

MA & MFA CREATIVE WRITING & PUBLISHING APPLICATION FORM

Which academic year are you applying for? _____

Please indicate which programme you are applying for	
MA Creative Writing & Publishing (two years, part time)	<input type="checkbox"/>
MFA* Creative Writing & Publishing (one year, part time) only available to students who have completed the MA Creative Writing & Publishing at West Dean	<input type="checkbox"/>
MA & MFA* Creative Writing & Publishing (three years, part time) MFA is only available to students who have completed the MA Creative Writing & Publishing at West Dean	<input type="checkbox"/>

*subject to validation

PERSONAL DETAILS	
First name(s)	
Surname	
Title (e.g. Mr/Mrs)	
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	
Nationality	
Passport number	
Current address	
Telephone	
Mobile	
Email	
Permanent address, if different from above	

Fees

Before you commence your programme of study at West Dean you must ensure that you have adequate financial provision to cover tuition and living expenses.

Please state how your fees will be funded	Amount
Self	
Awards, scholarships, bursaries	
Bank loans	
Other	

Disability Declaration Form

This form will be detached from your main application form.

West Dean welcomes applications from disabled people and will try to meet their needs wherever it reasonably can. The information that you give on this application form will help the College to inform you about the support that is available.

Please tick all that applies:		
No known disability		<input type="checkbox"/>
A specific learning difficulty e.g. dyslexia, dyspraxia or AD(H)D		<input type="checkbox"/>
A social/communication impairment such as Asperger's syndrome/other autistic spectrum disorder		<input type="checkbox"/>
A long standing illness or health condition such as cancer, HIV, diabetes, chronic heart disease, or epilepsy		<input type="checkbox"/>
A mental health condition, such as depression, schizophrenia or anxiety disorder		<input type="checkbox"/>
A physical impairment or mobility issues, such as difficulty using arms or using a wheelchair or crutches		<input type="checkbox"/>
Deaf or a serious hearing impairment		<input type="checkbox"/>
Blind or a serious visual impairment uncorrected by glasses		<input type="checkbox"/>
A disability, impairment or medical condition that is not listed above (please specify below)		<input type="checkbox"/>
Other; please specify:		

If you have ticked one of the boxes that indicates you have a disability you will be contacted by a member of the Academic Registry to discuss the support you may need and any reasonable adjustments you may require.

Please confirm your name			
Please confirm the programme you are applying for			
DETAILS OF EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS (Proof of academic qualifications may be required)			
Dates	School/University/College	Course attended	Qualification
DETAILS OF RELEVANT EMPLOYMENT AND EXPERIENCE			
Dates	Occupation	Name of employer	Skills used

Proficiency in English (For those whose first language is not English)

Applicants for programmes for whom English is not their first language are required to have attained SELT CEFR (Common European Framework of Reference for languages) level B2 for programmes below degree level and SELT CEFR level B2 for all programmes of degree level and above.

Countries not included in this requirement are listed on the UKVI website. The test certificate, which must be still within its validity date range, will be required by West Dean. You must pass each of the four components of the test (reading, writing, speaking and listening) at the required level. Pass marks will be recorded on the applicant's Confirmation of Acceptance for Study (CAS) prior to the student's application for a Student Visa.

Please confirm that you are able to comply with this requirement.

Signature _____

PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please include a personal statement of no more than 500 words describing your writing practice and experience (including reference to any courses taken), your motivation for applying and what you hope to achieve. If there is insufficient space to complete your answer, please continue on a separate sheet of paper.

REFERENCES (Professional or Academic) Download the reference form here . Please arrange for two referees to complete and return the referee forms by email as soon as possible. A delay in Admissions receiving the references can delay the assessment of your application.	
Name of referee 1	
Address	
Telephone/mobile	
Email	
Name of referee 2	
Address	
Telephone/mobile	
Email	

Where did you hear about this programme at West Dean?			
West Dean website	<input type="checkbox"/>	Word of mouth	<input type="checkbox"/>
Internet search	<input type="checkbox"/>	Professional recommendation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Media	<input type="checkbox"/>	Advertisement (please specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>
College eNewsletters	<input type="checkbox"/>	West Dean Open Day	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other website (please specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Other (please give details)	<input type="checkbox"/>		

APPLICATION CHECKLIST	
Please make sure you include the following (please tick)	
One profile photo, please send by email with your application*	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copy of passport (All UK and overseas students must provide this)*	<input type="checkbox"/>
Copy of transcripts/education qualification certificates*	<input type="checkbox"/>
English Language Certificate (if applicable)*	<input type="checkbox"/>
Portfolio of written work*	<input type="checkbox"/>
Personal statement (no more than 500 words)	<input type="checkbox"/>

*Not required for those who have completed the MA Creative Writing & Publishing at West Dean

<input type="checkbox"/>	I confirm that I have read and understood the College's Student Terms and Conditions (https://www.westdean.ac.uk/degrees-and-diplomas/terms)
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I declare that to the best of my knowledge the information given in this form is correct.

By completing this application form I authorise West Dean to process my application.

Signature _____ Date _____

Send your completed application form and supporting documents to: admissions@westdean.ac.uk
Digital applications are preferred, however if you would like to post your application, please use the following address:

Admissions Officer, West Dean College, West Dean. Chichester, West Sussex, PO18 0QZ, UK
www.westdean.ac.uk