



Holiday card competition winner!! Zuzanna Maliszewska, Year 8

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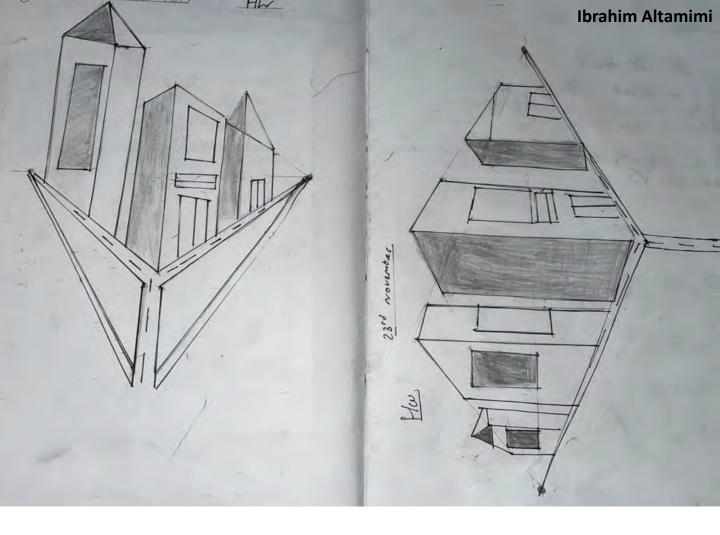
And just like that, two more school terms have passed!

Last year, we said farewell to Year 13 and to our brilliant students that went off to some of the UK's top Art universities. We have a new cohort of Year 7's who have made a fantastic start to their time at Paddington Academy and who are following in the footsteps of older students.

This year, the focus for us as an Art, Design & Technology department has been on excellence and reaching the PA gold standard. We are so happy to be back in practical classrooms and teaching in ways we know are most effective. By continuing to drive high standards, we aim for students in every year group to take pride in their work and put in 100% effort.

Alongside reintroducing students to wet media this year, we are thrilled to also announce that this newsletter will include work made by Design and Technology students as a part of our never-ending mission to celebrate a broad and rich curriculum for students.

In this issue, you will see what students had been up to during the first term. We hope you enjoy it!

