

YEAR 11

Christmas holiday tasks

During the Christmas holidays you need to continue to develop your coursework evidence. This is the work in your sketchbooks and your portfolio.

Try to achieve some of the following as this will help you to gain more marks:

1. Go through your sketchbook and make sure that every piece of work, whether an idea, experiment or whatever, has notes with it to explain what you are doing.
2. Make sure you have plenty of sketches for each of the different projects we have completed...add more sketching from real life where you can, **in detail**.
3. Take photos to complement your sketches.
4. Make sure you have all of the following critical studies;
Franz Ackermann
Gilbert and George
Karl Blossfeldt
Robert Mapplethorpe
Georgia O'Keeffe
Frank Stella
Your Mock Exam Artist(s)
5. Evaluations of all of the following;
Franz Ackermann piece
Gilbert & George piece
Flower & Plant piece
Chair (3D)
Frank Stella painting
Mock Exam piece
6. Chair piece (background etc) needs to be finished

At February half term your whole GCSE evidence will be collected in. This includes all work in your portfolio and sketchbook that we have done since the start of the course in yr10. At this time you will also receive your GCSE exam question to begin planning for.

Judging by the mock exam project, you must ensure that you have plenty of examples of modifying and refining your ideas, plenty of ideas, plans and experiments as a lot of marks have been lost due to a great lack of this evidence!