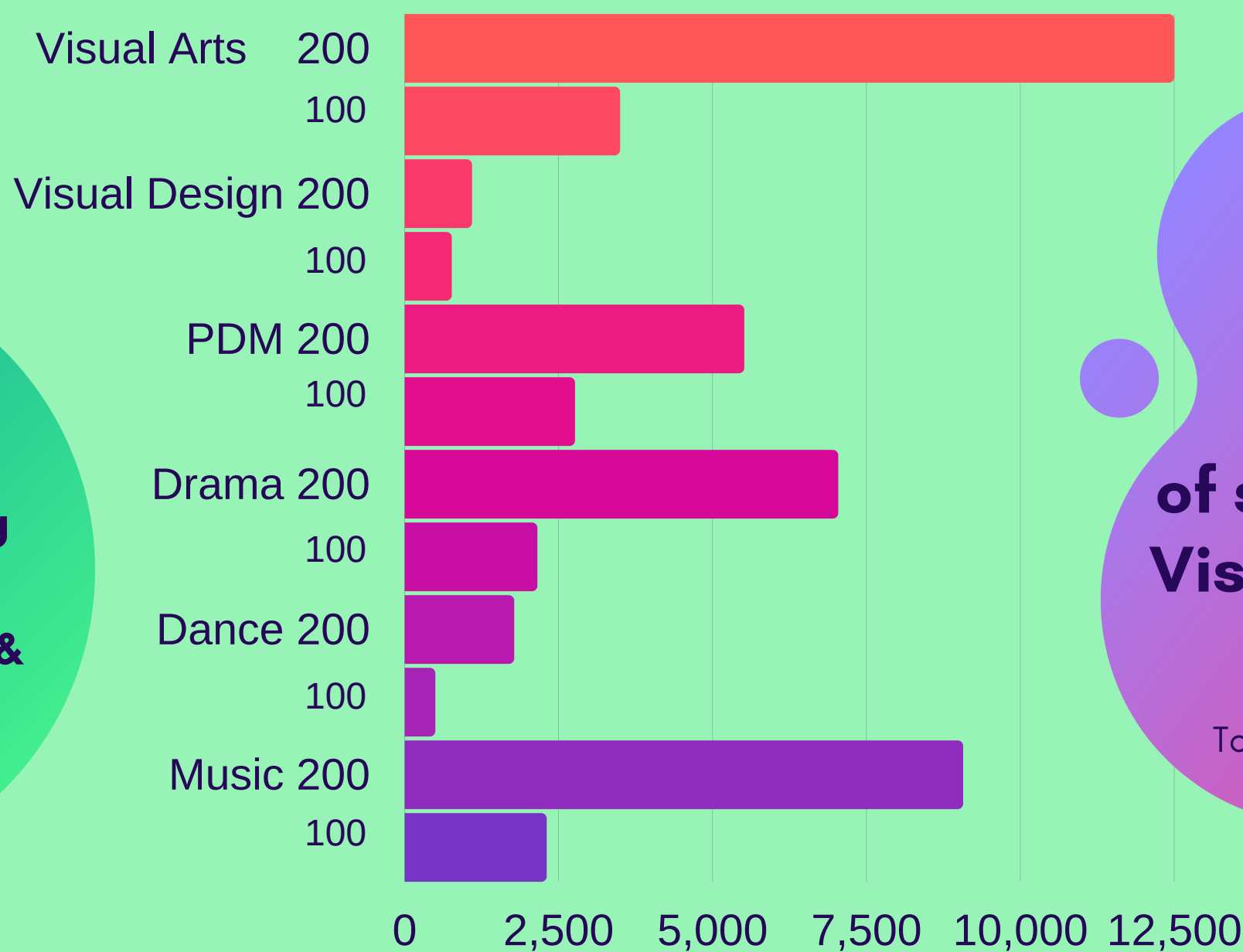


VISUAL ARTS STRENGTH IN NUMBERS

Stage 5 Creative and Performing Arts Courses 2019

27,014
Total students taking
Visual Arts, Visual
Design, Photography &
Digital Media



