

# Y11 Art, Craft and Design GCSE

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**Curriculum Overview: Unit 1 - Portfolio of coursework = 60% = 2 projects**

**Unit 2: External Assignment = 40% = (Year 11 January – May 10 hr Exam)**

Pupils will study the role of an artist, designer and craftsperson and learn how to work to Art, Craft and Design Briefs; drawing and painting; designing using a variety of media, materials and techniques, use ICT and literacy to develop and communicate ideas, problem solve how to make their textiles or sculpture ideas, learn to print as well as how to research and connect with artists, designers, craftspeople..

**Term 1 - Unit 1 = Natural Forms**

**Summer Project** – Refine and annotate work to explain your intentions.

**Mixed media Illustration** - inspired by artists, designers, craftspeople or cultures

**Term 2 - Read the Exam paper / Time line carefully.**

Choose one exam question.

Thought shower.

Secondary mood board

Research artists, designers, craftspeople and cultures

**SUMMER  
GCSE EXHIBITION**

**Project 1 – Mechanical Forms** - Evaluate how your MOSI, Mechanical sculpture / outcome is and how it connects and compares with the work of others.

Primary source mood boards / photographs.  
Observational drawings in mixed media, materials and techniques.

Design 4 or more mixed media imaginative ideas inspired by your Natural Forms and your artist, designer, craftspeople and cultural research.

Present, refine and annotate your final design idea.

Develop 4 designs related to the theme/ question.  
Annotate clearly to explain your ideas.  
Present and annotate your Final/ design idea related to the theme and the work of others.

**All preparation work must be handed in before the exam!**

Explore and experiment - use a variety of media, materials, techniques and processes.

Develop your final / best outcome.  
Evaluate your work

- External 10 hr Exam
- Create your Final outcome/s. Evaluate how it success how well it connects and compares to the work of others.

**Assessment:** There are interim reports termly. Work will be teacher, pupil and peer assessed as it develops. Teacher feedback will be given verbally and in the form of a temperature check, which will highlight strengths and targets for improvement. Pupil work will be assessed on completion using the four GCSE assessment criteria and they will need to act on all feedback and targets as well as explain what they have done to improve their work. Work is internally assessed and moderated and externally moderated by AQA.

**Homework:** Is set weekly and is designed to challenge and help pupils prepare for lessons, mock exams, project deadlines, and external exams.

**Other Useful Information:**

GCSE Art, Craft & Design Club & Catch up club - Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 3.00 – 4.15pm Room 34 & 35.  
GCSE Assessment criteria sheets are displayed in folders along with the Knowledge Organiser.