



Art & Technical Faculty



Advanced Higher Art & Design Course

What will I be learning?

In S6, you will attend Art and Design six periods per week and will study ONE of the following topic areas:

- **Expressive Portfolio** (for example a Still Life or Portraiture theme).
- **Expressive artist studies** (artistic terminology, artists work and life influences) or.
- **Design Portfolio** (for example fashion, textile, or graphics).
- **Designer studies** (design terminology, designers work and life influences).

How will I be assessed?

You will be set regular SMART objectives by your teacher which will support your learning and help you to improve your work. You will have tracking conversations with your teacher during tracking and monitoring periods, these will help you understand what you need to do to improve your grade. Pupils will build a folio of work on 8-12 A1 Sheets and complete an essay (Contextual Analysis) on a selected artist or designer who has influenced their work.

Assessment in the advanced higher is ongoing throughout the year. Pupils will be set projects for completion and be encouraged to self-assign some tasks to develop their work. The folio is worth 70% of the final grade and the contextual analysis is 30 % of the final grade .

Don't worry if you need additional support to complete your assessments – your teacher will organise this for you!

What does homework look like?

You will receive 2-3 hours of homework per week. This can be completed in self study periods also.

The homework for Art & Design will be specific to your folio work and will be set individually. Contextual Analysis homework will also be set as homework tasks.

See your teacher in class if you need help accessing Satchel One, or if you would prefer to complete the homework on paper instead.