



Grade Descriptors for GCSEs Graded 9-1: Art

9	<p>To adequately demonstrate an exceptional ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • skilfully and rigorously record ideas, observations and insights through drawing and annotation. • effectively develop ideas through creative and purposeful investigations and demonstrate a critical understanding of artists work. • refine ideas by thoughtfully and effectively selecting and purposefully experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes. • present a personal and meaningful response and demonstrate understanding of visual language.
8	<p>To clearly demonstrate a highly developed ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • skilfully record ideas, observations and insights through drawing and annotation. • effectively develop ideas through creative and purposeful investigations and demonstrate a critical understanding of artists work. • refine ideas by thoughtfully and effectively selecting and purposefully experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes. • present a personal and meaningful response and demonstrate understanding of visual language.
7	<p>To just demonstrate a highly developed ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • skilfully record ideas, observations and insights through drawing and annotation. • effectively develop ideas through creative and purposeful investigations and demonstrate a critical understanding of artists work. • refine ideas by thoughtfully and effectively selecting and purposefully experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes. • present a personal and meaningful response and demonstrate understanding of visual language.
6	<p>To clearly demonstrate a consistent ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • skilfully record ideas, observations and insights through drawing and annotation. • effectively develop ideas through purposeful investigations and demonstrate a critical understanding of artists work. • refine ideas by effectively selecting and purposefully experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes. • present a personal and meaningful response and demonstrate understanding of visual language.
5	<p>To adequately demonstrate a consistent ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • skilfully record ideas, observations and insights through drawing and annotation. • effectively develop ideas through purposeful investigations and demonstrate critical understanding of artists work. • refine ideas by effectively selecting and purposefully experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes. • present a personal and meaningful response and demonstrate understanding of visual language.
4	<p>To convincingly demonstrate a moderate ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • skilfully record ideas, observations and insights through drawing and annotation. • effectively develop ideas through purposeful investigations and demonstrate critical understanding of artists work. • refine ideas by effectively selecting and purposefully experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes. • present a personal and meaningful response and demonstrate understanding of visual language.
3	<p>To adequately demonstrate a moderate ability to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • skilfully record ideas, observations and insights through drawing and annotation.



	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• effectively develop ideas through purposeful investigations and demonstrate critical understanding of artists work.• refine ideas by effectively selecting and purposefully experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes.• present a personal and meaningful response and demonstrate understanding of visual language.
2	To adequately demonstrate some ability to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• record ideas, observations and insights through drawing and annotation.• develop ideas through purposeful investigations and demonstrate critical understanding of artists work.• refine ideas by selecting and experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes.• present a personal and meaningful response and demonstrate understanding of visual language.
1	To clearly demonstrate minimal ability to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• record ideas, observations and insights through drawing and annotation.• develop ideas through investigations and demonstrate critical understanding of artists work.• refine ideas by selecting and experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes.• present a personal and meaningful response and demonstrate understanding of visual language.