

Curriculum Overview

Subject: Photography

Year Group: 13 A level

CHASE HIGH SCHOOL
Aspiration, Character & Excellence



Students are required to conduct a practical investigation, into an idea, issue, concept or theme, supported by written material.

The Year 13 Photography curriculum aims to develop a comprehensive understanding of photographic skills and techniques, enabling students to produce visually compelling and technically proficient work. Year 13 concludes the two-year A Level Photography programme. The goal is to refine essential skills and knowledge to become independent and confident creatives who can effectively select and utilize a variety of photography materials, techniques, and digital tools and to develop a personal response to centre based and externally set themes set by the AQA exam board.

Through the study of influential photographers and analysis of their work, students will enhance their critical thinking and analytical skills. Students will work to meet specific briefs and deadlines demonstrating their ability to communicate ideas creatively and effectively. This will prepare students to achieve success, prepare them for further education and the workplace.

TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3
<p>KNOWLEDGE/SKILLS Students are introduced to a variety of experiences that employ a range of traditional and new media, processes and techniques appropriate to the chosen area of study</p>	<p>KNOWLEDGE/SKILLS The refinement of artist study How to present information in a creative way with impact. Refinement of studio Lighting and advance camera skills.</p>	<p>KNOWLEDGE/SKILLS Refinement of the presentation of information during the investigation process. Refinement of presentation with Final Outcome Refinement of personal response to the Externally set exam.</p>
<p>KEY ASSESSMENTS Informal progress feedback Development of intent with personal response</p>	<p>KEY ASSESSMENTS Informal progress feedback Artist Research study & response Development of investigation. PPE Formal assessment</p>	<p>KEY ASSESSMENTS Progress feedback specific to topic Externally set exam</p>

Extended reading suggestions and external resources:

From the Internet:

The student Art guide; www.studentartguide.com /Photography

My Modern Met; www.mymodernmet.com /Photography