## **Art Unit Overview Year 9**

Art lessons are taught once per week. Students will focus on experimentation of media, exploration of artists, cultures and art movements along with development process, initial ideas and planning towards a final outcome. Students in year 9 will have the opportunity to understand the GCSE coursework and overview. Whole class discussion around previous experiences will also help to identify gaps in their learning. We will investigate a range of media and techniques as a starting point along with developing understanding of art elements and art specific vocabulary and definitions. Students will have the opportunity to work 2D and 3D throughout year 9 along with developing and refining print making techniques. Students will explore risk taking and generating ideas towards a final outcome for this unit. In order to check understanding we will be using recap at start of lesson, using plenaries as well as obtaining feedback from students to ensure effective learning is taking place. We will provide learning of safe use of equipment in the Art rooms so that all students feel safe and confident to be creative.

Art - Year 9 Autumn Term - Gothic Architecture

What are we learning?	What knowledge, understanding and skill will	What does mastery look	How does this build of prior learning?	What additional resources are available?
	we gain?	like?		
I will learn to analyse	Knowledge- Students will	Mastery will be	Students will build on	Teacher demonstrations. Existing examples of
key aspects of the style	gain knowledge on the	shown by	prior learning by	previous student sketchbooks. Final outcome
of architecture used in	history of Gargoyles,	allowing	incorporating mark	examples.
the Middle Ages	influences on gothic	students to	making and tonal skills	Video links.
understanding the	architecture and artist links	overcome	in their work. Students	
difference between	such as John Piper and Peter	mistakes and to	will also be developing	https://mymodernmet.com/gothic-architecture-
functional and	Phillips.	problem solve.	prior skills in 3D clay	characteristics/
aesthetic reasoning.	Skills- Students will gain	Students will be	making. Students will	
Whilst developing my	skills in 2D and 3D artwork	guided to build	be using prior	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vrdkL7Y8Who
skills in line, tone,	along with incorporating	on prior skills.	knowledge on artist	
shape and form. Being	important gothic	Students will	critical studies to write	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DgzQdOBalio
introduced to using	architecture elements.	develop	about and copy artist	
clay to create a 3D	Students will gain skills in a	drawings skills to	work. Students will be	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aYBHYoctDzs
gargoyle and different	new printmaking method	show mastery in	developing	
printing techniques.	called mono-printing.	clay 3D work.	printmaking skills from	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vWIV2bjZKsA

Understanding- Students	year 7 in the form on	
will gain understanding in	relief printmaking.	
Greek mythology along with		
generating design ideas		
towards a 3D clay outcome.		

## **Art – Year 9 Spring Term – Mini GCSE project**

What are we learning?	What knowledge, understanding and skill	What does mastery look	How does this build of prior learning?	What additional resources are available?
	will we gain?	like?		
I will learn to	Knowledge- Students will	Mastery will be	Students will build	Teacher demonstrations. Existing examples of previous
develop my	gain knowledge in how to	shown by	on prior learning	student sketchbooks. Final outcome examples.
independent and	annotate their own work	displaying	from KS3. This will	Video links.
creative thinking in	in GCSE style, students	previous	include developing	
this mini-GCSE style	will gain understanding in	students GCSE	skills in a range of	https://www.gosford-hill.oxon.sch.uk/page-
project. Utilising all	how to use art specific	sketchbooks and	different drawing	content/documents/1434012949-
learnt skills so far	vocabulary within their	discussions on	skills, annotating	ArtHowToImproveGCSE.pdf
from a given starting	annotations.	how to achieve	work, sketchbook	
point and key tasks	Skills- Students will gain	a high grade.	display of artwork	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zgtngdm/revision/2
to create an	skills in developing artist		and also	
independent and	techniques from all	Mastery will also	printmaking skills.	https://www.st-james-coldwaltham.w-
interesting	projects in KS3.	be shown		sussex.sch.uk/docs/How to produce a sketchbook.pdf
outcome.	Understanding- Students	through their		
	will gain understanding in	creative process		https://www.studentartguide.com/articles/art-sketchbook-
	the GCSE art option and	towards a mini-		ideas
	the coursework criteria.	GCSE styled		
	Students will also be	work.		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UG3cd_Tqlck
	introduced into the GCSE			
	language for art and			

learning the AO's (AO1,		
AO2, AO3 and AO4).		

## Art – Year 9 Summer Term – Surrealism

What are we learning?	What knowledge, understanding and skill will we gain?	What does mastery look like?	How does this build of prior learning?	What additional resources are available?
I will learn about the different aspects of the art movement as well as understanding how it came to be. Whilst developing understanding of distortion, scale, colour using different elements of art to create a paired outcome.	Knowledge-Student will gain knowledge of perspective drawings to create realism within their landscape drawings. Students will also develop knowledge on art specific key words, such as 'saturation'. Skills-Students will gain skills in image distortion, photo manipulation and typography to create art. Understanding-Students will gain understanding in the definition of surrealism and key artist within the art movement.	Mastery will be shown through development of sketches practising new techniques in perspective drawing. Mastery will be explored through photo combining to create different surreal images prior to develop final ideas.	Students will build on prior learning from previous project I year 9, such as developing initial ideas through to final piece, evaluating work and the work of artists and incorporating cultural or art movements within artwork.	Teacher demonstrations. Existing examples of previous student sketchbooks. Final outcome examples. Video links.  https://www.artsy.net/article/artsy-editorial-whatis-surrealism https://filmlifestyle.com/what-is-surrealism/ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XRrKohWdpeQ https://youtu.be/GmNOsHgsyTg https://www.widewalls.ch/magazine/surrealist-paintings/max-ernst-2