



The Oakwood
Academy

Expressive Arts Faculty

The Art department works within a wider Expressive Arts Faculty alongside Drama, Music and Dance. Art is a popular subject in the school and we have a good uptake at KS4. Results have followed an upward trend in recent years. We work within two spacious classrooms and benefit from a kiln room with two kilns. The department follows the EdExcel GCSE Art and Design Specification.

At Key Stage 3 we focus on building skills and creativity with a strong practical emphasis on drawing to develop good practice for Key Stage 4.

The GCSE course starts in Year 9 and this allows us three years to develop students coursework and examination projects. Students have 4 hours of Art lessons per fortnight in year 9 and gain an extra lesson in Year 11.

Art is a vibrant subject within the school and the staff work hard to provide stimulating, creative and challenging work that allows students with the skills they require but allows them also the freedom to pursue their own creative paths.

If you are interested in joining our team and driving future success then we shall be delighted to receive your application.

Mr David Tebbs

Faculty Leader – Expressive Arts

