

Curriculum Overview

	Cycle 1
Year 10 Art & Design GCSE (Edexcel)	Investigating and exploring foundation skills in drawing, painting, printmaking and photography through portraiture
Year 11 Art & Design GCSE (Edexcel)	Exploration into the idea of 'Growth and Evolution' using painting, drawing and printmaking

Cycle 2
Personal project, extended from the Cycle 1 portraiture project in which students will continue to develop their own ideas alongside exploration into a range of media
Externally set assignment – theme set by exam board and person project developed in lead up to exam

Cycle 3
A contextual project unpicking the work of two artists: creating artist studies, a comparative essay and a personal response
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