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Dear Parent / Guardian

## **GCSE Art pack**

I am writing to let you know about the materials needed for your son/daughter's GCSE Art course in year 10. A wide range of 2D and 3D materials are provided by the department during lessons to enable a broad and exciting course. In addition, we have prepared a pack of the key items for lessons that will also be needed for working from home. This includes:

## Yr 10 Art Pack:

- 1 A3 Poly Holdall
- 1 A1 Poly Storage Bag
- 1 A3 Laminated Sketchbook
- 1 Pack of 6 Pencils (HB, B, 2B, 4B, 6B, 8B)
- 3 Paint Brushes (size 4, 6,10)
- 1 Sharpener
- 1 Eraser
- 150 x 50cm Canvas
- 1 White Pen
- 1 Fineliner
- 1 Watercolour Tin (25 colours tablet set)

We buy direct from our wholesale supplier who provides all of the materials used in art lessons and as a result the standard pack only costs £22.00. If you would rather purchase these items yourself then please use the list above. Be aware that retail prices will be higher.

You may be considering buying separately a set of acrylic paints for your son/ daughter to use at home. Should you wish to buy a set through the department they are £10.00.

Please make a payment on ParentPay by **Friday 10th June** in order to ensure all resources are ready for the start of the course in September. Should you require any assistance with the Parent Pay system please contact Daren Pryke at our school. If you are unable to contribute the full amount or are in receipt of income support or family credit, please contact me in confidence in writing by Friday 10th June 2022.

I look forward to welcoming your child to the GCSE Art course in September.

Yours sincerely

Mrs.S. Hobbs

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