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Thread: [\[Official\] Riptide Student Programme](#)

Sejskaler - September 9, 2016, 6:05 pm

Welcome to the tide

The water is rising, and the moon is shining, so it is time to learn.

Hello there,

we at riptide have decided to take in students, people who want to learn, people with aspiration and a hunger for creation.

Do you want to learn?

Do you want to create?

Do you want to draw?

Are you artistic?

Do you have the time?

And are you interested in having me as your teacher?

Well, then you came to the right place, so let's get to the meat of the application!

I want you, no matter who you are, no matter your status or post count, no matter reputation, with interest for art, you are qualified.

I don't care what your level is. - We are going to start on a low level, if necessary.

I will be focusing on drawing, lineart, illustrations, and some basics here and there, basically, whatever you want to learn!

So now, I want you to create a piece, you have 1 hour, give it your best shot, I trust you to only use 1 hour.

You can throw it in this thread, or you can simply send it to me in a PM, if you are a shy kind of person.

Follow this form:

Quote: Piece of art (Write PM if you sent it)

Why do I want to learn?

Inspiration (can be people, or pictures, drawings etc. - can include more than one)

Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication?

Remember, the piece of art must be freshly made, and only taken 1 hour

IncarnatiOn - September 9, 2016, 6:07 pm

Goodluck to all applicants, you will learn a lot in Riptide, this is a great opportunity ?

Shoe - September 9, 2016, 6:07 pm

Seems awesome! If only I were creative. :s

Sejskaler - September 9, 2016, 7:09 pm

(Sep 9, 2016 06:07 PM)IncarnatiOn Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Goodluck to all applicants, you will learn a lot in Riptide, this is a great opportunity ?

Thank you for giving your luck out! I certainly hope all will go well, and people will learn ^^

(Sep 9, 2016 06:07 PM)Shoe Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Seems awesome! If only I were creative. :s

Why not give it a shot? To you it might not seem creative, because you thought it up, but to anyone else it might :)

Why not give it a go, if you think it sounds awesome? I want everyone with interest to have a chance!

Faith Connors - September 9, 2016, 7:20 pm

Riptide is the best group.

/nobias

I'd also teach some people, more musical stuff because my GFX skills aren't very good, but I've been a bit strapped for time recently, maybe in the next month or so. Maybe then I'll start something like this too.

But to everyone reading, this is a fantastic opportunity! A lot of the people in the group are great artists and are overall super friendly people. If you're interested at all, take the leap!

J?cob - September 9, 2016, 7:49 pm

Can I fill this form out and send you a recent work I did when im home?

SIM-2848947 - September 9, 2016, 10:33 pm

(Sep 9, 2016 07:49 PM)Sean Pablo Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Can I fill this form out and send you a recent work I did when im home?

Post the thread now then simply edit and add on the art when you have the capability to. Try not to leave too much of a gap between posting them.

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t0rch - September 9, 2016, 10:35 pm

Is this purely for art? (Referring to pictures, paintings, drawings, etc)

I'd love this for game development tbh

???? Shana - September 9, 2016, 10:46 pm

Please no judgerino ;-; I'm still learning

Original: Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

Why do I want to learn? I want to be able to make HQ and visually appealing gfx as a hobby and show off my creative side while in an stressful environment. I also want to eventually be able to fill up my future house with my own artwork and I want to be able to get to the point where I no longer have to use tutorials lol

Inspiration: Usually just cool and vibrant paintings/gfx that I come across online/in person. There have been many photographer showcases that I've gone to where I wanted to create something similar, but can't because I can't travel to those locations.

Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication? Yes, I understand that this

isn't going to be something that happens overnight and I plan on improving my skills over the years.

Demonstrate - September 9, 2016, 11:26 pm

Piece of art:

Spoiler ([Click to View](#))
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Why do I want to learn?

I know that I'm not as good as I can be. I want to be in an environment where I, myself can learn and grow as can others. My goal is to improve as much as possible, as well as help as much as I can. I also want to expand on my art to stuff other than digital.

