



Carleton Community High School

A Specialist Science with Mathematics School



Art & Design – Fine Art GCSE

This two year course is designed so that candidates will gain experience of a wide range of drawing and painting skills and have the opportunity to experiment with a wide range of materials and techniques. Coursework consists of three assignments which form 60% of the final examination weighting. The remaining 40% is undertaken as a controlled test at the end of the second year. It is a requirement of the course that candidates are independent students and are expected to collect research as homework. This is instrumental to success in this subject.



60% COURSEWORK

40% CONTROLLED EXAM

Students have the opportunity to investigate a range of artists and designers and create projects based on different themes.

This subject enables Students to pursue courses and careers in all aspects of the arts.

To complete this course, students should have a minimum of two projects finished by the end of the autumn term in the second year. This is to allow enough time to begin 'prep' work for their controlled test which starts soon after the Christmas holidays.