



## Abbey Gate College Sixth Form



### Art and Design (Art, Craft and Design)

#### Why study Art and Design at A Level?

*Many graduate employers seek to recruit people who are lateral thinkers and creative problem solvers.*

These qualities are natural to artists and designers and therefore make them an attractive asset, particularly to the UK creative industries sector. This sector relies on people who can think differently, formulate questions and solve problems.



# Course Content



## Upper Sixth:

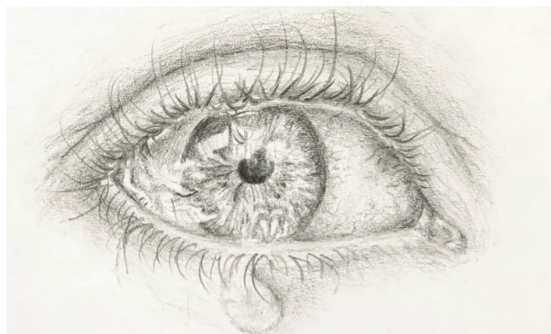
### Component 1 - Personal Investigation

- No time limit
- 96 marks
- 60% of A Level

### Component 2 - Externally Set Assignment

- Preparatory period+ 15 hours supervised time
- 96 marks
- 40% of A Level

The Art Department welcomes visiting artists into the classroom and the students have the invaluable opportunity to work alongside a range of practitioners, extending their knowledge of techniques and applying new skills, they will also have the opportunity to go on organised Gallery visits.



- Imagination and creativity
- Critical awareness of self and external factors and the ability to be reflective
- Interpersonal and social skills
- An appreciation of diversity
- Creative problem solving
- Team work
- Independent working skills



**SKILLS**  
obtained by  
studying  
**Art and Design:**