

# Design and Architecture Senior High School

**Please Note: Audition requirements are the same for ALL applicants, regardless of choice of design program.**

## **AUDITION GUIDELINES**

The audition will consist of three sections: studio performance, a review of the portfolio and sketchbook, and an interview.

### **I. Studio Performance**

**Each participant will be provided with the necessary materials. Applicants will be expected to demonstrate ability to complete the studio portion of the audition by drawing from observation of three-dimensional subjects in a variety of media.**

### **II. Portfolio and Sketchbook Review**

All 2-D work must be brought to the audition site in a portfolio or similar folder. The portfolio must include ten examples of original art work. The sketchbook should be 8" x 11" or larger. The student's full name and grade should be printed on the cover of the portfolio and the sketchbook.

Limit two-dimensional artwork to the size of the portfolio. Drawings should represent a ratio of at least 50% of the portfolio but photographs, graphic art, and three-dimensional work are also acceptable. Three-dimensional artwork may be submitted in slide form or boxed and packaged for safe handling.

### **III. Interview**

A member of the faculty will interview the applicant to determine the levels of motivation, commitment, and suitability for the program.

Transportation will be provided for DASH students according to established guidelines of the Miami Dade County School Board.

DASH students will not receive credit for virtual school or online courses if the same course is offered in person at DASH.

Students enrolled in this magnet program will be required to complete the 32 credits for graduation and will not be eligible for the 18 credit option.