30%
of students study a
Visual Arts subject
in Stage 5

Total students in Stage 5 = 90,552

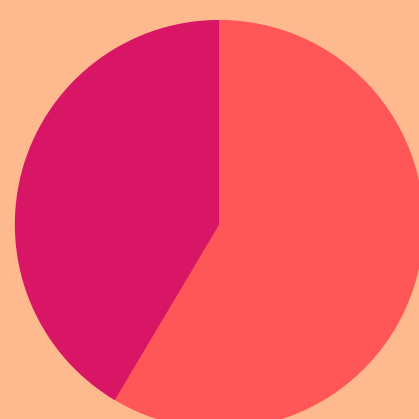
STAGE 5 VISUAL ARTS COURSE NUMBERS AT A GLANCE 2019

Visual Arts (100 & 200hrs) incl. Life Skills	16,806
PDM (100 & 200hrs) incl. Life Skills	8,341
Visual Design (100 & 200hrs) incl. Life Skills	1,867

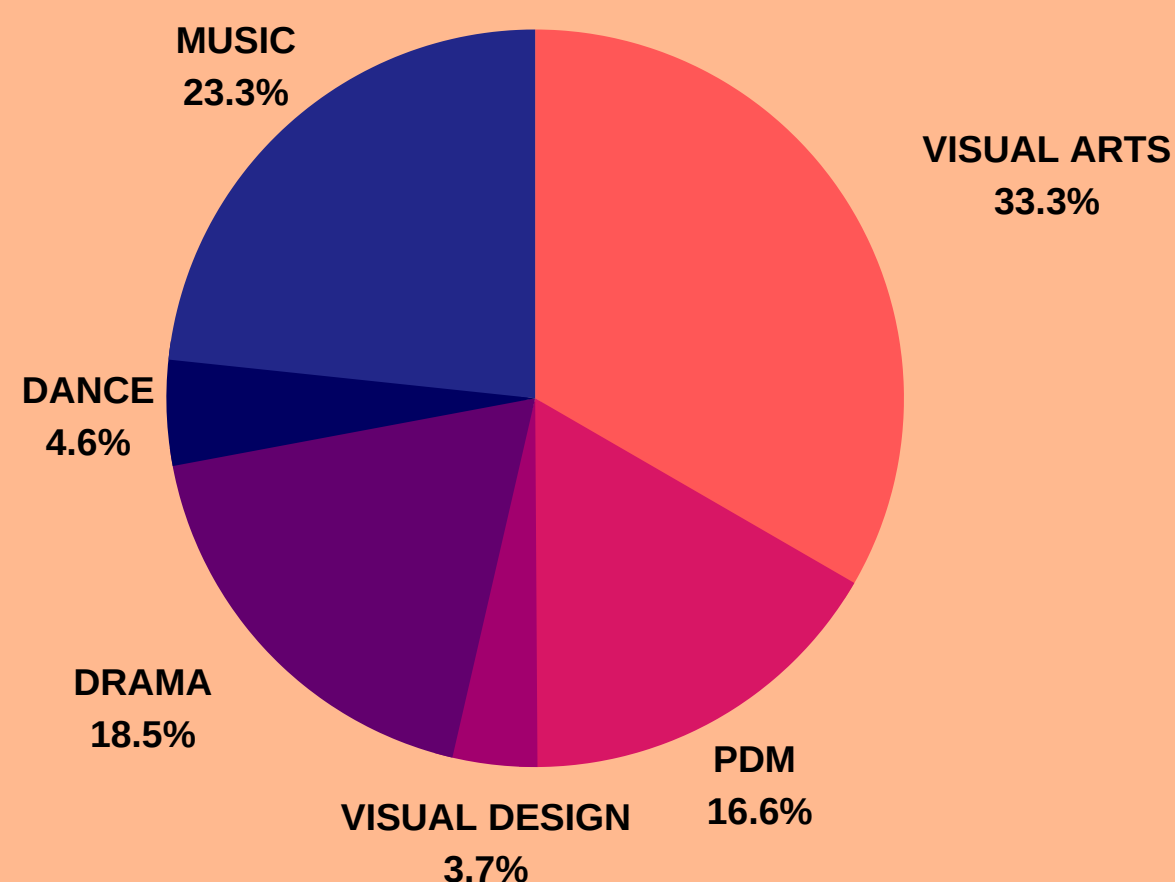
Did you know? Visual Arts subjects have the largest candidature amongst Stage 5 Creative and Performing Arts courses

Drama (100 & 200hrs) total incl. Life Skills	9,298
Dance (100 & 200hrs) total incl. Life Skills	2,327
Music (100 & 200hrs) total incl. Life Skills	11,755
Drama + Dance + Music	23,380

