	Year 12	Year 13
Autumn half term 1 Sequential knowledge and skills	AS – Course outline / structure  'Natural & Man-made'  Mind map, list of photographer's names, images.  Building on skills and introducing new techniques through Natural and manmade.  Photography trip to Tanfield Railway and Wynard Gardens. Camera skills / setting /composing an image /capturing the formal elements  Understanding the purpose of contact sheets – annotation subject language.  Editing skills getting started with Photoshop – basic editing / layering.  Still life studio setup – working with studio lighting. Research the work of Edward Weston in preparation for photo shoot	Personal investigation unit Outline of the year ahead  • Students continuing to work on their personal investigation.  Week 2: Crit - To peer assess work using AQA assessment objectives  Following group crit - act on feedback – developing observations linked with contextual ref – developing ideas towards interim set of work.
Assessment Content and methods used to judge learning	<ul> <li>Feedback sheets</li> <li>Teacher assessment is made on sketchbooks and includes both class work and homework based on assessment criteria.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Crit: Self/Peer assessment of work – using AQA assessment objectives.         Review to discuss strengths and areas to develop. Feedback sheets</li> <li>Teacher assessment is made on sketchbooks and includes both class work and homework based on assessment criteria.</li> </ul>
Autumn half term 2 Sequential knowledge and skills	<ul> <li>Crit – To peer assess work using AQA assessment objectives.</li> <li>To peer assess work using AQA assessment objectives.</li> <li>To develop an awareness of how AO1, AO2 and AO3 impact upon your work.</li> <li>Continuation of studio set up exploring and learning to control lighting –Ernst Haas, Amy Melious, etc</li> <li>SLR skills understanding of aperture</li> <li>Developing film/photograms</li> <li>Darkroom skills - Understanding enlarger, Printing contact sheet, printing photograph</li> <li>Completion of external photoshoots related to natural and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>More focussed line of enquiry</li> <li>Begin 3,000 word essay – peer examples, mind map journey, create essay plan. Broken into weekly chunks- introduction/justifications/ conclusion</li> <li>Completing more photo-shoots - focused line of enquiry</li> <li>Development of ideas and exploration of techniques leading towards refining of ideas – working towards final sets</li> <li>Initial ideas for final sets</li> <li>Further development -</li> <li>Complete photography bookwork and next 1000 words over Christmas.</li> </ul>

Assessment Content and methods used to judge learning	manmade - chosen direction.  Development of ideas and exploration of techniques leading towards refining of ideas  Editing and completion of Initial ideas for final sets ideas.  Feedback sheets - Self/Peer assessment of work – using AQA assessment objectives. Review to discuss strengths and areas to develop  Workshops based on new techniques and building on knowledge.	Outcome deadline final sets and essay deadline end of January.
Spring half term 3 Sequential knowledge and skills	Students exploring own personal theme of experimental, manmade, natural or age and decay.	Externally set assignment February 1 <sup>st</sup> – introduce exam unit  Students to choose one theme to develop  Mind map / contextual references / photoshoots
Assessment Content and methods used to judge learning	<ul> <li>Teacher assessment is made on sketchbooks and includes both class work and homework based on assessment criteria.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Teacher assessment is made on sketchbooks in a summative way which includes both class work and homework – personal investigation project marked in February.</li> </ul>
Spring half term 4 Sequential knowledge and skills	Continue with workshops. Independent work - exploring camera skills / darkroom techniques.  Students exploring own personal theme of experimental, manmade, natural or age and decay.  Workshops on different techniques.	<ul> <li>Photoshoots/ photographer research.</li> <li>Refining ideas.</li> <li>Crit: - Peer assess / acting on feedback</li> </ul>
Assessment Content and methods used to judge learning	<ul> <li>Crit - Self/Peer assessment of work – using AQA assessment objectives. Review to discuss strengths and areas to develop.</li> <li>Teacher assessment is made on sketchbooks in a summative way which includes both class work and homework – assessing completed 'Natural and man-made' project</li> </ul>	
Summer half term 5 Sequential knowledge and skills	Begin Personal investigation unit.	Final development of book A2 exams – 15 Hours – Deadline for photography book

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and methods used to judge learning	<ul> <li>Feedback sheets - Self/Peer assessment of work – using AQA assessment objectives. Review to discuss strengths and areas to develop.</li> </ul>	Personal assessment and exam units internally / externally moderated
	Personal investigation continued.	N/A
Summer half term 5 Sequential knowledge and skills	Trip to London – gallery visits to V & A, Tate Modern, Tate Britain and Chelsea Art College <b>or</b> Newcastle – The Baltic, Biscuit factory, The Laing etc	
	Trip reports x 2 double pages.	
	End of term Crit: - Peer assess / acting on feedback to act on over the summer	
Assessment Content and methods used to judge learning Assessment	Teacher assessment is made on new personal investigation project	