## Overview

Year 11 is focused on preparing students for Component 2. Component 2 starts in January of Year 11 when the exam board release the examination questions. Students will follow the same journey as introduced to them in the Mock Exam. It will be made up of 60% practical portfolio and 40% will be gained in the final 10-hour exam. All the work produced will reflect the students' personal interest and strengths within Art, Craft and Design whilst focussing on the four Assessment Objectives; DEVELOPMENT, REFINING, RECORDING AND PRESENTATION. Please be aware that writing about their work is essential and promoted more intensely in Year 11. This can be hand written or typed. Assessment in Year 11 is ongoing and can be written or verbal and always refers back to the specification.





## Term 1

## What is a Mock Exam and how do I prepare?

Students will continue to develop their Year 10 Mock Exam work. Student will have selected their question and will be supported to carry out the project independently. Students are guided through the project process and specification. Year 10 work will be assessed and feedback will be given and acted on. To build their Component 1 score. Practical work is carried out independently and some materials, techniques and processes are introduced to students but not compulsory. Students are expected to manage and carry out their own investigation to meet all Assessment Objectives to an increasingly high standard.



## **Exam Preparation; Questions from Welsh Board**

Using the exam paper set by the Welsh Board Eduqas, Year 11 will select one starting point. This will be the theme for their final project. We will start with research before moving onto developing ideas. As students become confident with their ideas we will start sampling and experimenting with media before refining the outcomes. As the project progresses students will document their insight and understanding using photography and annotation. To finish this component students will sit a 10-hour exam around April. In this exam they will focus on Assessment Objective 4, where they produce and present their final piece. This process is teacher supported and the students should end GCSE Art having achieved their best!



