

Title **GCSE Combined Arts**

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Examination Board: Pearsons Edexcel

Qualifications: GCSE Art, Craft and Design

Tiers: N/A

Grades: 1-9

Introduction: A new GCSE Art Course that will include the following areas of study:
Theatre design and set making – designing
Stage Make Up – creating and applying the make-up for school productions.
Puppets and Animation – creating your own puppets and sets for a performance, including shadow puppets and traditional puppets.
Creating stop motion animation.

What will I study each year?

- Y9** Introduction to theatre design and set making and then designing stage sets and props for the school Christmas pantomime and the summer whole school production.
Stage Make Up – creating and applying the make-up for the school Christmas Pantomime.
- Y10** Introduction to puppet construction and basic stop motion animation.
Complete full scale puppet and stop motion animation project.
Completing theatre design and set making for the summer whole school production.
- Y11** Individual GCSE Coursework project using skill and ideas experienced during the course.
GCSE Examination project starts in January of Year 11.

How will my work be assessed?

The final mark is made up of 60% Coursework and 40% Examination completed during a 10 hour examination at the end of the course.

Why study Combined Arts?

A course for those students who have an interest in Performing Arts and traditional model making and stop motion animation

Extra-curriculum activities

Working on school productions and gallery and performance visits

What would this subject enable me to do when I finish school?

This subject will lead to a range of Art and Design courses in the sixth form and is a unique course only offered by the Giles Academy.

How parents or other members of the public can find out more about the curriculum your subject is following

