

Art Curriculum Key Stage 3

Contextual studies are integral to all projects and pupils are encouraged to look at arrange of artists and art movements, western and non- western in each project.

Year 7

VISUAL ELEMENTS

Short Skills based activities in line, colour, pattern, texture, shape, form and tone, to be applied throughout KS3

PATTERN AND CULTURE

Application of skills from first unit exploring art in other cultures and symbolic colour

THEMATIC STUDY

Skills in composition, research, analysis of artist's work, observational drawing

Year 8

Expressive Portraits

Skills in portraiture, research into portrait artists, experiments with media.

FIGURE AND FORM

Skills in proportion of the figure, Paper Mache, clay, 3D design and figure drawing

MY WORLD PART 1

Skills in 2D and 3D media including photography, printmaking and ICT to look at the real and imagined world through Pop Art.

Year 9

MY WORLD PART 2

Extended project, Exploration of the use of collage to create a representation of life in the 21st century

Shock and Awe

Exploration of protest art. Entering the Show the Red Card to Racism competition.

FANTASTIC AND STRANGE

Project developing ideas from investigation into Surreal artists using a wide range of media