

Details at a Glance

Qualification

GCSE

Level

1 & 2

Exam Board

WJEC

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No

Limited Group size

Yes

Staff

Mrs H Forshaw



Course Structure

This subject comes under the Art and Design specification with the WJEC

Unit 1 (60%): Portfolio (120 marks).

Based on a major theme and implementing the design process, through the medium of textiles. A portfolio of evidence is required to be submitted to the very best of the pupils ability.

Unit 2 (40%): Externally set assignment (80 marks).

Externally set by the exam board and pupils are expected to produce a personal response to a given theme, again through the medium of textiles.

Throughout the two year course, pupils will have plenty of opportunity to explore the

world of textiles. They will be encouraged to experiment and construct different materials, surface design and fabrics. Pupils will be expected to be innovative and creative in their approach to the subject and challenge their way of thinking. The course also provides pupils to engage in the following topics:

Constructed Textiles

Digital Textiles

Dyed Fabrics

Printed Fabrics

Fashion Design

Installed Textiles

Soft Furnishings

Stitched Textiles

Embellished Textiles

and many more.....

Pupils also be expected to enter local and nationally based competitions in order for them to gain experience and drive within the subject area. Trips to local textile and fashion industries is also



Examination/Assessment

Unit 1

Portfolio 60%

Unit 2

External Examination 40%