

- Technical skills
- Conceptual understanding Contextual analysis

Students and teacher will work closely to develop personalised ideas and themes of interest.

SKILLS:

Technical camera settings, Composition, genres, exposure, macro, portraiture, text and image, digital manipulation using software, practical manipulation, darkroom practise, message and meaning, theme exploration, research skills, written analysis skills, problem solving, visual communication.

Induction

SEPTEMBER

Students use the first few weeks establishing a technical skill set which is developed through mini projects. This introduces students to key skills and allows for exciting individual outcomes, with a focus on technical ability, exploration and experimentation.

materials

methods process and

SKILLS: Technical camera settinas. Formal elements, compositional considerations, contact sheet evaluation, engaging and analysing Photographers work.

Intent	What new knowledge/content do we introduce?					
By the end of KS5 students are able to		Year 12		Year 13		How does this curriculum incorporate the Specification and go beyond? How does going beyond the specification ensure challenge?
Be able to apply practical photography skills, with a level of understanding, which allows them to be creative and reflect their own personal engagement with the world around them. Develop transferable skills; • Non-routine problem solving • Decision-making and reasoning. • Critical thinking • ICT literacy • Articulate ideas • Relationship-building skills • Collaborative problem solving • Adaptability and Resilience • Self-management and self- development Time management Focus Resourcefulness independance	SKILL BASED WORKSHOPS Students will work through a series of Mini Projects. Each projects will have a set focus which maybe practical or theoretical. This will provide them with the skills and knowledge they need to work independently.	 1 Sept – Feb Skill based workshops exploring a variety of skills and themes. Each workshop is a mini project, which has a particular focus and technical skill to be explored. New Knowledge and content : Photographic Genres Further exploration of technical camera settings Affinity software for digital editing Exposure-Aperture-movement – shutterspeed. Studio shoot Tyler spangler – exploring hand manipulation Use of Text and Image Digital collage Dark room practise A variety of Photographers work will be used as examples which link to each mini project, however students will also be encouraged to explore other photographers work independently. 	Personal Investigation Student led starting points, chosen artists, developments and outcomes.	1 Sept – Dec Sustained investigation to develop a personal response to a chosen theme. Leading to Mock Exam in December. This could be a continuation from previous work, or a new topic.	We have selected artists for the teacher led phase to ; Introduce students to a wide selection of artists To enable students to make practical experimentation pieces which explores the techniques used by each artist. Student will then be able to apply this knowledge to his or her own practise.	Year 12 and 13 student's are working independently by the end of the course. Work is of a personalised nature and shows development of a given theme. Each student is expected to work to their strengths and with materials and themes, which they find inspirational. Each students work should be unique and indididual to them, and have a clear intent behind the work. Work should be well considered and show a student's own creative journey. New techniques and concepts are formed with staff/group discussions and
Develop and apply technical knowledge and skills Students will become skilful and experience in the technical elements of photography, and experiment with a wide range media, processes and techniques. Students can apply these skills and be able to personalise their approach. Students will explore the following:	Mock Exam. Student led development of individual project. Artists, techniques and outcomes to be personalised by each student.	Feb - June Mock Exam Preparation time. During this stage, Year 12 students will be working on their own individual projects. Students are presented with a series of theme, and will select on to develop. This will lead into a practical exam in June. June – July Personalised feedback from exam. Personalised extension work	EXTERNALLY SET ASSIGNMENT. Student led starting points, chosen artists, developments and outcomes.	1 Feb to Easter Exam theme released on 1 st Febuary Febuary to Easter exam preparation. Exam dates and deadlines TBC	To introduce concepts, context and message and meaning To inspire and motivate students to develop their own personalised ideas. Additional artists will be fed into to individual students to broaden their	are fully supported. Students should become articulate and able to discuss their work in depth and with passion. Students then have a solid foundation of inspiration to draw from to enable them to develop their own route through sustained investigation and to a personal response.

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 Camera settings 		The start of the course is mainly to determine the experience each student	At this stage, students should have a sound	inspiration and	Teachers support this
 Editing software 		has had in Photography. Not all will have taken Photography as a stand-	knowledge of the requirements of the course	support development	development through building
Digital		alone subject. We carefully structure each lesson to help students build up a	through their engagement with the A.O in year 12.	of ideas. These will	close professional working
manipulation of an		body of technical skills and use ideas and artists work to support these. The	Students are encouraged to work in a sequence	be personalised to	relationships with students
image		experiences, skills and understanding students acquire should enable them	which ensure all assessment objects are met, but	the students and	through regular one to one
Hand manipulation		to work independently as they progress through the course.	also understand the flexibility it allows for individual	promote diversity.	support and discussion,
Exploration of			creative intent.		coaching students to take
different media				Practical activities	control of their creative
e.g. Silkscreen			The order of lessons are planned to enable	have been selected	journeys and
printmaking,			students to be guided to produce personalised	to;	Artistic development
Collage, 3D			work that meets all of the assessment objectives.		
 Darkroom practise. 			The sequencing during independent phases	Give students	In additional to timetabled
	Rationale for		enable teachers to support students to work at a	opportunity to	curriculum time we also take
	this sequence		productive pace and meet deadlines.	explore a range of	every opportunity to organise
Meet assessment criteria as				methods and	relevant trips and
set by the exam board.			The externally set assignment will also be planned	materials.	experiences, which will
Develop ideas through			and sequences by teachers to ensure students can		enhance our student's
investigations			respond effectively to the exam theme and develop	To inspire a range of	knowledge and
demonstrating critical			a personalised project that can showcase their	ways of working	understanding of
understanding of			strengths and areas of interest.		Photography and help them
sources			-	To allow students to	gain a wider perspective of
Refine work by				find their strengths	the role of the subject.
exploring ideas,				and areas of	
selecting and				specialism	Students should build up a
experimenting with					body of skills and experience
		Studente who have atudied Destagraphy C.C.S.E. at Chapterton will have goin	d a solid foundation at KS4 photography which will give	a thom koy akilla	which would enable them to
appropriate media,		Students who have studied Fhotography G.C.S.L at Chesterton will have gained a solid roundation at K34 photography which will give them key skills,			continue into Further
materials, techniques		Nowledge and understanding. These shirs and knowledge will then be further developed into KSS. In particular students will further develop their editing			
and processes		skins with the introduction of Animity, this will chable them to advance their digital editing skins and give them a greater experience of digital editing in industry			
Record ideas		practise. Students will be taught to analysis other photographers work and gain a deeper understanding of the role of photography and the			
observations and		implications/messages and meanings behind an image. Throughout KS4 students will have developed a clear understanding of how to interpret a given			
insights relevant to		theme and develop a personalised project through high quality experimentation and engagements with relative artists. This will be further advanced and			
intention as work	How does the	developed at KS5, Students ensuring students can confidently articulate ideas and opinions, work independently and monitor their own progress.			
progresses	KS5 Curriculum				
Present a personal and	build on previous				
meaningful response	learning at				
that realises intentions	KS4?				
and demonstrates					
understanding of visual					
language					