

Photography	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1			
	Students will rotate across Creative Studies. Each project will last 9-10 weeks (2 hours a week).							
	Rotation 1 ART							
	Y7 Art – Portraiture							
Year 7	This is an introduction to portraiture. Students will learn the key ideas around proportion and placement. They will explore colour theory, focussing on mood and basic colour theory. Students will explore line and mark-making through monoprint. Students will experiment with a range of techniques to develop visual texture and colour mixing. They will apply their learnt knowledge in a playful manner. They will learn about portraiture across time periods in their art history sessions and will focus on Jenny Saville. They will read around the artist, analyse a piece with key words and respond visually building upon the skills they have learnt.							
	Y7 Art - Architecture Students will explore a range of ways artists have been inspired by the built environment. This will include the school building, images of buildings from Norwich and buildings that have special interest to them. Through discussions and art history students will explore the function of architecture and how buildings are designed for purpose. Students will use a variety of media to record buildings through drawing, painting and model making. Pupils will then create their own designs for a collaborative cityscape. ROTATION 2 ART, TEXTILES & GRAPHICS Y7 Art Textiles- Worry Monsters							



Students will experience and understand the therapeutic properties of creative making. Through the exploration of wellbeing, Guatemalan worry dolls and the design process students will design and make a personalised worry monster for an identified client.

Students will explore a range of textile artists and sculptors in order to inform their creative decisions. Students will build on and learn new hand stitches, applique and fabric manipulation techniques. They will learn how to construct their soft sculpture by designing, making templates, safely pinning, cutting and stitching in order to create their own individual outcome. Students will explore Graphic design through the creation a poster to advertise their product.

Students will rotate across Creative Studies. Each project will last 9-10 weeks (2 hours a week).

Y8 Art – Sculpture, Pattern & Print

This unit is planned to develop the observation skills of students through drawing, mixed media and then refined through sculpture, textiles and fashion.

Students will have the opportunity to develop their carving and modelling skills, exploring the qualities of the materials they are using.

Students will explore pattern through gelli plate printing. Students will work digitally to generate a series of repeat patterns, simulating industry working practices. Work will be developed into a sculpture and in a fashion context. They will learn how work can be refined to create artwork they are proud of.

Students will develop their understanding of pattern and sculpture through their study of Art History in the context of their work. They will continue to develop their use of specialist vocabulary and use this in their writing and speaking.

Y8 - Digital Art & Photography Superheroes & Villains

Students will be introduced to the basic functions of a DSLR camera. They will take a series of photoshoots developing their confidence with controlling the camera and using simple composition techniques.

Year 8



We will explore the impact of posture and angles when documenting a person. Students will be introduced to photoshop techniques and exploring digital manipulation as well as physical manipulation. Students will explore typography and develop skills using 2-point perspective.
Students will rotate across Creative Studies. Each project will last half a term (2 hours a week).
Y9 - Portraiture
This builds upon the previous portraiture unit in Y7 and the development of skills learnt in Y8 around mark-making and tone. Students will examine the topic as a concept that they have space to dictate the outcomes. They will explore the idea of a digital and authentic self and what this means in the world of contemporary portraiture. They will develop a range of skills and will have time to refine their drawing and compositional ideas. They will continue to develop their understanding of symbolism in Art History and will analyse the work of Ed Fairburn in greater depth. Composition is a key feature in this unit.
Y9 Textiles – Activist Fashion
Students will explore the causes and effects of climate change. They will find positive solutions to 'fast fashion' through the individualised customisation of clothing. Students will experiment with a range of textile techniques; hand and machine stitch, applique, fabric manipulation, weave and fashion design. They will design and customise a piece of clothing to create activist fashion in order to promote positive change.



	They will develop their understanding of fashion and textiles through their study of Art History in the context of their work. They will continue to develop their use of specialist vocabulary and use this in their writing and speaking.				
	Y9 Photography - Dystopian Narrative				
	Students will explore the theme of Dystopian Narrative through a range of photoshoots. Students will be required to consider the narrative of their images and how this may be communicated with an audience. Students will be required to complete a series of editing tasks using photoshop, building on their previous learning in year 8. Students will also be required to complete a series of physical editing techniques exploring narrative. The project will culminate in a design brief where students will choose to complete a film poster, book cover or game coverage.				
Year 10	Component 1 Project 1 Students will be exploring the theme of 'Album Covers'. Students will be introduced to and explore the rules in photography. They will explore compositions, camera angles and mood in their work. Students will be introduced to relevant artists and photographers throughout the course to inspire their own creative responses. Students will refine their skills by applying their knowledge to a brief. Students will develop their independent creative thinking through digital and physical manipulation. Skills: Develop observational, presentation, research and writing skills. Critical thinking	Component 1 Project 2 Students will start their personal project; researching different Photographers and responding to the work to explore personal themes in a variety of ways. Students will refine their photography skills through designing and creating a variety of photoshoots. Students will personalise their projects through creative physical and digital editing.			



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	and using key words. Students will explore a		
	broader range of materials and techniques		
	that relate to their personal project.		
	Component 1	Component 2	
	Project 2	Externally Set Assignment	
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	Students are currently working on their major	One of the assignments is to be selected by the	
	project that contributes 60% to their GCSE	student and used as a starting point from	
	grade. The deadline for this unit is December	which to elicit a personal, creative response.	
Year 11	19 th 2024 Students will create their final	Responses are developed during the	
	outcome in a 10 hour timed assessment w/b	preparatory study period. They should take the	
	11th December. All students are all working	form of practical, critical and contextual	
	on independent projects responding to their	preparatory work/supporting studies which	
	personal theme.	inform the resolution of the student's ideas in	
		the 10 hours sustained focus study. Exam dates	
		31st March 2025.	

