Art & Design and Photography – Curriculum Overview – 2025/2026

	Winter	Spring	Summer
7 KS3 Art & Design	**Fine Art Focus: The Formal Elements of Art**	**Sculpture: The Sea & The Great Barrier Reef**	**Fine Art Focus: Minibeast in a Matchbox**
8 KS3 Art & Design	**Fine Art Focus: Portraiture**	**Sculpture: Clay Cakes**	**Mixed Media: Cell Abstraction**
9 KS3 Art & Design	**Fine Art Focus: Architecture**	**Fine Art Focus: Architecture**	**Mixed Media: Animal Eyes**
10 GCSE Art & Design	**Unit 1: Teacher led project Investigating context / recording Natural Forms**	**Unit 1: Teacher led project Media sampling Natural Forms**	**Unit 1: Extended Project Media Sampling Pupil choice 3-4 Themes**
11 GCSE Art & Design	**Unit 1: Extended Project Media Sampling Pupil choice 3-4 Themes**	**Unit 2: External Exam - NEA**	**Unit 2: External Exam - NEA**
10 GCSE Photography	**Unit 1: Teacher led project - Abstract Nature**	**Unit 1: Teacher led project - Abstract Nature**	**Unit 1: Extended Project - Portraiture**
11 GCSE Photography	**Unit 1: Extended Project - Portraiture**	**Unit 2: External Exam - NEA**	**Unit 2: External Exam - NEA**

Weekly Extra-Curricular Provision:

- *Disco Ball Painting – Friday Lunch Year 7*

Additional Extra-Curricular Provision:

- *London Residential Trip, Visiting Artists*

Intervention Provision:

- *KS4 GCSE Art & Design Support Sessions (afterschool & lunch, weekly)*
- *KS4 GCSE Photography Support Sessions (lunch & afterschool)*