

# Key Dates and Deadlines 25/26

We cannot offer any extensions to CAO deadlines for 1st year applications or Portfolio Submission Dates. If you have questions please get in touch at [admissions@ncad.ie](mailto:admissions@ncad.ie)

Date	Event
October 2024	Portfolio Information Sessions for entry 2025: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Virtual: 21st October 2024.</li><li>- On Campus: 22nd + 23rd October 2024.</li></ul>
November 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- NCAD Open Day 2024: Wednesday 27th November 2024.</li><li>- Product and Interaction Design Workshop. Date TBA.</li><li>- Portfolio Submission Platform Opens.</li></ul>
January 2025	Product and Interaction Design Workshop: Date TBA.
February 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- CAO Closing Date: Saturday 1st February 2025, final day to apply for all restricted art and design programmes. Product Design, Interaction Design and Visual Culture are unrestricted.</li><li>- International Applicant Closing Date: Saturday 1st February 2025.</li><li>- Portfolio Submission Deadline for ALL 1st Year Applicants: Friday 7th of February 2025.</li></ul>
March 2025	Advanced Entry deadline for any applications to Year 2/3: 31st March 2025.
April 2025	Portfolio results for entry to first year art and design programmes September 2025.
May 2025	Advanced Entry applicants will be contacted to upload their Portfolio.
June 2025	International Students who meet Minimum Entry Requirements will start receiving offers from June onwards.
July 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- CAO Change of Mind Deadline: 1st July 2025.</li><li>- Product Design, Interaction Design and Visual Culture application deadline: 1st July 2025.</li><li>- International Application Deadline for Product Design, Interaction Design and Visual Culture: 1st July 2025.</li><li>- Portfolio Deadline for Product Design, Interaction Design: 1st July 2025.</li></ul>
August 2025	All offers to NCAD will be made in August for those that have applied to 1st Year Art and Design courses.

For more information on applying to NCAD, preparing your portfolio, NCAD Open Days and Events, visit **our website** or **email us**.

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