees : Rs 800/- per year + (University fee as applicable by concerned university)

iv) Caution Deposit : Rs 250/-

The fees structure is subject to modification as per Government decision.

6. Application Forms

Application forms and prospectus can be obtained from the Principal of the Fine Arts Colleges on payment of Rs 150/- For SC/ST candidates it shall be Rs 75/- .For getting the application forms through post the candidate should submit a Demand Draft in favour of the Principal of the concerned Fine Arts College for Rs.185/- for General Candidates and Rs.110/- for the SC/ST candidates. Money Order/ Cheque/Postal Orders will not be accepted.

7. Submission of Application

Application Forms duly filled up together with the following documents should be submitted to the Director of Technical Education, Fort, Thiruvananthapuram – 695 023 on or before the last date which will be published in the news paper.

a) Document in proof of age.

b) Attested copy of the mark list of +2 or equivalent./

c) If reservations are claimed under clause 4 (c) or 4 d),attested copy of certificates should be submitted.

8. Selection of Candidates

Selection will be made on the basis of an Entrance Examination and an Interview conducted at College of Fine Arts, Thrissur

I. Written Test(Maximum 100 Marks)

Subject: General Awareness in Art and Culture (Objective type Questions)

II. Practical Examination (Maximum 200 Marks)

The candidates will have to attend 3 Practical tests of 100 marks each.

Test 1: Drawing (Drawing a portrait of a human model in black and white)

Test 2: Creative Painting (Water colour painting of a given subject)

Test 3: Creative Sculpture (Three Dimensional form in clay with not more than 20x20x20 inches).

The best two of the marks secured in the three Practical tests will be considered for short listing.

III. Interview (Maximum 100 Marks)

The candidates who have secured 40% marks for the written test and practical Examination put together will be short listed for the interview .The candidates attending the interview will have to bring their recent painting, drawing and sculpture at the time of interview.

Duration of the test will be two and a half hour for each subject. The candidate should bring pencil, colour and other necessary materials for the Tests.(paper and clay will be supplied by the department)

A rank list will be prepared on the basis of Entrance Examination. (Test, Practical and Interview). Based on the institutional preference of the candidates given in the application form, selection will be made from the above rank list. Reservation of seats as per Clause 4 will be followed in each institution and allotment will be made accordingly. Individual memo will be sent to the candidates provisionally selected for admission. The admission will be provisional and subject to the verification of the original documents by the Principal of the respective institution at the time of admission.

Any other details not specifically covered by the Clauses given in the prospectus will be decided by the undersigned and he/she is empowered to cancel any admission if found illegal and his/her decision will be final.

Thiruvananthapuram
Date:04.04.2017

(Sd)
DIRECTOR OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Time schedule for BFA admission

Invitation of Application of BFA Admission	:	15/05/2017
Last date of receiving of application	:	30/05/2017
Last date of rectifying defects of application	:	5/06/2017
Hall Ticket Issue to candidates	:	12,13/ 06/2017
Date of Entrance Examination	:	,28/6,29/6,30/6,01/07/2017
Interview of the selected candidates	:	30/6, to 1/07/2017
Rank list &1 st allotment of memo issue	:	10 /07/2017
Date of Joining at the Institution	:	13,14,15/7/2017
Class starting in the Institution	:	17/07/2017
Vacancy position Reporting by Institution	:	19/07/2017
2 nd Allotment	:	26/07/2017
Date of Joining	:	3/08/2017
Date of closing BFA admission	:	15/08/2017

Selected candidate should join the institution on or before closing the admission of BFA 2017-18, no further admission is allowed .