

## Art Fundamentals – Year 8

### **Fundamental Skills**

Students will be able to:

- Show at least three tones in pencil
- Create 3 or more tones in watercolour paint using water to make the paint lighter
- Record shape accurately by breaking it down into sections
- Combine two different materials in my artwork
- Confidently Recognise what makes a good Observational drawing.

### STRETCH AND CHALLENGE

- Use a range of materials with growing skill and independence
- Make links to one or more artists' work with some teacher guidance
- Annotate designs to explain links to artwork or themes
- Personalise my design ideas by making links to my own interests as well as to artwork of different artists
- Show understanding of composition, think carefully about how I fill the space to make an interesting design

# **Fundamental Knowledge**

Students will know:

- Which primary colours to mix to make specific secondary colours
- How to collect information and examples of artwork by artists'/art movements
- How to describe at least 3 formal elements used in artwork
- The formal elements of art and can recognise them in artwork
- What secondary and tertiary colours are
- The qualities of 3 different materials and how to use them

### STRETCH AND CHALLENGE

- How to write clearly to analyse and make note of characteristics of artwork using key words and terms confidently:
  - o viewpoint
  - o secondary colours
  - o Optical blending
  - o composition
  - o tertiary colours
  - o tint
  - o shade