

Dear Prospective Student,

17 May 2019

**SKILLS ASSESSMENT PORTFOLIO: DIPLOMA INTERIOR DESIGN AND DECORATING**

By submitting the list of documentation below, we encourage you to explore your own creativity and artistic ability. You will be required to submit 4 items, as listed below:

1. Illustrate your understanding of **perspective, texture, light** and **shadow**. Similar to the illustration below, photograph a chair in your house. Draw this chair on an A4 page, using an ink pen (black or blue). Mount this sketch with the photo on an A3 board



Photo: wingback chair with ottoman

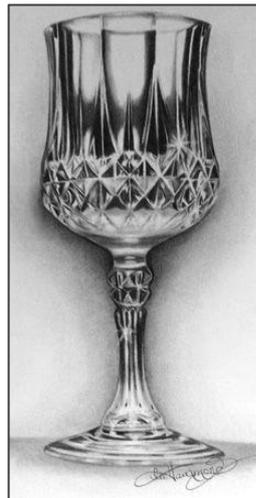


Sketch: wingback chair with ottoman

2. Illustrate your understanding of **form, line, accent, light** and **shadow**. Similar to the illustration below, photograph a flower vase in your house. Draw this object on an A4 page, using pencil. Mount this sketch with the photo on an A3 board



Photo: Crystal glass



Sketch: Crystal glass

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3. Illustrate your understanding of **composition**, **space** and **form**. Similar to the adjacent illustration below, draw a floor plan of your own bedroom.

Source images of furniture, colours, materials and finishes you would want to use, should you have had an open ended budget to revamp your room. This is called a concept board.

Write a short descriptive paragraph, explaining why you've opted for the specific look and feel of this revamped interior space.

Add a photo to the board, showing what your room like at present. Mount these elements with the floor plan sketch of your NEW layout on an A3 board.



4. Write a formal application letter to Weylandts, requesting an opportunity to present your portfolio (as if you've completed your qualification in Interior Design at the Academy) for a job interview. This letter should be addressed correctly, not more than 100 words.

Mode of delivery: Compile the above portfolio, with your full contact details clearly marked at the back of each board. Students have 2 weeks to compile from receipt of this brief.

Delivery of this portfolio should be to the physical address on the bottom of this page, addressed: **Potchestroom Academy Interior Design & Decorating: Skills Assessment Portfolio**. Contact Person: Course Coordinator, Mandie Erasmus on: (018) 294-9014 or [interior6@potchacademy.co.za](mailto:interior6@potchacademy.co.za)

Should you have any questions, you are welcome to contact the Academy.

Regards,

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