

KEY STAGE 4

# ART & DESIGN

**Teacher in Charge**

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**What course do I follow?**

**GCSE ART & DESIGN (FINE ART): AQA 8202**

**What will I study?**

- 1) The work of other Artists, Designers and Craftspeople, studying their approach, style and use of materials applying this knowledge to your own work.
- 2) The development of ideas through the investigation and exploration of the formal elements of Art and Design i.e. line, tone, colour, texture, form etc.
- 3) Recording from direct observation (drawing and taking photographs) and personal experience in forms that are appropriate to your intentions.
- 4) The selection and control of materials.
- 5) Present personal responses demonstrating understanding, realising your intentions and making connections between all elements.

**Details of Examination**

The examination consists of a Portfolio of work (Unit 1 – 60%) and an Externally Set Task (Unit 2 – 40%) of 10 hours of sustained focused study where you can respond to your chosen starting point.

**Details of Portfolio**

You submit a portfolio comprising a sustained project and a selection of further work which represents your course of study. You should produce practical and critical / contextual work that should include painting and drawing, mixed media, sculpture, printmaking and new media technologies.

**Additional Information**

Visits to museums, art galleries and workshops are part of the Art course. A camera and basic art materials are needed to support the course.