Inspiration (can be people, or pictures, drawings etc. - can include more than one)

I'm a big fan of Takashi Murakami and Angelo Baque.

Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication?

Of course, I am willing to dedicate the time that I have away from school and work.

Ink7 - September 10, 2016, 2:29 am

Piece of art (Write PM if you sent it)

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Why do I want to learn?

Because learning is fun.

Inspiration (can be people, or pictures, drawings etc. - can include more than one)

Casey Neistat, Dan Mumford.

Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication?

I do not understand.

teach me senpai

Sejskaler - September 10, 2016, 4:03 am

(Sep 9, 2016 07:49 PM)Sean Pablo Wrote: ([CITE](#)) Can I fill this form out and send you a recent work I did when im home?

No, you can't used recent work, you have to make a piece of work within 1 hour, no old work will do.
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(Sep 9, 2016 10:35 PM)Sheogorath Wrote: ([CITE](#)) Is this purely for art? (Referring to pictures, paintings, drawings, etc)

I'd love this for game development tbh

Unfortunately, I am an idiot when it comes to both coding and music, since I seem to currently be the only teacher, I can't really help you. I can help you with the sprites etc. if you are interested ^^

I will let the thread run a bit longer, to get some more applicants before choosing, please have patience

Zexo - September 10, 2016, 3:27 pm

Looking for some dedicated members for the group.

zeroday - September 10, 2016, 4:37 pm

Would be more interested if this was something technical. Goodluck applying anyway lol.

Sejskaler - September 10, 2016, 8:28 pm

(Sep 10, 2016 03:27 PM)Zexo Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Looking for some dedicated members for the group. And some people seeking knowledge too ;3

Codefuser - September 11, 2016, 5:56 am

Would philosophy be considered a form of art?

Sejskaler - September 17, 2016, 8:22 am

(Sep 11, 2016 05:56 AM)Codefuser Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Would philosophy be considered a form of art? Unfortunately, I cannot really teach you anything about philosophy, so while it could be considered art, this is mainly for the visual sector. I would not mind discussing philosophical subjects with you though ;)

(Sep 15, 2016 02:27 PM)James! Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) People are posting masterpieces and I'm here like, I can give a stickman a top hat.

Don't say that! Give it a shot, maybe it's the finest tophat in the world?

Did I not state in the recruitment that your skill level does not matter?

Codefuser - September 19, 2016, 6:15 am

(Sep 17, 2016 08:22 AM)Sejskaler Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Unfortunately, I cannot really teach you anything about philosophy, so while it could be considered art, this is mainly for the visual sector.

I would not mind discussing philosophical subjects with you though ;)

Alright I will apply soon.

Aryan_Ahir - September 19, 2016, 10:17 pm

[Original](#)

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Learning Never Ends.

Inspiration:
Google,Behance, Dribbble.

Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication?
Yes, Always A Good Creativity Need a good amount of dedication.

scam. - September 19, 2016, 11:38 pm

Remember guys its for learning - not necessarily for already very talented people. Don't feel intimidated and apply no matter your skill level. If you're passionate you are what he's looking for.

Xepher The Cat - September 20, 2016, 12:33 am

Good luck to all applicants. Amazing group.

cyberducky - September 20, 2016, 12:34 am

If any applicant wants feedback on their work, feel free to PM me.

Demonstrate - September 27, 2016, 1:28 pm

(Sep 19, 2016 10:17 PM)Aryan_Ahir Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#)

Original

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Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication?
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Good job stealing work.

<https://design.tutsplus.com/articles/create-a-fun-cartoon-character-face-in-adobe-illustrator--vector-25887>

Faith Connors - September 27, 2016, 2:08 pm

(Sep 27, 2016 01:28 PM)Demonstrate Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Good job stealing work.

