



THE MOUNTBATTEN SCHOOL

TLS/NBN

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Dear Parent/Carer

Fine Art GCSE Information

I am so pleased to welcome your child to their Fine Art 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 require that all students have an A2 portfolio as this helps with the transportation of work to and from school.

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

Basic pack 'Pack 1'. This includes an A2 folder, a white gel pen for annotation work, and an A2 canvas painting board which will be given out when we reach that stage of the project. They do not need to purchase any other pack. This pack costs £15.10.

Materials pack 'Pack 2'. This includes an A2 folder, a white gel pen for annotation work, A2 canvas painting board (which will be given out when we reach that stage of the project), water soluble pencils, System 3 acrylic starter set 6x22ml, Synthetic brush set of 10, and Sketching Pencils set of 6. This pack costs £39.99.

To order your child an Art Pack through the school, please complete the [Art Pack Google Form](#) and make payment via Scopay **by Wednesday 20 September 2023**. 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.

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

If there is anything you wish to discuss, please feel free to contact me on the following email and I will be happy to get back to you - Tracy.Lyons@mountbatten.school

Yours Sincerely

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