AUTUMN 1

Summer Task: My World

Students will have completed a set of work including photographs and edits. Students will make reference to appropriate artists in connection with the theme of "My World". This set of work will serve as an introduction by the students to 6th form staff. The set of work will be used as materials for a presentation activity, where in the first week of term students will be introduced to department expectations for presentation.

My World - Observations

Students will produce two sets of work in response to the 'My World' theme. They will capture a series of images both in school and outside of the classroom.

Students will explore photographic techniques to record images of aspects of their world.

Student observations will be supported with investigations into artists/photographers. The Unit will be concluded by students creating mini personal responses reflecting their world.

Prior Learning All tasks within the My World project will draw upon skills and techniques in photography, researching and recording images developed at GCSE.

CAREERS LINKS

Introduction to a variety artists, craftspeople and designers as creative practitioners.
Experience of exhibition management.

CHARACTER LINKS

Respectful and honest feedback

given in peer assessment (moral

motivation (performance virtues)

- students developing a personal

Independence, resilience and

virtues).

response.

AUTUMN 2

My World - Experiments

Students will experiment with techniques and images in connection with their My World theme. They will explore: Digital Manipulation - Using apps, Photoshop, Photopea. Physical Manipulation - Collage, Layering, Destroying, Drawing and joining. Moving image - Stop Motion, Time-lapse, Film, Gifs. In camera experimentation - Shutter speed, Compositional techniques, Lighting. Student experiments will be supported with investigations into relevant artists and photographers. The Unit will be concluded by students creating mini personal responses reflecting their world and the techniques they have developed.

Mv World - Exhibition 1

Students will organise all of their initial A level work - drawings, photos, experiments and mini final pieces into an exhibition for display on school open evening.

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SPRING 1

Personal investigation

Students will reflect upon all artist analysis, observations and experimentation. They will select most significant images and incorporate them into a Petcha Kutcha presentation. They will use this selection to refine the title of their Personal statement and write their statement of intent, outlining their aims for their persona investigation.

Personal Response 1 - Planning

Students will develop a focussed set of observations, artist research and experimentation in response to their personal investigation theme. They will go on to combine the above stimulus into ideas for their first final piece (personal response). Students will research similar outcomes and exhibition ideas for final inspiration. They will produce detailed final plans and samples prior to making their final piece.

Personal Response 1 - Creating

Students will create a skilful, personal and meaningful response as a conclusion to their investigation so far.

Students will complete a developed set of work which reflects the findings of their investigation so far.

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SPRING 2

Personal Response 1 - Creating continued

Personal investigation review

Students will complete the written element of the personal investigation ensuring the statement of intent, Artists analysis, observations, experiments, final piece 1 and evaluation of final piece 1 are complete. All stages should be fully annotated.

Year 13 Exhibition

Year 12 students will be paired with year 13 students to help assist with the mounting of their exhibition.

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SUMMER 1

The A-Z project

Students will complete a series of activities to expand and re consider their personal investigation theme. The photography, digital and experimental tasks will provoke students to approach their project with fresh ideas.

Personal Response 2

Students will plan, prepare and create a final, skilful, personal and meaningful response as a conclusion to their investigation.

They will develop skills used in their first personal response. Students will complete a developed set of work which reflects the findings of their investigation .Students will consider how the work will be exhibited and plan an installation which includes all of their Personal investigation work and fully reflect their theme.

Summer tasks

Students will ensure their digital portfolios are fully complete.

They should work on an independent set of work which extends their personal responses both in terms of ideas and skills.

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KEY ASSESSMENT DATES

All work completed through year 12 counts as coursework. Students are graded on four assessment objectives, analysis of artists, reviewing and refining ideas, observations and personal responses. Tasks will be set and assessed throughout the year for all of the objectives.

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