

## How to be a successful art student

1. Create your own work.
2. Do not copy a style, movement, or artist that already exists.
3. Experiment with different media.
4. Defend your art.
5. Explore the work of a myriad of artists.
6. Title your work.
7. Challenge what is said.
8. Create the work of others.
9. Do not be apathetic.
10. Go to exhibitions.
11. Read (mainly essays on critical theory and politics).
12. Contextualise your work with the reading you do.
13. Look at other movements, artists, and genres.
14. Do not create sporadic works.
15. Create what you desire.
16. Ensure that your works fit with in a theme.
17. Listen to direction (especially from Tutor's) when creating work.
18. Avoid traditional art forms (i.e. painting, ornate sculpture, metalwork) unless for the sake of a performance.
19. Make sure work is readable, and that the viewer can enter the art.
20. Do not project thoughts and emotions in your work, be objective.
21. Always submit to those with greater cultural capital.