KS4 GCSE Art 2-year curriculum map

Off to your future

Exam component Final evaluations and findings presented for both Components

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Exam component

Exam component 10 hour exam

undertaken

Exams:

Component

Topic overview

Component 2 exam undertaken and evaluated in sketchbooks once complete. Final developments of portfolio and sketchbooks to further strengthen project ideas.

Topic overview

Developed ideas are refined into a final piece design.

Students will have time to prepare materials ready for their 10 hour exam.

Summer 1:

Exam preparation. Refining ideas.

Year 11:

Implementation of skills. Coursework project. Final exam Autumn 1:

Final design stages of Component 1.

Autumn 2: Final piece to be completed, evaluation conducted.

Spring 1: Exam titles released. Research and initial ideas presented.

Spring 2: Exam development. Artist research and ideas development.

Topic overview

Ideas should now have been developed ready to be Component 2 begins. Exam starting titles will be refined and tested.

Final piece designed with tests informing final decisions.

Final piece to be completed and evaluated.

Topic overview

chosen from and initial ideas and research presented in sketchbooks.

Drawings, material explorations and research inform series of developed ideas.

Component 1 continued. Series of developed ideas, further artist research, model making.

Summer 2:

Summer 1: Component 1 continued. Artist research, ideas generation and development.

Spring 2: Start of Component 1. Choose from Titles, create and present initial

Spring 1: Architecture -Explore development ideas and final outcomes.

Autumn 2: Architecture -Artist research. Painting, Printing, Textile, Clay.

Autumn 1: Architecture Project - Ideas, Drawing (tonal, pointillism, collage), Artists

Year 10:

Skills development. Practice project. **Start of Component**

Topic overview

Development of Component 1 continues.

Artist research will inform project direction and all ideas will presented artistically within their sketchbooks.

Topic overview

Introduction to the course Components. Practice project will simulate the research and ideas development they will need to undertake during their Component 1. Outcome in clay to further develop their material knowledge. Begin major coursework project Component 1.

Topic overview

Learn and recap basic two-dimensional art skills such as observational drawings and use of paint. Introduction to new materials, wire and fabric. Focus on use of sketchbooks and importance of annotating findings.

