

About SOTA

Vision

Creative Citizens for the Future

Mission

Nurturing artistic and creative learners who positively impact Singapore and the world, through a vibrant learning environment that is anchored in the arts

Value

Humility, Integrity, Peoplecentredness, Passion

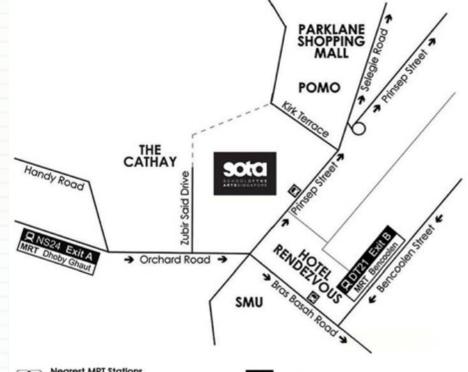
Every SOTA student is a H.I.P. Leader with Passion



Location of SOTA

Conveniently located in town and well served by **47 buses** and **2 MRT stations** which are within 5 min walking distance to the school.







Nearest MRT Stations
Bencoolen MRT Station (Exit B)
Dhoby Ghaut MRT Station (Exit A)



Bus Services Available

Prinsep Street Bus Stop Name/No.: Sch of the Arts / 08079

Bus No.: 64, 65, 131, 139, 147, 166, 857, 1N, 2N, 3N, 4N, 5N, 6N, NR6

Bras Basah Road Bus Stop Name/No.: Bencoolen Stn Exit B / 08069

Bus No.: 7, 14, 14e, 16, 36, 77, 106, 111, 124, 128, 162, 162M, 167, 171, 174, 174e, 175, 190, 502, 502A, 518, 518A, 590, 652, 656, 660, 663, 665, 700, 700A, 850E, 951E, NR7





SOTA admits 100% of our students through the MOE Direct School Admission (DSA) Exercise via the Talent Academy (TA).

TA auditions are conducted in June yearly.

- Primary criterion: artistic talent and potential
- Secondary criterion: qualification for Express Stream
- Student should also demonstrate ability and/or potential to complete the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma

SOTA does not participate in the \$1 posting exercise following the release of the PSLE results.

Visit

https://www.sota.edu.sg/admissions/talent-academy for more information.

The application deadline on 23 May 2020, 5:00 PM

All shortlisted applicants will attend the TA and participate in audition activities required of the art form.

What is the Talent Academy (TA)?

The TA is SOTA's Direct School Admissions (DSA) platform.

In view of the current COVID-19 situation, this year's arts audition activities will focus on solo auditions and exercises.

Please check our SOTA website for updates.

Eligible applicants may apply to up to TWO of the following art forms:

- 1. Dance
- 2. Literary Arts
- 3. Music (Performing) or Music (Creating)
- 4. Theatre
- 5. Visual Arts

SOTA Student Financial Support Schemes & Scholarships



Students who have been on the Financial Assistance Scheme (FAS) in MOE primary schools will continue to receive financial assistance if there is no change to the income status of parents.

In addition, SOTA offers bursary and study awards for students who meet the criteria.

From 2020, eligible FAS students will also receive the David Marshall Study Award. Funded by Temasek Foundation Nurtures (TFN) this award will provide between \$1,000 to \$3,000 a year to offset the cost of education.

For more information, please refer to: www.sota.edu.sg/admissions/sotasfs-scholarships

Here are some traits SOTA looks for in a student:



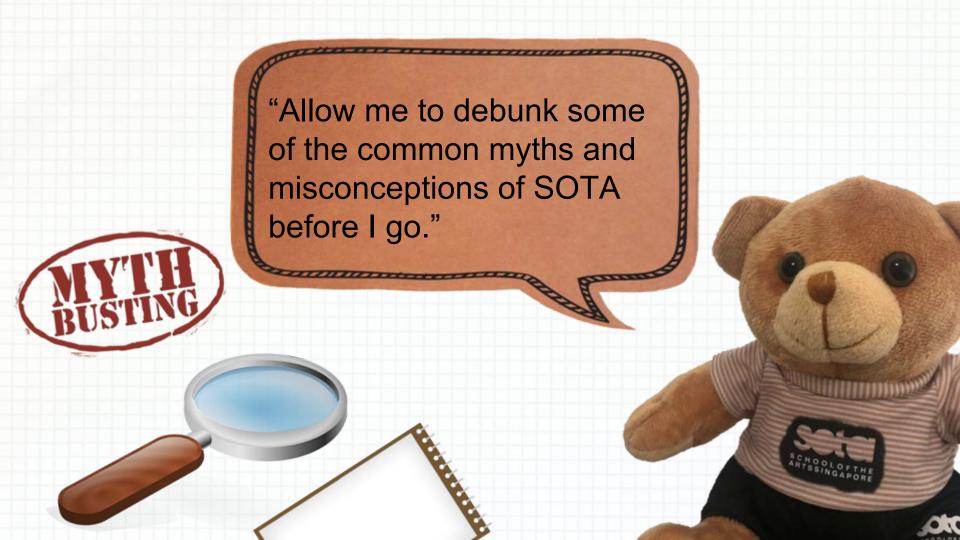
PASSION FOR THE ARTS

ALWAYS CURIOUS ABOUT THE WORLD

WORKS WELL WITH OTHERS

EVER WILLING TO EXPERIMENT

MANAGES TIME, ENERGY AND RESOURCES WELL





"SOTA is a tertiary institution."

One of the biggest misconceptions EVER! SOTA is Singapore's first and only national PRE-TERTIARY specialized arts school, targeted for youths 13-18 years old. The curriculum culminates in either the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme (IBDP) or Career-related Programme (IBCP).

"SOTA students can only pursue Artsrelated higher education or careers after graduation."

Not true at all!

SOTA alumni have gone on to pursue disciplines such as law, architecture, business, psychology, journalism the list goes on.







"There is no sports or physical education for SOTA students."

Oh, C'mon!

SOTA students work hard and play hard! It is compulsory for all students to undergo Experiential Education that includes sports and activities such as camping, kayaking and rock climbing.







"SOTA is only for kids from well-to-do families."

No need to worry! Students who are offered a place in SOTA can come regardless of their family's financial situation. SOTA has a wide range of scholarships and financial assistance schemes in place to support those in need.





Visit us at:

www.sota.edu.sg

See you there!



From 30 March to 30 April 2020

View up to 80 winning entries of the SOTA Primary 6 Art Competition 2020 Exhibition

From 3 April to 18 May 2020

Visit SOTA's first e-Open House!