

Key Stage 3 Curriculum Map – Art & Design and Graphics

In Years 7 & 8 students will explore a variety of practical projects developing skills across a variety of specialisms: drawing, painting, print-making, three-dimensional crafts, textiles and graphic design.

Students may then “opt” to study Art & Design and Graphics in Year 9 and will undertake a varied carousel curriculum in preparation for their chosen GCSE Pathway at KS4.

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3 – End of Year Assessment Module
Year 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Observational Drawing Studies • Mixed Media Collage/Matisse • Insect Brief 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pop Art • Cultural Project i.e. Aboriginal Art 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Landscapes – observational drawing, watercolour, oil pastel work. Studying Claude Monet, Megan Coyle & Tony Conner.
Year 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cultural Project: Mexican Day of the Dead • Collage: Eduardo Paolozzi • Architecture 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sweets & Food in Art • Investigating Perspective 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shoes – observational drawing studies, mixed-media collage, dyes & inks, use of Adobe Photoshop. Studying Loui Jover, Nancy Standlee & Matt W. Moore.
Year 9 (Carousel)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gustav Klimt: Portraiture • Tokyo Olympics: 2020 • Doodlebug Design Brief • Bird Forms • Bio-Art 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fantastical Creatures (Art & Design) • Zoo Logo Brief (Graphic Design)