DRAMA + DANCE + MUSIC
41.5%

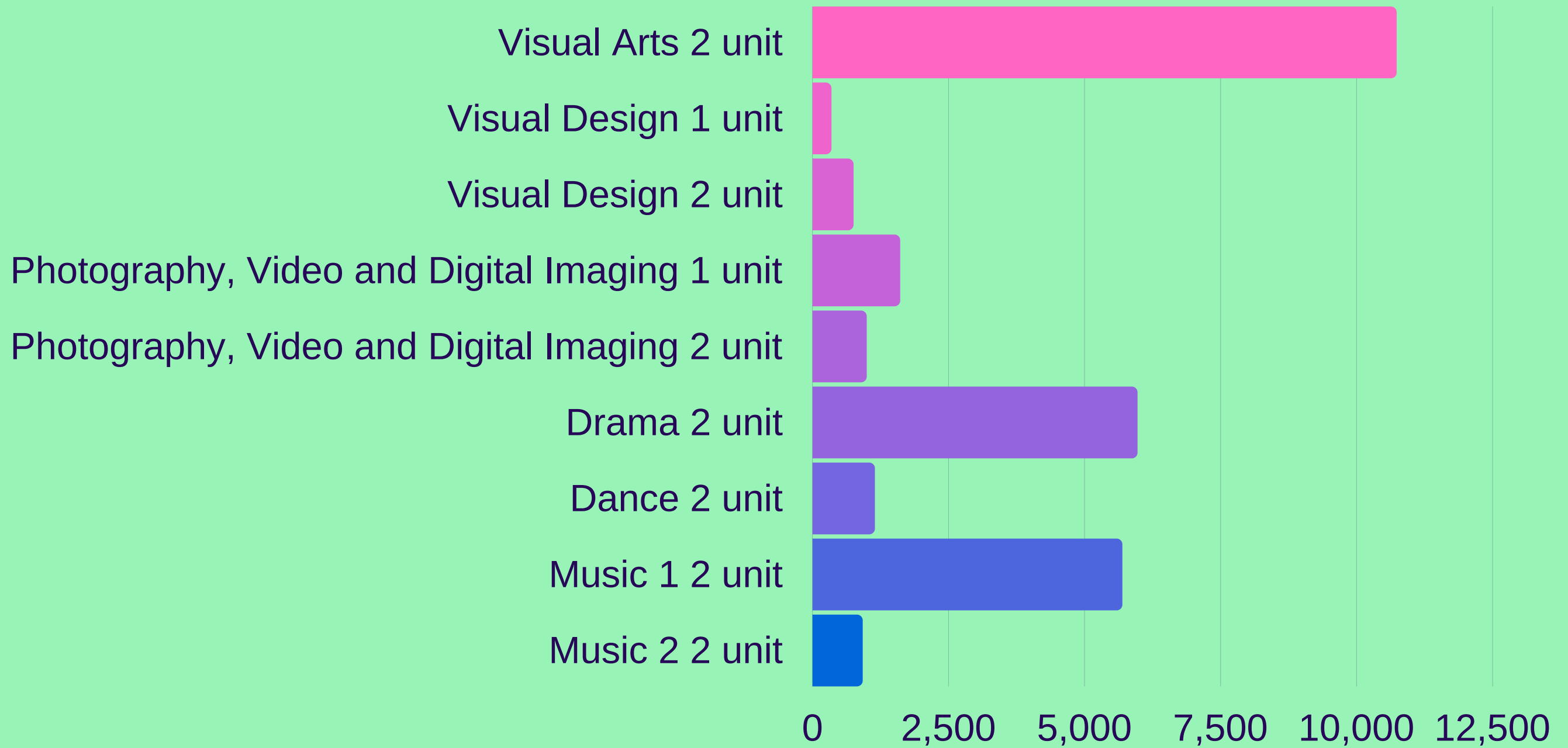


VISUAL ARTS
58.5%

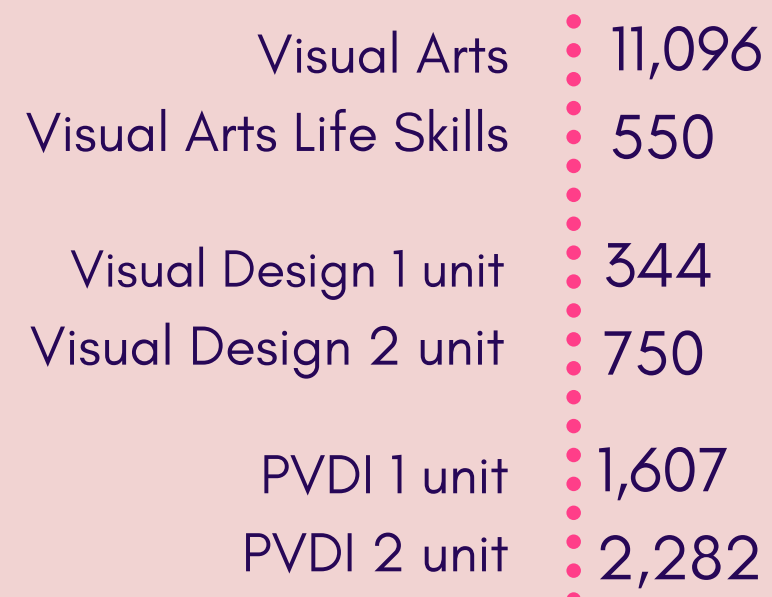


VISUAL ARTS STRENGTH IN NUMBERS

