# GCSE Fine Art GCSE Photography



1 Department,
2 fantastic GCSE courses





### Fine Art

Fine Art includes a multitude of ways to work, this can include: Drawing, painting, sculpture, installation, lens-/light-based media, photography and the moving image, printmaking, mixed media, land art.

During your GCSE you will learn and demonstrate skills such as:

- **❖**Mark-making
- Monoprint, collagraph and block printing
- ❖Digital working methods
- Use media and materials, as appropriate to students'
- personal intentions, for example:
- Charcoal, pastels, pen and ink, crayons and pencil
- ❖ Watercolour, gouache, acrylic and oil paint
- Found materials
- Clay, wood and metal
- **❖**Digital imagery
- ❖Different papers and surfaces on which to work.



## Fine Art

"I would describe the experience as Eye-opening. I learned to observe, use lots of techniques, and become more knowledgeable; Art's something I always look forward to." GCSE student quote













## Photography

There are many exciting styles of photography, this could include:

Portraiture, location photography, studio photography, experimental imagery, installation, documentary photography, photo-journalism, moving image: film, video and animation, fashion photography.

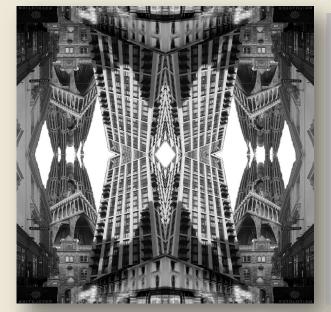
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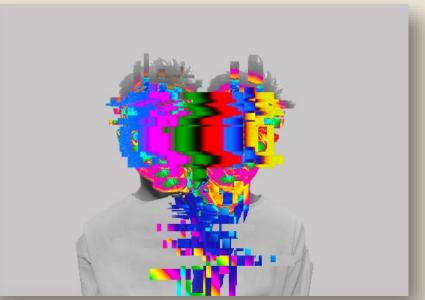
- Lighting
- **❖** Viewpoint / Composition
- ❖Aperture / Depth of field
- Shutter speed and movement
- **❖**Use of enlarger
- Chemical and/or digital processes
- ❖ Digital media and editing software programs
- **❖**Portrait skills
- Landscape skills
- ❖Macro skills



## Photography

"I love Photography, it's the best bit of my week. I feel like I'm allowed to be an individual here, it sometimes feels like I'm at university." Yr 10 student











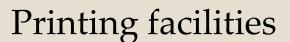




## Fun, creative and diverse project-based courses which teaches you a multitude of skills to take forward in to your future.

60% Coursework – 2 individualised projects

40% Exam – Exam prep over 4 months, 10 hour practical exam over two days in Year 11



Fully equipped darkroom

Photoshop editing software

Access to DSLR cameras





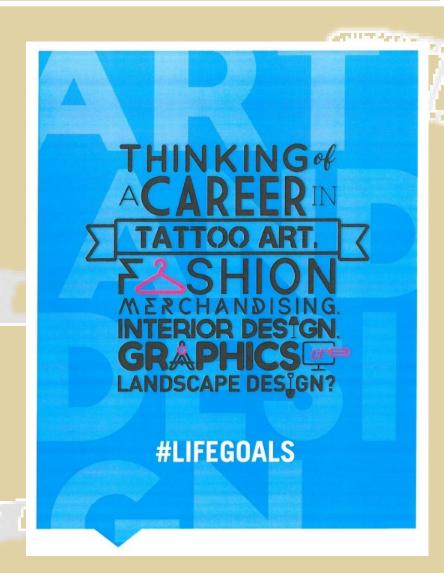


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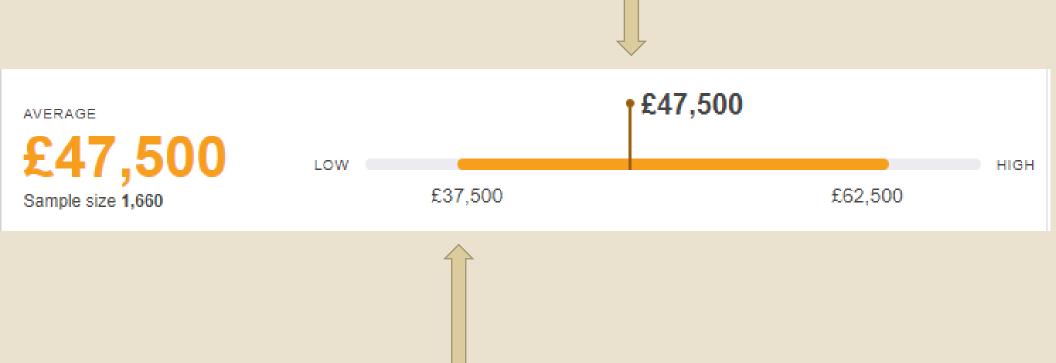
#### Jobs in the Creative Industry

- ☐ Architect
- ☐ Stylist
- ☐ Clothes/Shoes Designer
- ☐ Photo-Journalist
- ☐ Gallery Curator
- ☐ Advertising Art Director
- ☐ Web Designer
- ☐ Marketing Manager
- ☐ Graphic Designer
- **☐** Film Director/Editor
- ☐ Visual Merchandiser
- ☐ Film/Theatre Set Designer
- ☐ Choreographer
- ☐ Art Therapist
- ☐ Art/Photography/Textiles/Graphics Teacher
- ☐ Media Planner
- ☐ Costume Design
- ☐ Artist
- ☐ Wedding Photographer
- ☐ Lecturer
- ☐ Auctioneer
- ☐ Illustrator Books, Fashion
- ☐ Fundraiser
- ☐ Animator
- □ Writer

GCSE Art / Photography can lead you to study at TCS 6<sup>th</sup> form. A level course in Art, Craft and Design as well as A Level Photography – study one or both!



### Average wage in the creative industry



Average typical wage in the UK



