



OVERVIEW OF COURSE

60% Personal Investigation and related study

- Practical coursework project responding to a theme by candidate/centre
- A related written study of continuous prose with minimum 1,000 words
- Internally assessed and externally moderated

40% Externally Set Task

- Question paper released in February (available from February of Year 13)
- One question selected from a range of starting points & stimuli
- Research & developmental studies leading to a 15 hour practical response in May of Year 13
- Internally assessed and externally moderated

Popular Subject Combinations

Works very well in combination with other creative A levels or as a counterpoint to more essay-based subjects.

Career Paths

Many students choose Art because they enjoy using and extending their own practical skills. The course also offers a great deal of flexibility and individual creativity. It is the logical step towards further study in any Art & Design related career, specifically as a preparation for a Foundation Course in Art & Design. It also provides confidence in decision-making and problem-solving applicable to any career direction.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

GCSE grade 9-5 in Art or Product Design.

Students who have not previously studied any of the above in their GCSE choices would be considered by presenting a portfolio of creative skills.