

ART A LEVEL (GCE)

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COURSE CONTENT:

Two year course:

- Year 1 Skill Building Projects x 4
- Year 1 Internally Set Assignment
 - Year 2 Personal Investigation
 - <u>Year 2 Externally Set Assignment</u>



COMPONENT 1 - Personal Investigation (This makes up 60% of the overall 'GCE' grade)

Personal Investigation -

- You decide on your starting point for a practical project.
- Can include; A Theme / Concept / Issue / Ideas / Genre?
- Must be an in-depth study in which candidates are expected to consolidate the skills, knowledge and understanding developed in Year 1.
- Demonstrate an awareness of all four assessment objectives.
- 1000-3000 word evaluation / journal / log
 - This writing should provide insights into your intentions, the influences on your work and the reasons for making particular decisions.

PERSONAL INVESTIGATION



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COMPONENT 2 – Externally Set Assignment (This makes up 40% of the overall 'GCE' grade)

Externally Set Assignment -

- You choose 1 of a number of starting points for a practical project from the exam paper.

- The starting points change every year and are varied in content.

Again, an in-depth study in which candidates are expected to consolidate the skills, knowledge and understanding developed in Year 1
& experience gained by working on the Personal Investigation.

- Must demonstrate an awareness of all four assessment objectives.

YEAR 2:

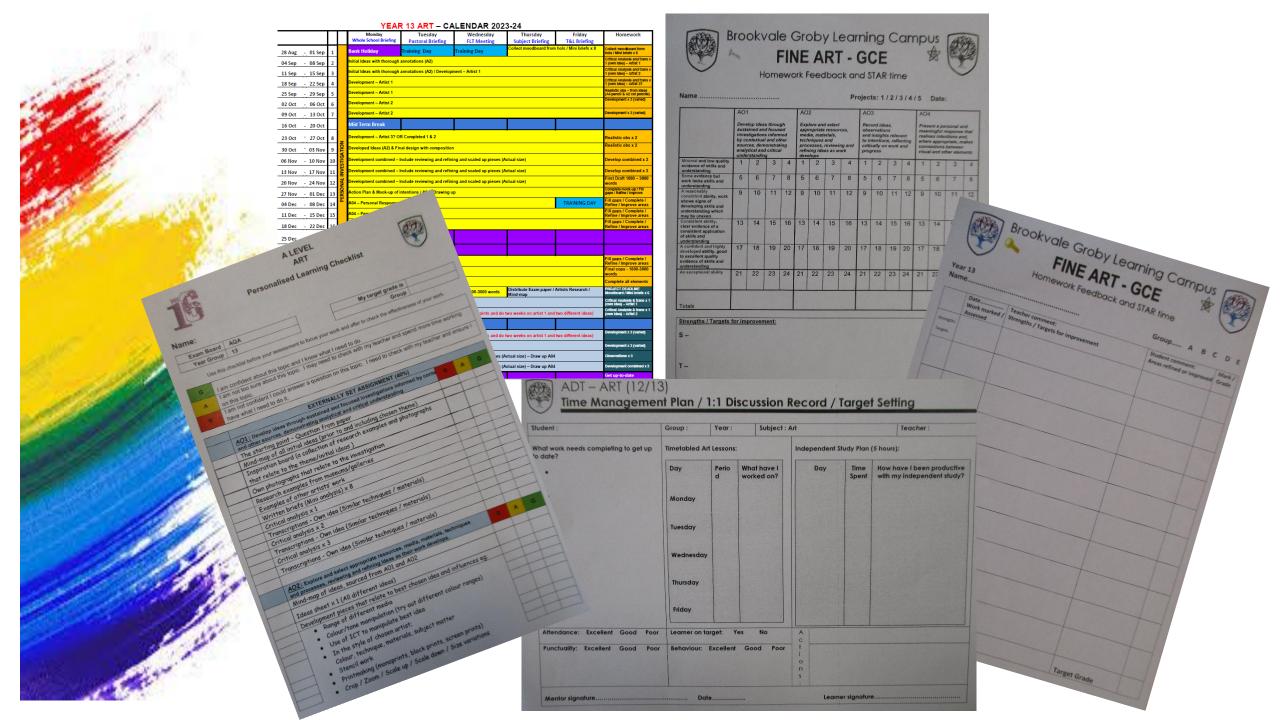
How to <u>SUCCEED</u> when working on the exam project;

- Read through the question paper carefully.
- Select one question that inspires you the most.
- Carry out artists' research that relates to that question/theme/genre....
- Create mind-maps and source your own materials.
- Cover all the assessment objectives skilfully and thoroughly.
- Know the dates of the exam and plan for it.



WHAT ELSE DO I NEED TO HELP ME?

- Understand the assessment criteria and mark scheme.
- Use the time management plan to record work and set your own targets.
- Use the year calendar to remind you of where you should be and know what is coming up and act on it.
- Use the PLC sheet to record your own progress.
- Respond to teacher feedback.
- · Use a purple pen to record improvements to your work.
- Use 1-1 time with the teacher to discuss your journey and progress being made.







DATES OF THE ART EXAM;

MONDAY 22nd APRIL 2024

TUESDAY 23rd APRIL 2024

WEDNESDAY 24TH APRIL 2024