



# The Aylesbury Vale Academy

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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 11 Art students are currently completing their individual final major projects and are working towards the final deadline for the BTEC course.

It is important for all students to hand their completed projects in during the lesson on **Thursday 26 May** which should include the following:

#### Final Major Project Checklist

- Mind-map exploring Memories and Association
- Homework – Observational drawing of chosen personal objects (in pencil)
- A range of charcoal and chalk drawings from observation
- 2 x A3 mixed media drawing from using charcoal drawings as inspiration
- Homework – Collect things to do with your memories i.e. pictures, postcards, quotes, lyrics, small objects, photographs, words, coins, letters. Present in a sketchbook.
- Take photos/sketch/collect images of things relating to your initial ideas.
- Research 2 artists and present information
- Homework – 2 pieces in the style of your artists
- 3 mixed media tiles
- Batik samples
- Fabric painting samples
- Screen printing samples
- Step-by-step process of the 3 above techniques
- 6 design ideas
- Development ideas
- Final design with annotation
- Final piece
- Evaluation

This along with all other coursework projects, (listed below) will be marked as a whole to generate an overall final grade. The marking will take place over the half term break, hence if any work listed is not handed in by the deadline a final grade cannot be given and the student will fail the course.

Project	Title
1	Induction Drawing
2	Sculpture <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Henry Moore</li><li>• Lion King</li></ul>
3	Cubism
4	Final Major Project: Memories and Association

In light of the deadline I expect students to attend all lessons, except when there are external exams timetabled. The Art department will also be open at the end of each day for any student who requires extra time or assistance in completing all their projects.

There is no excuse for not meeting this very important and final deadline.

If you have any queries or would like to discuss this with me further please do not hesitate in getting touch.

Many thanks for all your support.

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