<https://design.tutsplus.com/articles/create-a-fun-cartoon-character-face-in-adobe-illustrator--vector-25887>

Well, it's not entirely stealing, he did put the original source in the post, but yeah, he did follow the tutorial down to each individual step and measurement, while only omitting one or two parts instead of following the tutorial as a guideline to make something of his own.

#Doge - September 27, 2016, 2:09 pm

(Sep 27, 2016 01:28 PM)Demonstrate Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Good job stealing work.

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I think that's the result of him following the tutorial but yeah, you guys should submit original works and not just results of tutorials.

Goodluck to all applicants!

ParadiseDealz - September 27, 2016, 6:17 pm

Why do I want to learn?
Things i Dont know learning never ends as well

Inspiration:
Google , Simmas

Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication?
Yes, I understand to be creative you need dedication as i have dedication towards online marketing

Sejskaler - September 27, 2016, 6:22 pm

(Sep 27, 2016 02:09 PM)#Doge Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I think that's the result of him following the tutorial but yeah, you guys should submit original works and not just results of tutorials.

Goodluck to all applicants!

Kind of agreed here, I want your original work, everyone can go from a tutorial, I want to see people's mindset, their work, I think the job was well done, following a tutorial takes it's price, but using it to create something new is what it's there for.

It's always great learning, and I like that, but there is a reason you need to post what you are the most proud of, something you like, art is also about mindset, and overall liking it.

Now, he did add the tutorial, or original link, so I believe he did find it his best work, and in that case, I think it's fine for him to post, I mean, following a tutorial does somewhat show dedication, I followed tutorials myself for 3 years

I think this is fine, it does show that he is willing to learn ^^

skelly76 - September 27, 2016, 6:49 pm

I thought I would see more hand drawn submissions. If I applied you'd get some deformed stick figure lol.

Sejskaler - September 27, 2016, 7:00 pm

(Sep 27, 2016 06:49 PM)Aerial Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I thought I would see more hand drawn submissions. If I applied you'd get some deformed stick figure lol.

That is absolutely fine, this is NOT a competition of having the best work, after all, so feel free to apply ^^

Demonstrate - October 8, 2016, 12:53 pm

So no one from this thread got accepted?

Sejskaler - October 8, 2016, 1:03 pm

(Oct 8, 2016 12:53 PM)Demonstrate Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) So no one from this thread got accepted?

I haven't accepted anyone yet, I am waiting for a bit of applications, and I am looking around the forum

Geni - October 17, 2016, 9:41 am

I posted on the other thread, but it seems to be dead. I'll post here as well, in case.

Hello. I would like to join this group, because it seems really awesome, full of talent. As well as that, this is one of the few groups that allow new members to apply, which makes me happy as the group leaders actually care about the people, instead of, reputation, awards and posts.

I am 18 years old; from the UK. I'm currently studying I&CT, but thinking about leaving it at the end of the year and move to Drawing or joining the Royal Marines. This is because, IT is just boring, sitting behind a desk typing away. I like productivity, actually doing something.

I have been drawing for 4 years now, and it has made me extremely happy and thoughtful, as it lets me spill my emotions out onto a piece of paper which makes it into a piece of art.

An example is this: <https://imgur.com/a/q6wxh>

I was thinking about freedom & hope, and how everything in the world is always restricted. I made a bird to symbolise that.

I will posting more drawings soon; will be creating more drawings.

Furthermore, I would like to learn more about drawing and I want to get better and better.

Thank you & Bye :)

Sahaj - October 17, 2016, 9:54 am

Good luck to all the applicants! :)

Menacing - October 18, 2016, 1:00 am

Piece of art:

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A logo I made for my cousin. Took around 55 minutes and basically used layerstyles and some pentooling over a YuGiOh Card to recreate a similar style to the text. My cousin sells cards, as you can probably tell!

Why do I want to learn?

