

## Gordon's School Photography Department



## **GCSE - Curriculum Map**

## **Key Words / Skills:**

Controlling a camera Manually

**Understanding Lighting** 

Understanding and applying compositional techniques

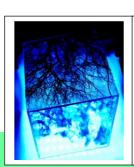
**Photoshop Skills** 

**Creative Thinking** 

Analysing an Artist's work

**Exploration of Ideas** 

Independent thinking







Externally Set Assignment by Exam Board (January)

Final Exhibition



Project 2 - 'Abstraction'

Observational Photography

Responding to given briefs



Developing ideas through research and

Refining artistic techniques





Experimenting with new

Techniques and styles

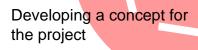


Creating a Final Piece to conclude the project

Creating Photography work on a larger scale, e.g. as an Installation

Experimenting with a range of media and Photoshop techniques

Responding to Artist ideas with own imagery and a selection of materials

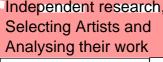




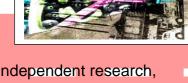


Year 11

Independent research,











Recording with the Visual Elements





Developing a range of Design Ideas

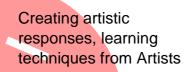
Concluding the project with a Final Piece





**Designing** a Final Piece

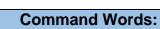




Experimenting with materials and photoshop techniques

**Artist Analysis** 

Photoshop Skills



Record

**Key Terms:** 

**Development of Ideas** 

**Critical Understanding** 

**Artist Analysis** 

**Contextual Sources** 

**Refining Work** 

**Experimentation** 

Recording

**Personal and Meaningful** 

Response

**Develop** 

**Experiment** Refine

Response





Year 10

Aperture

Lighting

**Shutter Speed** 

ISO

Compositional techniques

'Structures' project theme

**Exam Specifications:** 

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