



Art at Chaucer School

Art is taught as a discrete subject with one full time teacher plus some additional teaching from staff primarily from within DT.

The Art department is extremely well equipped, with a very broad range of art equipment and consumables for both 2D and 3D work including our own kiln room. The teaching rooms have interactive white boards and a teacher computer.

Curriculum

All students are taught a lesson of Art every week in years 7, 8 and 9. In year 10 and 11 students can choose to study Art currently offered as a short fat course with 5 lessons per week. We currently have both Y10 and Y11 KS4 classes.

Extended Curriculum

Art, Drama and Music offer clubs both at lunch times and in after school sessions every week. There are regular performances and exhibitions of students work during the year.

The School Environment

The school environment is very well cared for and is seen as place to exhibit and showcase students' work. Students recently worked with a visiting artists to work with steel and mosaics to create an anti-bullying tree sculpture which is now on display outside our canteen.

There are display cabinets throughout the school which showcase the work of each department. The quality of work and its presentation is a very high standard and the work requires regular refresh.

In addition, there are further plans to make our corridors and spaces a vehicle for expressing our school values through the display of motivational quotes from students, staff and celebrities.

The art technician and our display technician work together in supporting the presentation of work and whole school events.