

Week 1 – Research – January 20th

1. Choose a question and complete a written mind map/title page
2. Create a visual mind map (moodboard)

Week 2- Research- January 27th

3. Two pages of studies from direct observation and secondary sources. Two art-based studies and two textile-based studies.

Week 3 – Artist Study – February 3rd

4. Complete first artist research using the artist study sheet to help – present a textile response.

Week 4- Artist Study 2 (only if you have time) February 10th

5. Complete second artist research using the artist study sheet to help – present a textile response. Or catch up.

HALF TERM

Week 5 and 6 - Initial Ideas – Feb 24th March 3rd

6. Create four different initial ideas, one per page and fully annotated.
7. Complete one textile sample per design to help develop your ideas. Discuss the relevant formal elements when annotating your work (line, tone, shape/form, pattern, colour, texture).

Week 7 & 8– Developing Ideas and Experimenting with materials – March 10th March 17th

8. Develop your best idea by showing a minimum of two alternative design ideas.
9. Try out a range of techniques and produce two samples per design, present and annotate.

EASTER HOLIDAY

Week 9 – Further Development – March 24th

10. Choose your favourite and most successful idea and make a maquette of it in your chosen materials outside of your sketchbook.
11. Photograph your maquette and discuss how you will use it for a final piece and why?

Week Ten – Write an Exam Plan March 31st

12. Write an exam plan and decide how each hour will be used, this time will also include you writing an evaluation.
13. Last minute developments and changes for improvement.
14. Ask your teacher to check your work BEFORE THE EXAM.

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GCSE Art Textiles Exam Preparation 10 hour exam Exam Dates: Week Beginning 28th April 2025

15. Make adjustments and refinements to sketchbook.

16. Make sure that all materials are available before you start your timed piece (you may have to purchase any specialist materials that the school does not stock).

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