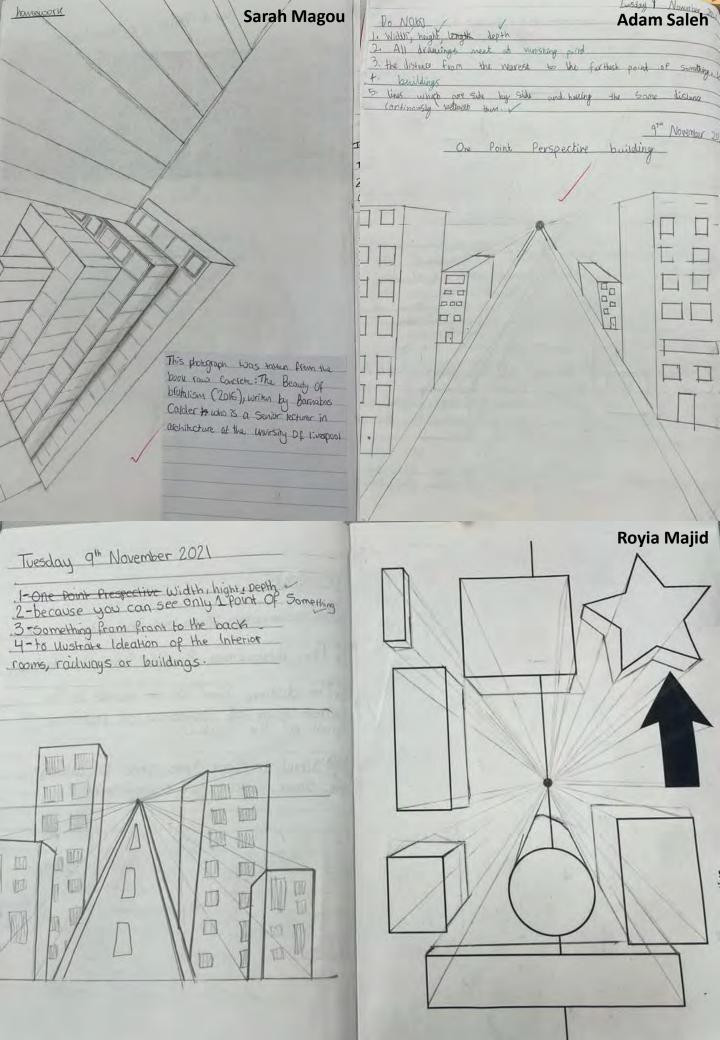


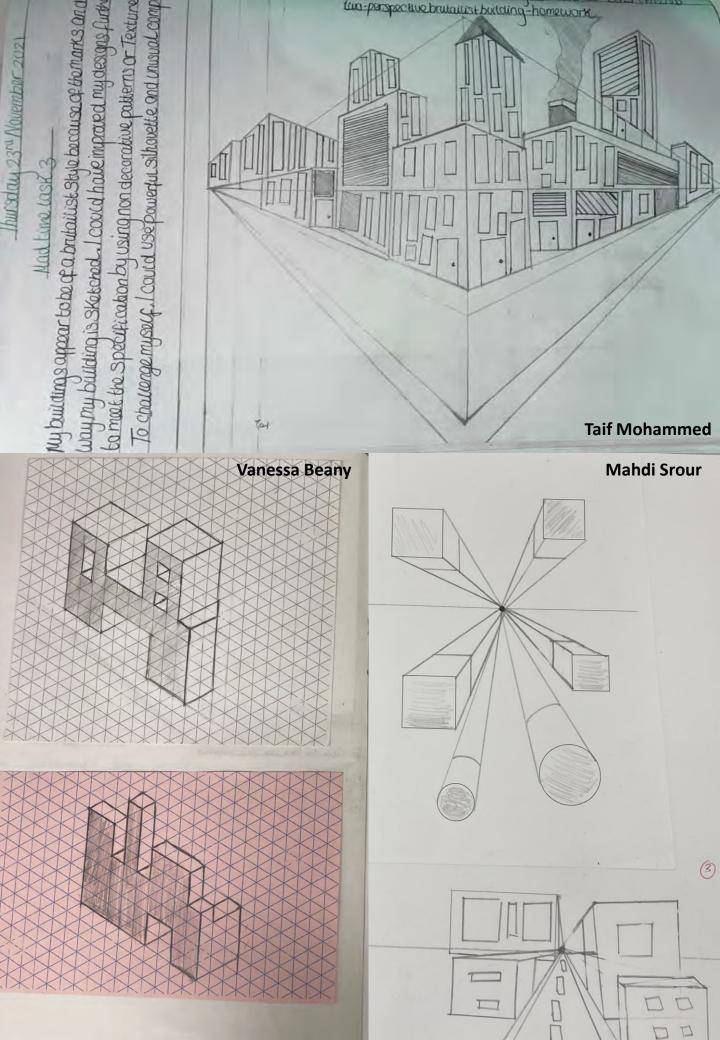
Year 7 Design Technology

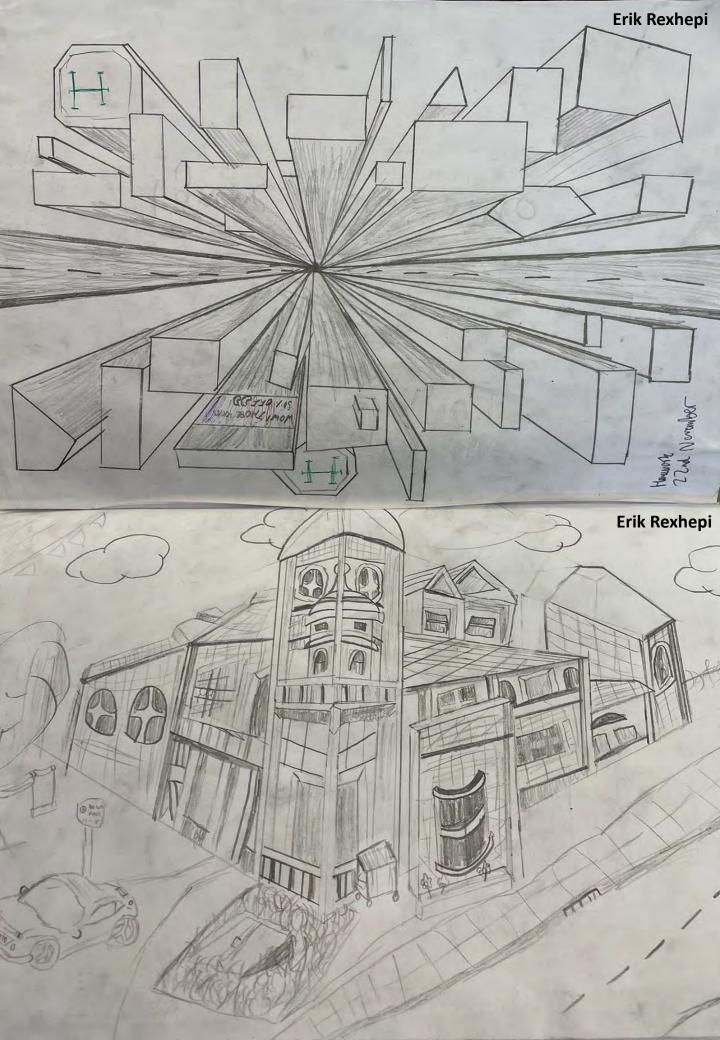
This term, Year 7 DT students explored Brutalism, learning the core practices of design. Students have developed their understanding of technical drawing, with a particular focus on forced perspectives and architecture.

