

# ART A LEVEL AT NGHS- Year 12 Art Summer Holiday Work

## Part 1 Personal Journal

**Over the summer you will create a personal, visual and creative journal.** This will be a diary of anything that you have done, seen, read, visited, etcetera to do with Art or art related subjects over the summer. Stick in leaflets, post cards, tickets, photos, anything really, **sketch, doodle, make notes** of anything of interest etcetera.

**SO...**

**Visit as many art galleries as you can!** and collect postcards and information about artists who inspire you. Complete some studies of artists work when at the gallery and complete at home.

*Suggested galleries. Manchester City Art Gallery. The Whitworth Gallery, Manchester. Tate Liverpool, Walker Art Gallery, Liverpool. Lady Lever Art Gallery, Port Sunlight. Birmingham Art Gallery. Icon Gallery, Birmingham. Hanley Museum and Gallery, S-O-T. And further afield-Tate Modern, London. Tate Britain, London. Tate St Ives.-might see you there! The National Gallery and National Portrait Gallery, Trafalgar Square. The Royal Academy of Art, London.*

**Study some books** on art.

**Watch documentaries** - BBC iPlayer/YouTube

## Part 2 Choose a theme for the first half term:

During the first part of the course you will be completing a range of skills based activities including printmaking, photography and ceramics. It will be beneficial if you select a theme and prepare some drawings ready to help you with this to direct the skills based project. Choose a theme from the list below:

-Landscape/city scape

-Macro

-Natural Forms

-Pattern and Decoration

**You are required to complete at least 4-5 detailed drawings based on one of the above themes ready for the first lesson in September.**

**Take at least 10-15 photographs inspired by your chosen theme.**

**Research artists who are inspired by your chosen theme also, this may link in with the artists who have inspired you on your gallery visits.**

Let me know if you have any queries regarding these tasks.

Good Luck and have a good summer, look forwards to seeing you and your work in September!

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**Please note you can collect an NGHS sketch book to complete this work in from reception or Mr Mason.**