



Budgeting for your course

Bachelor of Design – Interior Design Major

Art Kit

This major requires you to purchase a starter Art Kit. This is available from Eckersley's for \$443.30 (see list and order form following). Alternatively you can choose to purchase these materials independently. Most of the Art Kit items will be useful to you both as a student and as a professional, so please take good care of them.

Further Equipment

During the course of your studies you will be required to carry out a lot of research and design many Interior Design projects. To do them properly, you will need to prepare and document them well and eventually you will be doing quite a few presentations. This means you will need to allow for further expenditure to complete your course. It is recommended that you budget for the following extra items:

- Presentation boards, normally foam boards, sizes varying from A2 to A1 size for the preparation and presentation of your research and design projects
- Foam boards, cardboards, plastic sheets and balsa wood sheets for architectural models of your design projects
- Printing electronic colour images ranging from A4 to A3 and A2 sizes
- Printing/plotting A2 size to A1 size colour images for your major projects
- Plotting/printing plans, sections and elevations for your design projects and 3D images

Costs vary but you can expect to spend approximately \$500 per year for these kinds of things.

Computer

It is not compulsory to have your own computer, as we have computers available in our laboratories as well as in the library. However you may find it easier to complete your work if you have regular access to one. An internet connection is also highly recommended. If unsure of your needs, you should wait until the course has begun before making a decision about what to purchase.

When purchasing software, you should take care to buy software versions compatible with those available at the college. Consult your lecturer and the software retailer. Most programs used by Raffles College are available at “educational” prices.

Raffles College strongly condemns software piracy.

USB Drive

Raffles College does not guarantee the safety of files left on its computers. You should keep your work on your own USB drive.

Miscellaneous

You will be required to take notes and will need note books or lecture pads. You will need to have “log books” for several subjects. “Log books” are used by students to develop ideas and plan projects. Well kept log books can enhance a student’s employment prospects. Your lecturer will tell you what you need. From time to time you will also need to purchase other materials or go on excursions. These may involve a nominal cost.

Text Books

While one copy of each prescribed textbook is kept in the Library, it is compulsory that all students make sure they have organised access to these books for the duration of their course, either by borrowing, purchasing or photocopying the relevant sections. This is your responsibility. It is therefore strongly recommended that you purchase required texts to avoid disappointment, as the library’s open reserve system is heavily in demand, and cannot always guarantee that you will be able to access books at the very time you require them.

It is highly recommended that you buy the “Metric Handbook, Planning and Design Data”, edited by David Littlefield, and published by the Architectural Press, London. It is not only very useful throughout the duration of your course; it will also be very useful for you when you begin practising as a professional Interior Designer. It is included in the Art Kit.

Interior Design Kit List 2009

Name		Phone
Class No		Today's Date
Code	Product	Price
0692810	BRUSH ROYMAC 1450kf FILBERT SIZE 4	\$ 3.24
0815100	MICADOR SPRAY ADHESIVE	\$ 7.19
3164400	ECKERSLEYS NYLON ROUND NO.2	\$ 2.70
3164700	ECKERSLEYS NYLON ROUND NO.6	\$ 3.79
3222010	JASART A3 VISUAL DIARY 60SHT 120pg	\$ 7.20
3222030	JASART A4 VISUAL DIARY 60SHT 120pg	\$ 3.56
1229400	STEEL RULER 30cm	\$ 3.20
1103613	CELCO SCISSORS 6" ALL PURPOSE	\$ 1.81
1838500	KENT ERASING SHIELD	\$ 2.36
1833400	ART GUM ERASSER SMALL	\$ 1.14
0212710	PVA GLUE 125ml	\$ 2.23
1243300	KENT WOODEN T SQUARE 105cm	\$ 37.35
1218100	ADJUSTABLE SET SQARE 20cm 1120 8T	\$ 28.97
1248500	LINEX TEMPLATE NO 1116s TO 50 CIRCLE	\$ 19.69
1242600	MEASURING TAPE 5m	\$ 8.25
1859800	STAEDTLER MECHANICAL PENCIL 0.5mm	\$ 7.65
1325600	CONTI COMPASS G01XU/A	\$ 22.94
1841100	MARS LUMO PENCILS SET 6	\$ 12.05
1600100	PANTONE BLENDER MARKER	\$ 8.65
1102800	SHEFFIELD CUTTER SMALL D804	\$ 0.78
1216500	CELCO FRENCH CURVE SET C56	\$ 7.65
1465035	TRIA WARM GREY 2 (OLD #9)	\$ 8.65
1465034	TRIA WARM GREY 1 (OLD #10)	\$ 8.65
1825100	STAEDTLER BARRELL SHARPENER	\$ 23.27
1815100	STAEDTLER WATERCOLOUR PENCIL SET 24	\$ 17.96
1228500	STAEDTLER SCALE RULE #961-80 2AS	\$ 12.60
2860020	JASART CARTRIDGE PAD A3	\$ 8.25
0224100	MASKING TAPE 18mm	\$ 1.76
1806000	CHINAGRAPH PENCILS BLACK	\$ 1.16
1807100	CELCO 2mm CLUTCH PENCIL	\$ 10.95
1835000	STAEDTLER ERASER 52650	\$ 3.14
1830100	KNEADABLE ERASER F/C	\$ 1.32
3347834	STAEDTLER 2mm LEADS PKT 12	\$ 15.34
	METRIC HANDBOOK	\$ 137.91
Total		\$ 443.30

Payment - Cash, EFTPOS or Credit Card (no cheques)

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Name on card		

Kit can be delivered for \$10 to Sydney metro area

Goods are also available for pick up at Eckersley's School Division (by arrangement)

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Prices valid to 30/03/09.