Key Stage 3 Curriculum Plan: Art Textiles 2023

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Year 7	Day of the Dead Project
	Health and Safety - Hand Stitching - Using dyes and inks
Carousel	Investigation of Artists - Dolan Geiman
	Design and Development - Sugar skulls
	Technique investigation - Applique, Block Printing, Tie Dye, Hand stitching
	Decorative Skull Piece - Cutting out, Applique, 2 techniques minimum
	Fibres and Fabrics - Natural (wool, cotton) and synthetic (polyester, acrylic), woven textiles (plain weave – calico, twill weave – denim)
	Assessment:
	Assessment of sketchbook portfolio
	Practical assessment of final piece
Year 8	Portraits Project
	Health and Safety revisited - Pinning and tacking - Straight stitch sewing
Carousel	Investigation of Artists - Victoria Villisana - Isabella Gonzalez
	Design and Development - Self-portrait, mark making
	Technique investigation - Mark making, Mono Printing, Embellishment, Hand embroidery
	Practical Production Skill led - Pinning, Tacking, Cutting out, Printing techniques, Pattern Cutting, Construction techniques
	Smart Materials - Agrotextiles, Sports textiles, Protective textiles
	Assessment:
	Assessment of sketchbook portfolio
	Practical assessment of final piece



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 9	Health and Safety Revisited Under the Microscope (portfolio preparation) Brief, Analysis, Artist investigation Technique focus: Embellisher, Tyvek, Heat Manipulation Artists: Laura Katherine McMilla Klari Reiss Julie Dodd Makiko Wakisaka	Technique focus Transfer printing, embellisher Under the Microscope continued Development, Investigation, Review and refine Further development, Design, Final piece	Technique focus Brusho, Angelina, manipulated fabric (water) Under the Microscope continued Further development, Design, Final piece	Natural Forms Project Brief, Analysis, Artist investigation, Development, Investigation, Review and refine Technique focus mono printing, polyprint, couching by hand, couching by machine. Artists: Caroline Dangerfield Yellena James Cas Holmes	Natural Forms Project Review and refine Technique focus: Free machining, sun printing.	Natural Forms Project continued Further development, Design, Final piece
	Assessment: Ongoing formative assessment	Assessment: Ongoing formative assessment	Assessment: Assessment of sketchbook portfolio for Under the Microscope project Practical assessment of final piece	Assessment: Ongoing formative assessment	Assessment: Ongoing formative assessment	Assessment: Assessment of sketchbook portfolio for Natural Forms project Practical assessment of final piece

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Year 10	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Health and Safety	Structures (Portfolio	Structures continued	Free Choice (Exam	Portfolio (60% of GCSE)	Portfolio (60% of GCSE)
	Revisited	practice)	Further development,	Project practice)	Brief, Analysis, Artist	Development,
	Techniques recap /	Brief, Analysis, Artist	Design, Final piece	Artist investigation,	investigation,	Investigation, Review
	Construction	investigation,	Introduce Free choice	Development,	Development,	and refine
	Techniques	Development,	Project (Exam Project	Investigation, Review	Investigation, Review	
	Seams, hems, gathering,	Investigation, Review	practice) Project	and refine, Further	and refine	
	pleating, sewing across	and refine	themes:	development, Design,		
	the bias, free machining,		 Wearable Art 	Final piece	Artists:	
	embroidery, heat	Artists:	 Human Figure 	Introduce Portfolio	Students own choice	
	manipulation, shibori,	Le Kadre	 Elements 	Project		
	pin tucks, slashwork	Debbie Smyth	 Outline Analysis 	Themes:		
	Introduce Structures	Cassandra Harrison		Identity		
	Project.			 Out of Place 		
	Gallery and onsite visit.			 Aged – Natural Forms 		
				View Points		
				Close Observation		
	Assessment:	Assessment:	Assessment:	Assessment:	Assessment:	Assessment:
	Ongoing formative	Ongoing formative	Assessment of	Assessment of	Ongoing NEA	Ongoing NEA
	assessment	assessment	sketchbook and final	sketchbook and final	assessment	assessment
			piece for Structures	piece for Free Choice		
			Project	Project		
Year 11	Portfolio (60% of GCSE)	Portfolio (60% of GCSE)	Externally Set	Externally Set	Externally Set	
	Development	Further development	Assignment (40% of	Assignment (40% of	Assignment (40% of	
	Investigation Review	Design Final piece	GCSE) Exam board	GCSE) Development,	GCSE) Further	
	and refine					

		release themes in January Brief, Analysis, Artist investigation, Development	Investigation, Review and refine	development Design Final piece	
Assessment: Ongoing NEA assessment	Assessment: Practical Exam to complete final piece for Portfolio Project - 5 hours	Assessment: Ongoing ESA assessment	Assessment: Ongoing ESA assessment	Assessment: Practical Exam to complete final piece for Externally Set Assignment - 10 hours	

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Year 12	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Foundation Project Introduction the course structure as similar to GCSE but that this first term is about exploring and improving skills. Construction Techniques covered: Pin Tucks, Slash work, creating structures, honey comb smocking, shearing, crashing, Suffolk puffs, reverse applique, American smocking, godets Collaborative work Construction and the realisation of techniques into a product Gallery Visit	Foundation Project Collaborative work Continued: Construction and the realisation of techniques into a product Decorative Techniques covered: Eco Printing, marbling on fabric, shibori, heat transfer, jagged ruffling, Plastic fusion, rust dying and ice dying Decorative development: Use techniques to develop and experiment from an image	Unit 1 Personal Investigation A major in-depth critical, practical and theoretical investigative project/portfolio and outcome/s based on themes and subject matter that have personal significance Brief, Analysis, Artist investigation, Development, Investigation, Review and refine	Unit 1 Personal Investigation Development Investigation Review and refine	Unit 1 Personal Investigation Further development Designing Reflection and refinement Unit 1 An extended written element of at least 1000 words minimum, which may contain images and texts and must clearly relate to practical and theoretical work using an appropriate working vocabulary and specialist terminology	Unit 1 Investigation, Research, rough drafting and initial essay written.
	Assessment: Formative assessment on foundation project	Assessment: Foundation Project assessment	Assessment: Ongoing Personal Investigation project assessment	Assessment: Ongoing Personal Investigation project assessment	Assessment: Ongoing Personal Investigation project assessment	Assessment: Ongoing Personal Investigation written element assessment

Year 13	Unit 1 Personal Investigation cont. Further development Investigation Review and refine	Unit 1 Personal Investigation cont. Further development Investigation Review and refine Planning for final piece Designing final ideas Testing and trialling designs Pattern cutting	Unit 1 Personal Investigation cont. Final piece Practical Exam Unit 2 Externally Set Assignment (ESA) Brief, Analysis, Artist investigation, Development, Investigation, Review and refine	Unit 2 Externally Set Assignment (ESA) cont. Further development Investigation Review and refine Planning for final piece Designing final ideas Testing and trialling designs Pattern cutting	Unit 1 Externally Set Assignment cont. Final piece Practical Exam	
	Assessment: Ongoing Personal Investigation project assessment	Assessment: Ongoing Personal Investigation project assessment	Assessment: Practical Exam to complete final piece for Personal Investigation Project - 10 hours Portfolio Project Assessment	Assessment: Ongoing ESA project assessment	Assessment: Practical Exam to complete final piece for Externally Set Assignment - 15 hours	