1c. Curriculum Overview: Art & Design



Year 10 Art & Design				
Term 1 – September to December	Term 2 – January to March	Term 3 – April to July		
Introduction to GCSE. Life and Death project.	Exploring experimental media. Developing Life and Death in a personal and individual way.	Year 10 Mock Exam. Extended project, using teacher led themes, linking to Life & Death. To be developed in an individual style.		
 What are the students learning? Revisiting basic skills and formal elements. Developing observational skills. How to create an analytical critical study. How to develop a personal and individual style. Use of different and more challenging media. Exploring a range of media in order to make personalised decisions. 	 What are the students learning? How to develop and extend their ideas by personal research. Acrylic paint experiments & mini canvas. Developing ideas into a print design. Producing creative backgrounds and surfaces to print on experimenting with different media. Coffee painting. How to develop a personal response. How to plan for a mock exam. 	 What are the students learning? How to plan and prepare for an exam. The process of ensuring the work in each assessment objective shows a developing journey. The understanding of how the assessment objectives link. Developing independence and decision making. How to refine and annotate work. 		
 What are the key standardised assessments? Observed drawing studies. Critical study: Day of the Dead. Aspire Assessment: Developed resolved piece. 	What are the key standardised assessments? • Mini Acrylic canvas. • A set of developed prints.	 What are the key standardised assessments? Mock Exam feedback. Personalised feedback, as each objective is completed. Final piece, realising the intentions of each linking objective. 		
 What is the standardised homework? • 2nd Critical Study. • Bug Drawings on coffee paper. 	 What is the standardised homework? Colour pencil drawings on black paper. Mock Exam plan/ideas. 	 What is the standardised homework? Photography / photo manipulation. Ideas 2 – developed ideas. 		
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AQA GCSE Art & Design spec	Personal mini project: Design Sheets Cultures / Architecture.	GCSE Externally set assignment issued by exam board. 40% of overall grade. Students will choose a theme to develop from the exam questions.	Prepare for Exam. Formal Exam, usually takes place 2 nd week after Easter.	
	 What are the students learning? Selecting and exploring a personalised theme. Developing observations and experiments in a creative and personal way. How to develop and extend their ideas through personal research. Exploring 3D/Textiles. 	 What are the students learning? The process of ensuring the work in each assessment objective shows a developing journey, towards a purposeful and creative outcome. AO1 DEVELOP AO2 REFINE AO3 RECORD AO4 PRESENT 	 What are the students learning? To present a personal and meaningful response to their chosen starting point, that realises their intentions. Ensuring all Assessment Objectives are completed and an understanding of how the creative journey (their work), links back to the Exam Question & their interpretation of that starting point. 	
	What are the key standardised assessments? • Experiments. • Final outcome.	 What are the key standardised assessments? In depth feedback at key deadline points, for each AO with time to develop and improve work. All coursework (60%) will be assessed by the class teacher & standardised in the department. 	What are the key standardised assessments? • Exam assessment (40%) and standardisation across all classes.	
	What is the standardised homework? • Observational drawing for design sheet. (To complete all coursework).	 What is the standardised homework? Critical study: Individual choice, linking to Exam Question/theme. Ideas 2 – developed ideas. 	What is the standardised homework? Individually set tasks. Ensuring all work is completed. ALL MARKS WILL BE SUBMITTED TO AQA EXAM BOARD BY MAY HALF TERM.	

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