



## Art and Design: Textiles Design GCSE KS4 Year 11

Course Aims: To nurture an enthusiasm for Art and Design, and develop critical, practical, and theoretical skills in Fashion and Textiles

Exam Board: Eduqas

Specification:

[https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/art-and-design-gcse#tab\\_overview](https://www.eduqas.co.uk/qualifications/art-and-design-gcse#tab_overview)

Topics Covered:

Contemporary and historical Fashion and Textiles designers  
Contemporary and historical themes  
The purpose, function and intentions in designers' work  
Visual language – sketching and illustrating  
Use of a wide range of media  
Textiles fabrics and components  
Fabric enhancement techniques  
Generating, exploring, developing, and refining Design Ideas  
Critical Analysis of your own work and others'

Areas of study include:

- Constructed textiles • Digital textiles • Dyed fabrics • Printed fabrics • Fashion design • Installed textiles • Soft furnishings • Stitched and/or embellished textiles.

How is the course assessed?

Component 1 Portfolio (100%)

A major practical portfolio and outcome based on a choice of themes, to be submitted as a “digital portfolio”

Component 2 Externally Set Assignment (0%)

This assignment has been removed from the Summer 2021 assessment

Links to helpful web-based resources:

<https://www.designersnexus.com/>

<https://creativejourneyuk.com/>

Suggested reading/ revision guides

The work of creative Textiles and Fashion Designers such as:

Becky Adams, Jeanette Appleton, Piers Atkinson, Cristóbal Balenciaga, Richard Box, Michael Brennand Wood, Caroline Broadhead, Cefyn Burges, Claire Cawte, Alice Fox, Suzie Freeman, Marie-Jeanne Lecca, Valentino Garavani, Julia Griffiths-Jones, Guerrilla Crochet, Anya Hindmarch, Ray Holman, Cas Holmes, Nathan Jenden, Helen Jones, Stephen Jones, Christopher Kane, Rei Kawakubo, Taisiya Kovaly, Mariko Kusumoto, Julien Macdonald, Isobel Marant, Marimekko, Sian Martin, Stella McCartney, Alexander McQueen, Sandra Meech, Eleri Mills, Michelle Morin, Alexandra Moura, Serena Partridge, Eleanor Pritchard, Prinkie Roberts, Jenny Rolfe, Carolyn Saxby, Emma J. Shipley, Malone Souliers, Debbie Smyth, Jenny Tiramani, Philip Treacy, Carola Van Dyke, Iris Van Herpen, Sophia Webster, Cynth Weyman, Matthew Williamson or Jessica Zoob.