

## Art & Design

Integral to the subject of art is the idea of putting the child at the centre of learning. This has always been part of our philosophy at Hanson School. As a department, we place creativity firmly at the heart of the subject. Creativity cannot be passive. Pupils must be active, they must engage.

We strive to create an atmosphere which is relaxed and stress free, where concentration, self discipline and autonomy can be fostered. We aim to equip pupils with the skills and knowledge to enable them to make informed decisions and thus express their ideas.

## Staff in the Department

Staff Name	Role and/or Key Stages Taught
Ms A Allan	Head of Department KS3,4 & 5
Ms A Mistry	Teacher of Art KS3.4 & 5
Ms K Lad	Teacher of Art KS3.4 & 5
Ms L Annam	Teacher of Art KS3.4 & 5
Mrs S Lyte	Art Technician

## Curriculum overview

	YEAR 7	YEAR 8	YEAR 9	YEAR 10	YEAR 11	YEAR 12	YEAR 13
<b>HT1</b>	Developing key skills in drawing	'Cultural patterns' (print making)	Abstract Art (mixed media techniques)	Experiments with media and materials	(GCSE Fine Art) Continuation of 'identity project'	(AS Fine Art) Unit 1 Foundation skills	A2 (Unit 3) Fine art - Personal study
<b>HT2</b>	The Visual Elements	Design and research skills (creative writing/storyboards)	Artists bookmaking project	Sketchbook development, 'analysing artwork'	Developing critical analysis skills, painting and advanced drawing skills	Unit 1 - Diversity	A2 (Unit 3) Personal Study
<b>HT3</b>	Colour Theory	Developing 3D outcomes	Printmaking	Art Forms in Nature	Handout of Exam paper, development	Unit 1 – Critical and contextual studies	A2 (Unit 3) Personal Study
<b>HT4</b>	Painting skills	Experimental drawing	Drawing for different purposes	Observational drawing techniques	Exam development and completion	Unit 2 – Exam Prep	A2 (Unit 4) Exam prep

<b>HT5</b>	Pattern & Mark-making	Portraiture (proportion, developing skills)	Developing sketchbook ideas (research, critical thinking skills)	Developing and realising ideas for different outcomes	Finalising and completing coursework	Unit 2 Exam completion	A2 (Unit 4) Exam completion
<b>HT6</b>	'Constructed Landscapes'	3D relief construction	Ceramic forms	'Identity' preparation for Summer holiday project	Developing group show	Unit 1 & 2 Group show	A2 (Unit 3 & 4) Group show