



Bilton School Sixth Form

Art, Craft & Design – Transition Work

To prepare effectively for Art, Craft and Design, please complete the following tasks and bring them on your first day at Bilton Sixth Form. **Tasks 1-3 focus on Art, and Tasks 4-5 focus on Craft.** Please note you will complete a baseline assessment based on all five tasks.

Task 1 – Observational Drawing

Develop your understanding of formal elements: line, shape, colour, tone, texture, pattern.

- Draw a still life image from direct observation.
- Add tone and texture using your chosen media.

Task 2 – Artist Research

- Find a still life artist of your choice.
- Select one piece and write a 500-word formal analysis using the formal analysis framework.

Task 3 – Personal Response

- Create a personal response piece inspired by your chosen artist.
- Use your preferred media and apply the artist's techniques visually and in writing.

Task 4 – The Creative Process

- a. Create a flow diagram showing stages of the creative process using brief descriptions.
- b. Describe each stage:
 - Ideas generation
 - Contextual research
 - Exploration of materials, techniques, and processes
 - Feedback and review
 - Production and presentation of preliminary work and final outcome
 - Review and evaluation, with planning for future development
- c. Use online sources to find examples illustrating the creative process.

Task 5 – Sketching Practice

- Create a PowerPoint with 4 high-quality design sketch examples (2D & 3D).
- Use these to inspire 4 new A4 sketches – no tracing allowed.
- Apply 4 different rendering techniques to these sketches.
- Analyse your sketches to determine your preferred design style and reflect on your development.

Need Help?

For any questions regarding this work, contact:

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