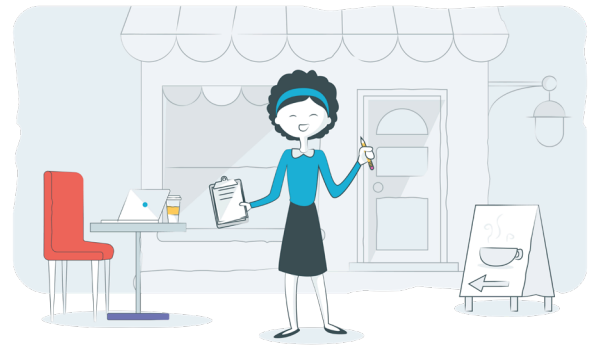


# Application Artifact:

## Writing Sample

The writing sample is a 1-2 page reflection. It must demonstrate graduate-level writing. Discuss why art education is so important and your reasons for wanting to earn a master's degree.



### Why do we ask for it?

The online classroom at AOEUE relies on written communication and reflection. The writing sample shows application reviewers you are capable of writing at the graduate level. It should be professional and polished.

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### Application directions

What's your "why"? Compose a one-page writing sample outlining why art education is important and why you want to earn a master's degree. Use professional grammar, spell-check your work, and include details or references to support your ideas. Please upload your writing sample as a PDF.

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### Tips for success

- Outline your thoughts so your message is organized.
  - Focus on the topic and keep your writing clear and concise.
  - Avoid casual writing and abbreviations.
  - Include examples from your classroom and/or personal life.
  - Proofread, spell-check, and edit your submission.
  - Consider formatting as part of your professionalism.
  - To enhance your writing, consider finding credible resources to support your point of view.
  - Have a friend or colleague proofread your work.
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### Required file format

PDF - Click [here](#) for information on file conversion.