

Subject Name	GCSE Art & Design
Exam Board	AQA
QAN Code	601/8088/2 Specification number- 8201
Overview of Subject	<p>Art & Design covers a variety of different aspects of art, from traditional drawing and painting, to 3D ceramic work, through to digital imagery.</p> <p>Students will study a variety of styles and techniques of art in order for them to flourish within a certain area. This will allow them to explore art in their own unique way, and be supported to develop themselves further.</p> <p>Also there is a project that is set as a theme for the learners to cover the 4 main assessment objectives to show progression on 1 title.</p> <p>Assessment Objectives AO1: Develop ideas through investigations, demonstrating critical understanding of sources. AO2: Refine work by exploring ideas, selecting and experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes. AO3: Record ideas, observations and insights relevant to intentions as work progresses. AO4: Present a personal and meaningful response that realises intentions and demonstrates understanding of visual language.</p>
How is the qualification examined?	<p>60% Portfolio- A collection of work from across the time the student is with us, showing a variety of different materials and techniques. Must include a themed project.</p> <p>40% External Assignment- Topic given by the exam board for learners to produce any preparation work beforehand within a set time frame. To then complete a 10 hour exam independently without any guidance from the teacher.</p>
Any further Information	Learners will also be able to involved with industry specialist, allowing them to take part in workshops and offsite activities in order to broaden their

	understanding of the subject.
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