

TLS/JHS

22 September 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

## **Art/Photography GCSE Information**

I am so pleased to welcome your child to their Art or Photography GCSE. We are all looking forward to teaching them and seeing their creative education progress.

Please find below the information on the packs we sell at school to prepare your child for the course. We request that all students have an A2 portfolio as this helps with the transportation of work to and from school.

## **Photography**

Students should purchase 'Pack 1'. This includes an A2 folder and white gel pen for annotation work. They do not need to purchase any other pack.

## Fine Art

Students have 2 options. If they have art materials already at home, they can purchase the basic requirement of 'Pack 1'. If they do not already have art materials, they can purchase 'Pack 2' which includes the basic requirements and additional art materials as listed below.

There is no expectation that you must purchase them from the school. You may however find the products that are supplied are more expensive through other providers should you need to purchase them separately. We get our quality material packs at a discount through an educational supplier, non-profit to the school, so we believe these are value for money.

To order your child an Art Pack through the school, please complete the <u>Art Pack Google Form</u> and make payment via Scopay **by Wednesday 28 September 2022**.

If your child attracts Pupil Premium, please indicate this on the Google Form as the department will provide you with a pack suitable for your child's course.

If there is anything you wish to discuss, please feel free to contact me in the email below and I will be happy to get back to you.

Yours sincerely

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