



Textile design

KS3

What will I learn?

The first textiles module is a 12-lesson project for year 9; they will build on their core textiles knowledge and develop decorative and constructive textiles skills. Student will produce shorts with a strong theme. There is an opportunity to extend textiles skills through: CAD/CAM embroidery machines and sublimation prints. Focus is given on design developments through pattern adaptations and applying decorative textiles techniques.

If students choose to take GCSE textiles as an option, in the summer term students will complete a focused fashion project. The project will focus on printmaking and decorative fabric techniques inspired by Biomimicry; students will develop essential design and textiles skills to move onto the GCSE courses.

What will I do?

Autumn term- students will design and make a pair of shorts based on their chosen theme.

Summer term- students will design and make a biomimicry inspired fashion product.

The skills learned in both projects are: investigation, designing, hand and machine sewing skills, dyeing and print making skills, testing and evaluative skills.

How will I be assessed?

Students will be assessed on their investigative skills, designing skills, hand and machine sewing skills, dyeing and print making skills, testing and evaluative skills. The assessments for each skill will be based on a clear and defined success criteria for students to follow.