

## **Advanced Higher Art or Design**

**Preferred Entry Level:** Higher Grade pass

**Location:** Perth High School



**Following successful study at higher level our learners have the option to continue their studies at Advanced Higher level at the Perth High School campus where pupils are highly supported by the Art and Design staff there.**

**Following on from higher, pupils specialise into either expressive or design based on their interests and prior success.** The course will entail producing a comprehensive folio of work where they will select a relevant personal theme, or area of interest, with a written essay to go alongside the practical work.

The course is designed to give students the opportunity to gain an Advanced Higher but also to produce a Portfolio of work to apply to Art Colleges or other Higher Education courses. If this is a path that your young person is considering, this is essential to build the body of work required for application to the majority of universities for study in this field.

### **Homework**

It is expected that students are proactive in researching for their themes through appropriate channels and continue this as their portfolios build. This could include, but its not limited to: taking reference photographs, creating art or design works, researching artists online and in galleries, creating mood boards of ideas etc.

There is an essay to go alongside the portfolio of work which will require each pupil to pick a piece of relevant art or design work and create a thorough analysis, which again will rely on being proactive with research through the appropriate means.

### **Assessment**

Candidates are required to submit a practical portfolio of work ranging from 6-12 A1 sheets of presented work, and a 2000 word Contextual Analysis which goes to the SQA for external assessment.

A continuous process of discussion and review of both practical and written is essential part of the course. These reviews will take place on a regular basis thorough out the year with teachers and peers to support the learning process.

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