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Highlands College	
Summer Project	
All groups	
2023/24	

SUMMER PROJECT

THE FORMAL ELEMENTS

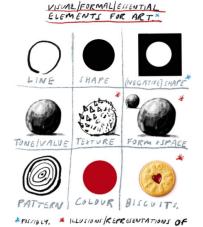
Start	Summer Break
Deadline	Induction Week Presentations

Project overview and context

The Elements of Art

The elements of art and principles of design are the fundamental components that make up an artwork. Most works of art will make use of many or all the elements and principles of art. We often judge art by how effectively the artist used these design fundamentals even before we learn about them.

The elements of art are the building blocks of an artwork, they are defined as: colour, line, shape, form, value, texture, and space.



Project description and requirements

Over the summer you are required to create a small project which will be a starting point for your initial workshops in September.

- Over the summer, research the "formal elements.
- Select a formal element.
- Create 2D or 3D/4D work combining two elements (i.e.: Shape and Colour/Line and Pattern, etc)
- Document your research defining the formal elements.
- Research and select your favourite artist, making notes on their themes, materials as well as techniques and processes.

EVIDENCE REQUIRED FOR SEPTEMBER:

- Documented definitions of the formal elements
- Visual Responses to the formal elements
- Artist research
- A Finished piece/s of work in either 2D/3D/4D