Preliminary Creative & Performing Arts Courses 2019

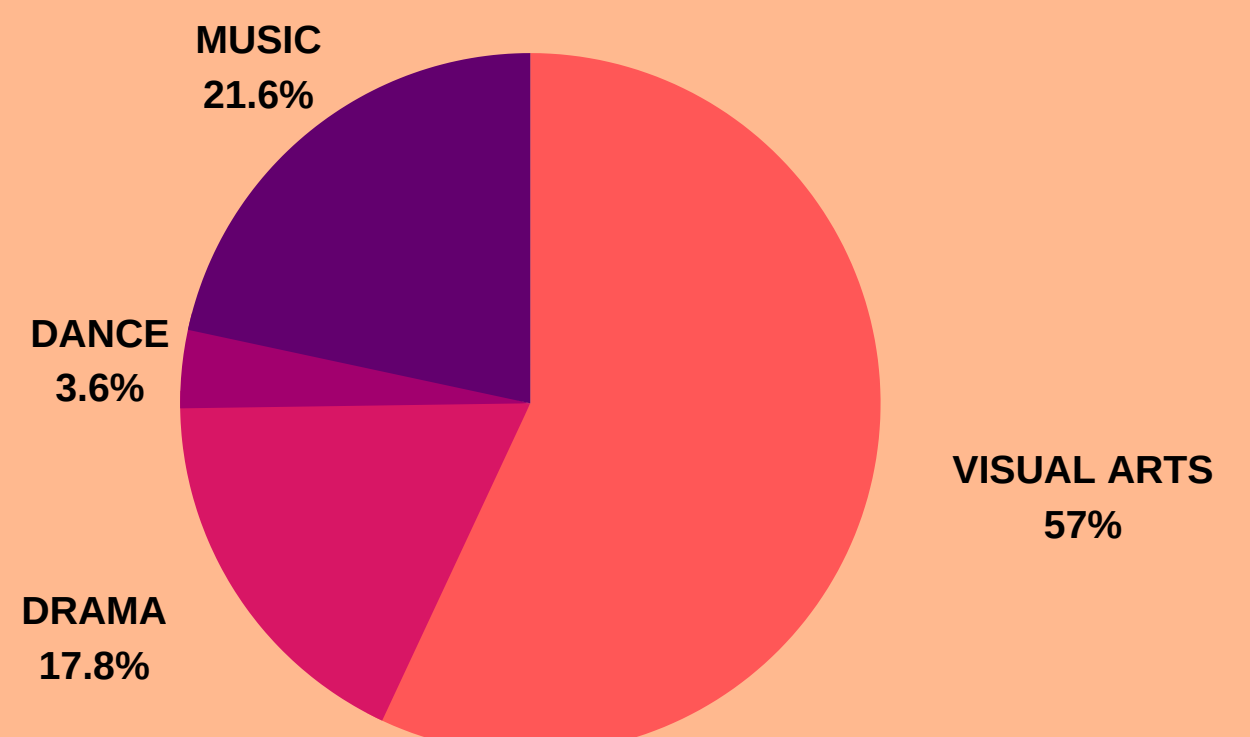
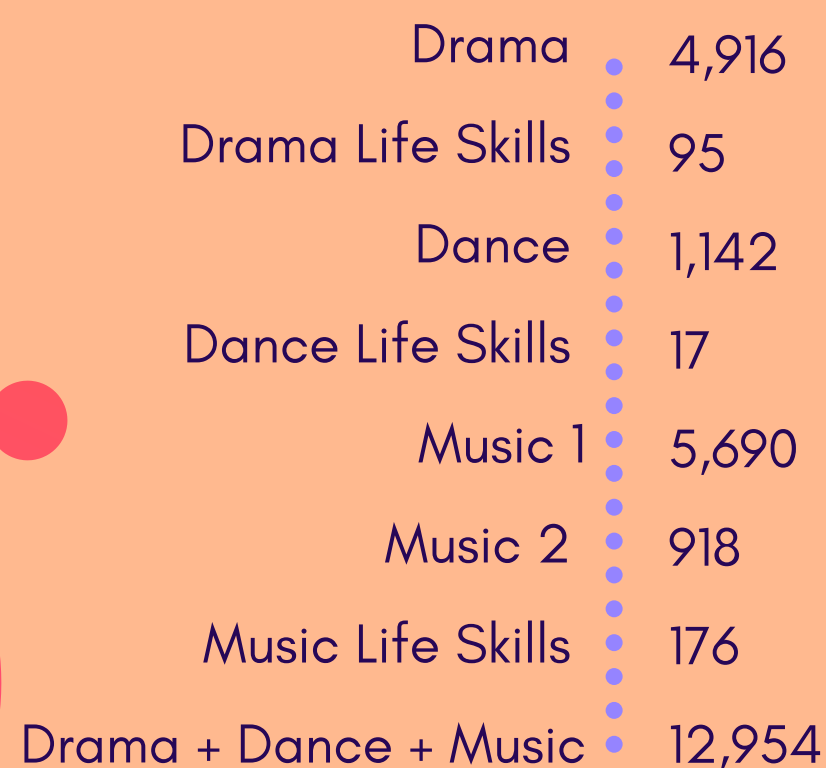


