

3D DESIGN

The GCSE course covers a range of skills from design to the making of products. This can lead directly into the current A Level structure where Design and Technology can be studied in the form of Product Design or Resistant Materials. From this point you could be looking at a career in the design industry serving, for example, car or furniture manufacturers.



Exam Board	Paper Specification	Subject Type
AQA	8205	Option
Qualification Awarded		
GCSE Art & Design - 3D Design		

ASSESSMENT

Component 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Portfolio of Work (60%) The coursework is completed in Years 10 and 11 both in lessons and at home. Every piece of work is entered as part of your GCSE. You will be given a range of tasks which will fulfil the marking criteria and develop your creative and technical ability.
Component 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Externally Set Assignment (40%) In January of Year 11 you will be given an examination paper from which you will choose 1 title. You will have a period of time to prepare and research your title and then complete a final piece in a 10-hour controlled exam

EXPECTATIONS

3D Design enables students to design and make products with creativity and originality, using a range of materials, techniques and processes. All work completed in lessons and for homework will be accounted for.

The Portfolio is built up from two projects where you practise your research and DT skills, you are inspired by other designers, you experiment with materials and you develop your own personal response. In order to succeed in 3D Design, you must be prepared to work hard, do your homework, enjoy being creative and have a love for design! Students will be required to bring a charged Chromebook to every lesson, and attend DT club and use our facilities. A contribution to materials may be required.