

ART, CRAFT AND DESIGN AND TEXTILE DESIGN

COURSE TITLES: ART, CRAFT AND DESIGN & TEXTILE DESIGN

QUALIFICATION: AS/A LEVEL LEVEL: 3

AWARDING BODY: AQA

BRIEF OUTLINE OF THE COURSE

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A minimum of 5 separate subject GCSEs (or equivalent) at grade 9-4, to include Grade 4 in Art or Textiles.

CONTENT

The emphasis of study in these subjects is the development of understanding and skills using a range of materials, processes and techniques. Students need to demonstrate the ability to sustain work from an initial starting point to a realisation, including evidence of their ability to research and develop ideas and link their work in a meaningful way to relevant critical/contextual materials.

The development of a portfolio/Personal Investigation may include all or some of the following:-
Critical/contextual work, which could include written material such as journals, reviews, reflections and evaluations, annotations and historical background material. Evidence may be included from books, journals, photographs, digital presentations and the internet, as well as studies made during a gallery, field trip or museum visit. Where appropriate, sources should be identified and acknowledged. Sketchbooks, workbooks, journals, prep sheets and finished pieces all provide evidence of the development that the student has created.

Exploring ideas and developing techniques in an imaginative and unique way, to create a personal and individual response, are key to success in these subjects.

AS Level Component 1 - A portfolio of work (Non- exam assessment) (60% of AS)

AS Level Component 2 - An externally set assignment from February 1st (10 hours after a period of preparation) (40% of AS)

A-Level Component 1 - Personal investigation (Non-exam assessment) (60% of A-Level)

A-Level Component 2- An externally set assignment from February 1st Y13) (15 hours after a period of preparation) (40% of A-Level)

WHO DO I GO TO IF I NEED MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS COURSE?

Mrs H Sharpe, Mrs L Heyes and Mrs J Cartwright

WHERE COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD?

- Architecture
- Fine Art
- Graphic design
- Interior design
- Art therapy
- Animation
- Product design
- Film set design
- Theatre design
- Photography
- Fashion design
- Textile print design