



Art & Design

OCR

Subject Leader:

Mr D Moore

Introduction to the course

Unleash your creativity through our A Level Art & Design Course which is designed to equip you with the knowledge and skills needed to progress in your chosen creative field. This is a subject for students who take real pleasure in the visual world and enables you to develop an understanding of all things visual.

You'll enjoy a fascinating combination of practical workshops, demonstrations, studio practice and external visits alongside your theoretical studies. At the end of your course, you will have an impressive portfolio of work to show to potential employers or university admissions tutors.

If you like thinking outside the box, our Art & Design course offers excellent opportunities to unleash your creative potential.

Course structure and content

The A level qualification is a full-time course achieved over a two year period during which you will study individual units of work which will allow for development of technical and practical skills.

A Coursework Personal Evaluation forms 60% of the course and the remaining 40% is made up from a practical, externally set examination where the theme is set by OCR, the examining body.

Entry requirements

Automatic entry: Grade 6 in GCSE Art if taken or submission of a satisfactory portfolio of work, Grade 5 in English.

Students not achieving these entrance requirements may on occasion be admitted by interview, based on academic performance, approach to learning and course suitability.



Students will need to provide

You will need a good range of art materials to enable you to complete work at home. You will be given advice about this at the start of the course when you can purchase an A Level Art kit from the school.

Progression routes

An art course can pave the way for a wide range of stimulating careers. You could find yourself inventing the must-have products of the future, creating fabulous homes as an interior designer, setting new trends in fashion, showcasing your art in top galleries or creating blockbuster computer games. Whatever dream you pursue, you'll be joining a pulsating, up-to-the-minute industry where talent is fostered and rewarded. This is an arena right at the cutting edge of new technologies: constantly evolving and always inspirational.

Further information

Your course teachers are Mr Moore and Mr Whiteside who can be contacted on the number below.

Further course details are available at www.ocr.org.uk.

How to apply

You can download an application form by visiting the Sixth Form area of the school website at:

www.waseleyhills.worcs.sch.uk

Otherwise, contact us direct on 0121 457 4767.

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