

## GCSE – YEAR 10 – ART & DESIGN – CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Key Themes	Key Themes	Key Themes	Key Themes	Key Themes	Key Themes
Component 1: Portfolio	Perspective in architectural	Relief print making:	Acrylic paint techniques -	Plan compositions using	Using a grid to accurately
until Christmas of Year 11.	drawing – accuracy and	Lino cut – cutting the black	handling acrylic through	own photographs of	enlarge chosen composition
Iconic Liverpool	precision. Also presentation	lines & shapes	referencing a range of	Liverpool architecture to	onto A1 canvas.
Architecture. The initial	in a creative way in		artists.	create balanced	
stimulus for this project will	sketchbooks.	Practise prints of black &		composiitons.	All accompanied with
be a study visit to Liverpool.	Photography	white shapes.	Exploring possibilities of this		sections on A3 paper and
Students will explore and	Observational drawing using	Refining lino cutting of black	new paint through layering	Use a range of photographs	also in sketchbook which
record the wide range of	graphite - line & tone	& white shapes before	and mark making to	and other souces to put	show experimentation of
architectural periods and	Watercolour	moving on to print the	describe a range of effets,	together three	how to paint each section,
styles in Liverpool.	Colour pencil crayons	repeat A2 lino print first	texture and surfaces.	compositions.	texture/detail.
The day will also include		layer.			Painting background.
visiting exhibitions in either	Composition: Relief print		Artist research painted	These should be influenced	
the Walker Art Gallery or	designs: Students to	Cutting the white shapes	compositions depicting	by the stylistic and	Painting middle ground and
Tate Liverpool.	produce 4 designs based on	and practise prints of colour	buildings and cities by	compositional elements	Painting foreground and
Preparing & presenting	their own photographs of	layer blends onto practise	Giorgio de Chirico, Georgia	favoured by the individual	finally details.
GCSE sketchbooks.	iconic Liverpool architecture	prints.	O'Keeffe & Charles Demuth	students in the work of the	
Engaging with the work of	and inspired by the style of	Refining cutting before	whose work will influence	artists studied.	This ambitious A1 painted
artists. Starting with the Art	artists whose work they	printing onto A2 lino print	students' own A1 painted		composition will likely be
movement Vorticism,	have studied.	Evaluation of A2 lino prints.	compositions.		finished at the beginning of
Wyndham Lewis, Irving					Year 11.
Amen and a artist of	Select the best 2 designs	Photoshop photo montage			
students' own choice based	and apply colour to them.	using and own photographs			
on relief printmaking and	Transfer best print design	to create front cover page			Component 1: Portfolio is
their gallery visit.	onto lino. Cut out design	to sketchbook			continued into Year 11
Assessment /	Assessment /	Assessment /	Assessment /	Assessment /	Assessment /
Composite Tasks	Composite Tasks	Composite Tasks	Composite Tasks	Composite Tasks	Composite Tasks
A series of Artist research	Continued - Record of	Repeat print designs.	Acrylic paint techniques.	Photoshop compositions –	Sketchbook & A3 practise
pages: Engaging with the	Liverpool Visit	Balancing colour, line, shape		exploring a range of possible	sections of A1 composition
individual style and ideas of	4 detailed drawings based	and repetition.	Artist research pages -	photographs, scale, layout	
the work of various artists.	on students' photographs of		engaging with the individual	and perspective.	A1 acrylic composition – an
	buildings – one tonal & one	Repeat print A2 outcome.	style and ideas of the		ambitious personal
Record of Liverpool Visit:	watercolour.	Marking against AOs	paintings by the three artists	Drawn composiitons based	response to the students'
Photography, analytical	Two continuations of photos			on Photoshop plans	own photographs of



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drawings and annotation in		Photoshop sketchbook front	studied: de Chirico, O'Keeffe	Painted studies exploring	Liverpool whilst making links		
GCSE sketchbook.	Print designs – 2 in colour	cover design	& Demuth	acrylic technique	with work of artists's style.		