Vivienne du Toit – Founder, Director and Tutor



Vivienne du Toit is the Founder, Director and Head Art Tutor of START ART SCHOOL, established in 2017, with the sole focus on teaching art to primary school aged children. Born in Africa, Vivienne lived in Botswana, South Africa, Singapore and Sydney. She has a combined 40 years' experience, as a designer, artist and art teacher.

She worked in the textile design industry for 12 years prior to immigrating to Australia, where her focus shifted to, drawing, painting, exhibiting and culminate in teaching. Between 2002 – 2017, she has exhibited more that 50 times in group exhibitions in Sydney, Melbourne and Singapore. She received Frist Prize in the 2010 Contemporary Section of the 47th Lane Cove Art Award for a figurative work, and won the packing room prize in the 53rd Hunters Hill art show in 2007, as well as receiving a commendation for drawing in the 2006 Northbridge Art Prize.

For the past 25 years her passion has been art teaching, with her sole focus over the past 10 years teaching art to pre and primary school aged children.

Vivienne graduated with a Textile Design Degree (Hons) from Cape Peninsula University of Technology.