

Fine Art

What is GCSE Fine Art all about?

- Fine Art is creative, exciting and fun
- It combines theory and practice
- Studying Fine Art will teach you transferable skills such as research, problem-solving, thinking skills, designing, analysing and evaluating as well as practical skills
- Studying Fine Art will give you a range of opportunities for your future

Fine Art offers you the opportunity to develop your painting and drawing skills producing a range of experimental and personal work. You will also explore printmaking and work in mixed media and produce a range of final pieces.

What topics will I cover?

The course will involve looking at professional artists, designers and photographers, to aid the building of a portfolio of coursework and the keeping of sketchbooks. You will study a range of topics such as still life, portraits, landscapes and develop 2D and 3D art work as a response. The course includes visits to galleries and museums.

How am I assessed?

An external examination will be taken at the end of the course. The coursework is worth 60% of the final mark and the exam will be worth 40%.

What examination board will I follow?

Edexcel

Is there any additional information about this course?

You will be required to purchase sketchbooks, an art portfolio and some art materials during the two year course.

Who should I speak to for further information?

Mrs Kelly, Ms Owens, Ms Button

