Year 10 GCSE

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Students can opt to choose Art and Design at key stage 4. The students complete a GCSE in Art and Design over two years. Unit 1 (coursework) is worth 60% of their final grade. Unit 2 (external exam) is worth 40% of their final grade.

Assessment objectives (AOs) are set by Ofqual and are the same across all GCSE Art and Design specifications and all exam boards. The exam and non-exam assessment will measure how students have achieved the following assessment objectives.

- AO1: Develop ideas through investigations, demonstrating critical understanding of sources.
- AO2: Refine work by exploring ideas, selecting and experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes.
- AO3: Record ideas, observations and insights relevant to intentions as work progresses.
- AO4: Present a personal and meaningful response that realises intentions and demonstrates understanding of visual language.

Year 10 GCSE	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Students build on drawing skills such as tone, mark making for texture, shape, form, proportion and colour taking inspiration from cakes, sweets and desserts.	Students develop a variety of techniques and skills including collage, printing, painting and drawing. They will also research and analyse a variety of artists.	Students work on a final piece which takes the form of a card sculpture and is developed from their previous work.	Students explore portraiture, facial proportion and how to draw the figure.	Students develop their knowledge of portraiture exploring a wide range of artists and their styles, using a range of media.	Students produce final large scale pieces linked to their exploration of portraiture.
Possible trips, workshops and exhibiting opportunities		Opportunity to exhibit at Leicester Open Visit to Leicester Open		Opportunity to exhibit at RA		