I love seeing artwork in general and especially logo design, typefaces, typography and marketing material. It really inspires me with my work and encourages me to try other art styles and test out new things. I think eventually you hit a point where finding new styles and developing new techniques slows down and to bring it back up to pace being in a group with other learning artists can definitely assist. That is why I want to learn, to further my skill progression and learn new intuitive techniques to make my art better and also share my 'small' knowledge with the other students.

Inspiration (can be people, or pictures, drawings etc. - can include more than one)

[Dribbble](#) is a huge platform for me, it gives me inspiration and just the artwork shared on the platform is such a high standard. I can use the search function to find anything and that quick search can instantaneously get my mind thinking and assist in generating ideas for my own creative pieces. Some of my favourite artists on Dribbble are; [Luking](#) Luking is a very creative user, his art style is so gorgeous and always captures my eye. His metro style definitely stands out in his 2D work and his creations with the moon and sun glowing are just absolutely insane. I'd love to be able to replicate a style like his.

Example Artwork

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[Stelian Vasile](#) Stelian also known as Lecart is a designer who is extremely talented in utilizing typefaces/fonts to create stunning images and specifically logos. I personally believe being able to utilise only text to create a logo takes a lot of skill and talent as it can be very difficult to just make text something original and something enough to represent a brand and/or company. His artwork is minimalistic but very intriguing and each logo takes advantage of special fonts and lettering to emphasise the companies products and meaning.

Example Artwork

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Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication?

I definitely do understand that time and dedication will be needed for me to get the most out of being a student for Riptide's art/designer program. As goes with anything you want to learn, dedication and persistence is key and I can reassure yourself and the other leaders of Riptide that I will provide that dedication, time, persistence and interest.

Eagle 95 - October 18, 2016, 10:27 am

Piece of art

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This is most recent, done today. If you want more, I can send you.

<https://s21.postimg.org/3koz576yv/Thread5.png>

Why do I want to learn? I need an escape from my computer science studies in my free time. I've played piano for 4-5 years but no longer play it since it's broken. Because of that, I turned into doing thread designs in photoshop. Later I hope to learn how to animate, make quality logos, banners, etc.

Inspiration (can be people, or pictures, drawings etc. - can include more than one)
A sunny day.

Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication?
Yes, I do.

InjectorGadget - October 18, 2016, 9:40 pm

Piece of art (Write PM if you sent it)
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Why do I want to learn?

- I want to have a way to express emotions through art. I used to skate back in the day but now all I find myself doing is school and video games. I'm going to school to be a network security specialist (Name of Program), and after spending hours staring at a computer screen it would be nice to come home and work on something personal.

Inspiration (can be people, or pictures, drawings etc. - can include more than one)
- Weather, for me weather plays a huge role in how I perceive the world on that day (i.e. rain = calm).

Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication?
- Yes! I have roughly three days a week that I can take up doing whatever I feel like doing. I am prepared to use those 72 hours however you seem fit.

Hastur - October 19, 2016, 11:12 am

Sent you a private message with the art.

Why do I want to learn?

I'm applying to this group because I want to further improve my knowledge when it comes to design development and also grow as a person.
I want to improve my skills further when it comes to illustration and sketching.

Inspiration:
Alan Watts has always been a huge inspiration for me.
Here is a quote from him: "Better to have a short life that is full of what you like doing than a long life spent in a miserable way."

Do you understand that this might need a good amount of dedication?

I do know I need to put some extra effort into dedication. This is exactly what I want to do for a living in the future, and this is the perfect opportunity for me to collect and share my knowledge.

scam. - October 19, 2016, 2:34 pm

Just a note
Recruitment has closed
I'm not sure if sej is still doing this

Sejskaler - October 19, 2016, 3:05 pm

(Oct 19, 2016 02:34 PM)mael Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Just a note

Recruitment has closed

I'm not sure if sej is still doing this

It hasn't, I was about to close this thread tonight.

I simply hadn't had many applications, but I believe I am able to pick some out now.

Who told you this was closed? - just PM me or write somewhere else, will close this thread to figure the issue.