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Project	Dates	TEXTILE DESIGN - Year 10	
PRELIMINARY 1 'Hybrids'	Sept - Oct	The aim of the project is to ensure students learn key foundation skills: Hand and machine sewing, creating seams and pleats, applique, heat printing and familiarise themselves with the functions of a sewing machine.  Students will design a hybrid creature which they will make into a soft toy.  Artists looked at: Yinka Shonibare and Zandra Rhodes.	
PRELIMINARY 2 'Rework'	Oct - Feb	Students will be set a challenge to create a new item using an old IKEA shopping bag. Students will research exisiting designs made from the same mateiral before deciding what they wish to create.  The final outcome should be a working, functional item.  Students will learn how to work with more challenging, less traditional materials and develop their skills on the sewing machine. They will be introduced to techniques such as:  - Creating lining  - Padding  - Adding zippers and buttons  - Creating pockets and layers  - Planning and designing a paper pattern.  Students will chose the work of an eco designer from a wide selection provided by the teacher.	

NB: As this is the first year running the course, there is no Year 11 until September 2022.

NEA project 1 'JUNK!'	Feb - July	Students will start their first official GCSE project by studying the pioneering modernist art school, The Bauhaus. They will study the works of Bauhaus artists such as:  - Corona Krause - Laszlo Moholy-Nagy  Students will use wood, metal, plastic, foam, rope and card to constrcut abstact sculptures which will form the start of their journey into shape and pattern to inspire a range of printed fabrics. Students will learn skills in: - Lino and polyblock printing - Mono printing - Screen printing - Dying - Batik  They will use existing skills from previous preliminary courses to apply sewing, applique and constrcutions techniques using their printed fabric to culminate in either: - A functional, wearable item - A fabric artwork (wall hanging etc).
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Useful Textiles links / websites

Bauhaus website
Bitesize
Fashion & Textiles museum
V&A