

23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

This is a quick update for you with regard to your son/daughter's **GCSE Art** examination, which is rapidly approaching.

The dates of the exam are: **Group B(1) Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> April**  
**Group C(2) Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April.**

Please make sure your son/daughter is familiar with the dates of their exam, and with what they are required to bring in (see below). We have been working very hard in school to keep them organised, but as things get busier, deadlines seem to arrive very quickly.

On the date of the exam, your son/daughter will need to bring with them all their preparation work, already presented on 3x A1 boards. This needs to be completed by the first week back after Easter, in order to achieve their grade. It would be very helpful if you could check they are on track, and have included:

- research images and written artist reviews (25%)
- sketches, colour work, photos, computer artwork (25%)
- print/batik/collage experiments, and
- a FINAL PLAN of their exam piece (25%)

All work needs to be annotated in detail - they have a help sheet. More detail about this work can be found on Go4Schools (look up Art homework between Feb and March).

Thank you for your continued support. Although there is still a lot to do, there is some fantastic work being produced, and we want to help each pupil achieve their absolute best.

Yours sincerely,

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Art Teacher

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