PRELIMINARY VISUAL ARTS COURSE NUMBERS AT A GLANCE 2019



Did you know? Visual Arts subjects have the largest candidature amongst Preliminary Creative and Performing Arts courses

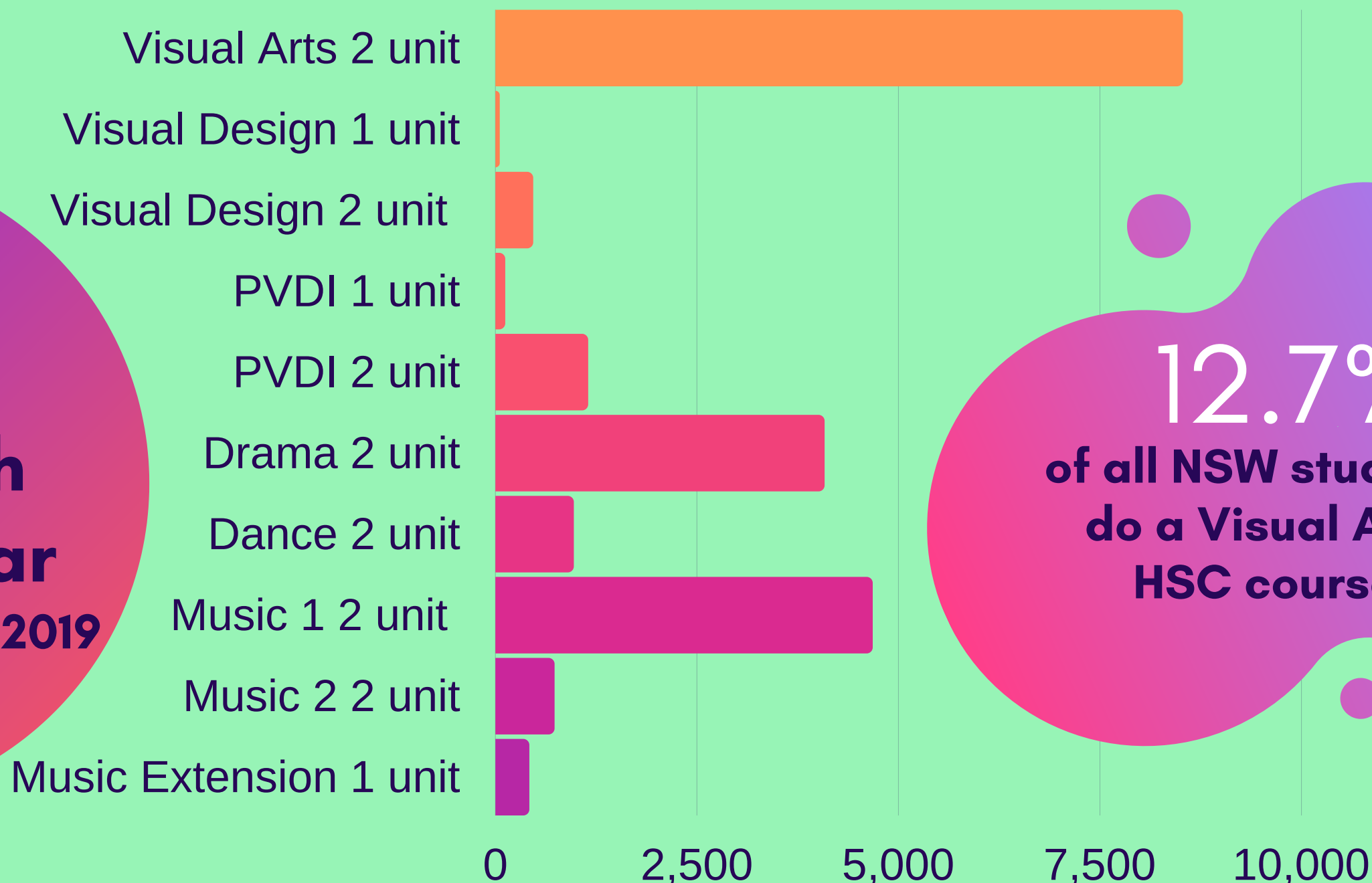
20%
students study a
**Visual Arts subject in
Year 11**
Total 16,629 students



