

COWLEY

SIXTH FORM COLLEGE

A-LEVEL

ART AND DESIGN



Overview

The A-Level is a two year programme of study.

For your first term, you are given a project title – you may interpret this any way you want to; if you prefer a certain discipline such as Fine Art, Illustration, Graphics, etc. then you may pursue this avenue. You may also choose whose, or whichever cultures' work you want to study.

Your independent research will lead directly to improving your skill levels, and will prepare you for the university of your choice.

What to expect in lessons

Lessons are practice based with lots of time for one-to-one discussions.

Your independent learning is most important and you must be driven to learn more about Art.

Support

Basic art related materials are free; there are no charges for standard sketchbook or display wallets.

We have immediate access to research facilities within the department and you have access to at least one residential educational visit per year.

Art in Sixth Form offers complete artistic freedom, which allows you to explore and learn according to your own preference.



Equipment that you will need

As an Art and Design student, you will be encouraged to experiment with any media you are comfortable, and not comfortable with; you may be the world's best at it, but how would you know if you don't try?

A camera is essential – even if it's on your phone.

Progression

The majority of our students go on to further education and study a creative based subject; Architecture, Animation, Art Restoration, Theatre Design, Photography, Interior Design, Commercial Textiles, Events Management etc.