## Texas Art Education Association Visual Art Scholastic Event

## STATE VASE PORTFOLIO REVIEW

Representatives from some of the greatest colleges and universities travel across the nation to review student portfolios at State VASE. Think of this opportunity as a

mini Portfolio Day. State Qualifying students may register for one of two portfolio review workshops at the state event. Students may also visit with college representatives from 12:30 – 2:00 pm during an open forum. A full list of participating colleges and universities and other workshop options will be posted at the beginning of April each year.

## PRESENTATION RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. Students should bring their best 8-12 pieces of artwork.
  - a. Focus on-
    - Series/Concentration
    - Sketchbooks
    - Thematic/Conceptual Original Artwork
  - b. Suggestion: Bring fewer required assignments such as still life and self-portraits.
- 2. If students have their artwork in digital format, they should bring their own laptop, flash drive, etc. Students should be prepared to show their artwork.
- 3. Cell phone artwork presentations are considered inappropriate.
- 4. Students need to organize their thoughts and be prepared to discuss their artwork.

## **TEACHERS:**

- Help prepare students for this experience.
- Colleges and universities prefer to see original and meaningful artwork.
- Encourage students to bring their best artwork to share.







