



Curriculum: Art, Craft and Design

Year 7 Curriculum

Term 1	Term 2	Term 2	
Baseline Assessment	'Structures' & paper	'D.E.A.R.' bookmark using	
Drawing and Formal	manipulation & perspective	stitch	
Elements:	'Holidays and Postcards'	Experimental drawing	
Drawing Stages	using watercolours	*These may be done in	
Line quality	'Crazy	reverse order to	
Tonal Scale	Creatures/Characters' using plasticine	accommodate GCSE Art exams & exhibitions	
Tone and pencils			
Colour Theory			
Perspective *If time permits			

Year 8 Curriculum

Term	1	Term 2			Term 3
Mark-making	Product	Typography	(Opp	osites'	The making
Pattern-making	design and	and stitch	Narra	tive and	process
Zentangle	thinking skills	Personal	comp	osition	Skill & precision
Polyprint	Promotional	embroidery	Paint	ing	with paper and
	poster				sellotape
					Decoupage

Year 9 Curriculum

Term1	Term 2	Term 3		
'Manchester' research	'Manchester' response	Insects and the		
Manchester based	Compositional ideas	'Manchester Bee'		
artists/colour palettes	Final response/mixed media	The meaning of the		
Iconic architecture in		'Manchester Bee' and the		
Manchester/composition		importance of pollinators and		
and architectural details		insects to our environment		
Music from		and global survival		
Manchester/symbols and				
lyrics				

Summary of Year 10

Term 1

Project 1 AO1:

Introduction, title page, mind map, imaginative drawings, research and written analysis, collected images and or photographs

Project 1 AO2:

Experiments with different media e.g. Photoshop, felt, painting, stitch, wire etc.

Experimental drawings appropriate to the project but may include drawing chains, abstractions & enlargements and combination drawings

Term 2

Project 1 AO3:

Focused mind map, focused collected imagery, focused imaginative drawings, focused research and written analysis, specific experiments with chosen media, sequential drawings, compositional ideas & final plans

Project 1 AO4:

Final response

Term 3

Experimental project:

This is different each year and planned accordingly at the time

Summary of Year 11

Term 1: Mock Exam AO1, 2, 3 and 4 (set tasks very similar to those in Year 10)

Term 2: GCSE Externally Set Assignment from AQA (set tasks similar to those in Year 10 and during mock exam)

Term 3: ESA completed, portfolio of work selected and presented in GCSE exhibition