

Year 8 THRESHOLD CRITERIA

AO3 will be formally assessed each cycle and recorded on school reports. The other three assessment objectives will be formatively assessed once each cycle.

ART

	AO1	AO2	AO3	AO4
	Develop ideas through investigations, demonstrating critical understanding of sources.	Refine work by exploring ideas, selecting and experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes.	Record ideas, observations and insights relevant to intentions as work progresses.	Present a personal and meaningful response that realises intentions and demonstrates
EXCELLENT	You have shown a creative ability to develop and investigate ideas. You have used source material confidently to inform your work.	You are able to creatively explore media, materials and techniques appropriate to your personal intentions.	You have demonstrated a creative ability to record your ideas in a variety of different ways such as drawing, painting and mixed media.	You are able to skilfully realise your intentions and produce personal and meaningful responses.
PROFICIENT	You have shown an assured ability to develop and investigate ideas. You have used source material confidently to inform your work.	You are able to confidently explore media, materials and techniques appropriate to your personal intentions.	You have demonstrated confidence in recording your ideas in a variety of different ways such as drawing, painting and mixed media.	You are able to appropriately realise your intentions and produce personal and meaningful responses.
DEVELOPING	You have shown a competent and consistent ability to develop and investigate ideas. You have used source material effectively to inform your work.	You are able to competently and consistently select media, materials and techniques appropriate to your intentions.	You have demonstrated a competent ability to record your ideas in a variety of ways such as drawing, painting and mixed media.	You have shown a competent ability to realise your intentions and produce personal responses to initial ideas.
ACQUIRING	You have shown an emerging ability to develop and investigate ideas. You have used source material competently to inform your work.	You show an emerging ability to select media, materials and techniques appropriate to your intentions.	You have shown an emerging ability to record your ideas in a variety of ways such as drawing, painting and mixed media.	You have shown an emerging ability to realise your intentions and produce responses to initial ideas.