VISUAL ARTS STRENGTH IN NUMBERS

HSC Creative & Performing Arts Courses 2019

**VISUAL
ARTS**
ranked 10th
most popular
subject in the HSC 2019

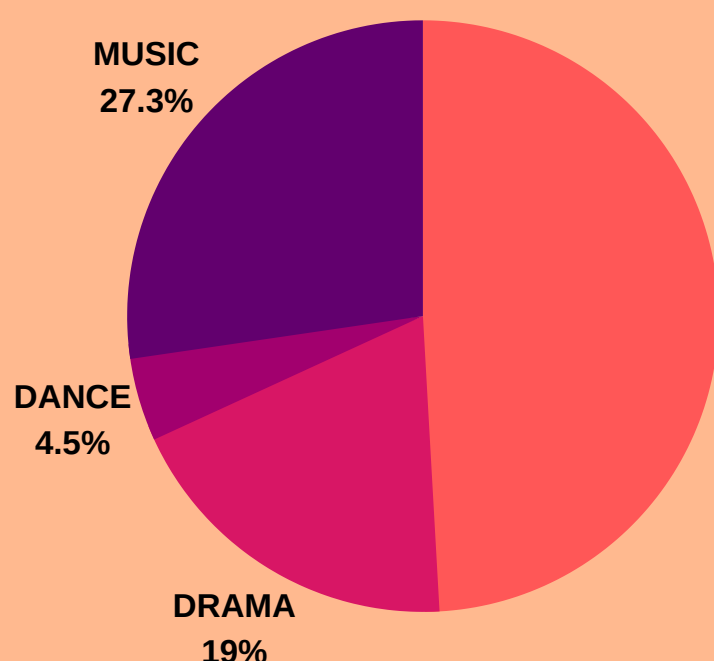


12.7%
of all NSW students
do a Visual Arts
HSC course

HSC VISUAL ARTS COURSE NUMBERS AT A GLANCE 2019

Visual Arts	8,526
Visual Arts Life Skills	425
Visual Design 1 & 2 unit	515
PVDI 1 & 2 unit	1,265

HSC CREATIVE AND PERFORMING ARTS SUBJECTS



Drama	4,080
Drama Life Skills	81
Dance	969
Dance Life Skills	23
Music 1	4,677
Music 2	730
Music Extension 1	417
Music Life Skills	145

WHAT THE NUMBERS SHOW US ABOUT VISUAL ARTS AND DESIGN EDUCATION

Visual Arts continues to represent the largest candidature amongst all the Creative and Performing Arts subjects, from Stage 5 to the HSC. The data shows just how integral Visual Arts and Design subjects are within the broader educational context. But numbers alone don't make a difference. Show school leaders, parents and the community in your sector the popularity of these courses and how Visual Arts adds value to a student's education. Use this data when communicating with NESA and government bodies to advocate for a stronger position for Visual Arts and Design within NSW education.