

Art and Design Curriculum Guide

Year 10 GCSE

What will my son learn?		
Autumn term <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Develop observation skills in various drawing media.• Building knowledge and understanding of artist in context.• Present a contextual critique of chosen artist.• Gallery or Museum visit.	Spring Term <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developing ideas and creative responses to a project or theme.• Contextual studies.• Building skills in different 2D media.	Summer Term <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developing recording skills in various media.• Developing ideas and refining work through experimentation.

How will my son be assessed?
<p>AQA exam marking criteria:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AO1 developing ideas through investigations, demonstrating critical understanding of sources.• AO2 refine work by exploring ideas, selecting and experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes.• AO3 record ideas, observations and insights relevant to intentions as work progresses.• AO4 present a personal and meaningful response that realises intentions and demonstrates understanding of visual language.

How can I support my son with Art and Design?
<p>Encourage your son to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Practice observation drawing and photography.• Visit galleries and museums.• Read around the subject.

