

# A Level Art Induction Task 2022

Welcome to the A LEVEL Art course here at TCS. We are looking forward to working together and producing a wide skills-based portfolio. Throughout the two-year course we will be exploring a wide range of skills and materials to build your knowledge and understanding. As the weeks go on we expect you to be working independently and self-direct. The expectation is that you are working at home and during your study periods. The induction task is a good example of how you might manage your time and prepare for the future lessons.

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To prepare for the start of term we would like you to complete a task that will:

- Show the department what you are already capable of;
- Remind you of what you are capable of;
- Stretch your art skills and develop your experiences outside of the classroom.

You will need to present this to your teacher at your first Art lesson. Failure to do so will impact on your probation outcome.



## **Task One: Observational study.**

Produce an A4 or A3 study of at least four good sized objects that you find particularly interesting to study. Use a range of pencils and compose in a way that you think is appropriate. Consider line, mark making, tone, background, space and form.

## **Task Two: Gallery/Museum Visit.**

Present on A3 paper or two sheets of A4 (No more) a trip that you have made to see an exhibition. This could be Local (RAMM Exeter) or National. You must include 500 words (typed or written) analysing a piece of art work by an artist or the exhibition that you saw. You must include photographs or postcards

from the visit and at least 3 drawn images of work that you saw and include your response to the work.

**We are looking for:** Presentation skills – how creative and imaginative can you be? Observational drawing skills – how well you have explored the formal elements and the use of materials and the quality of written work. Have you described, explained and analysed.