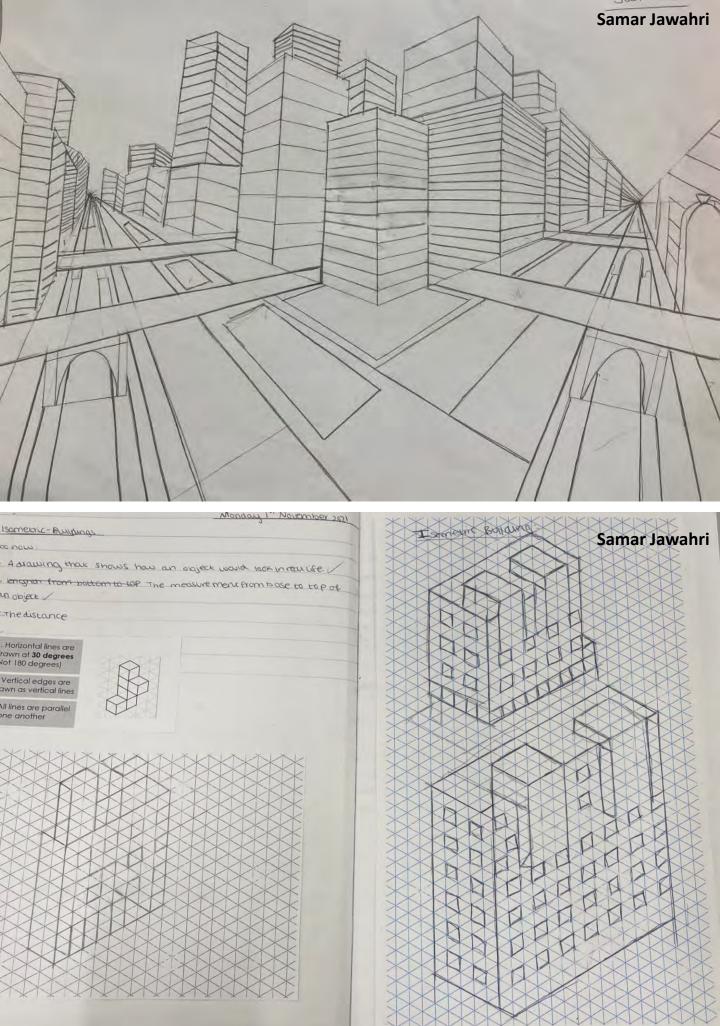
Students began the project practicing 3 core perspective techniques; 1 point, 2 point and isometric drawing. They have been able to apply this understanding through a series of technical and experimental drawings before being presented with a design brief.

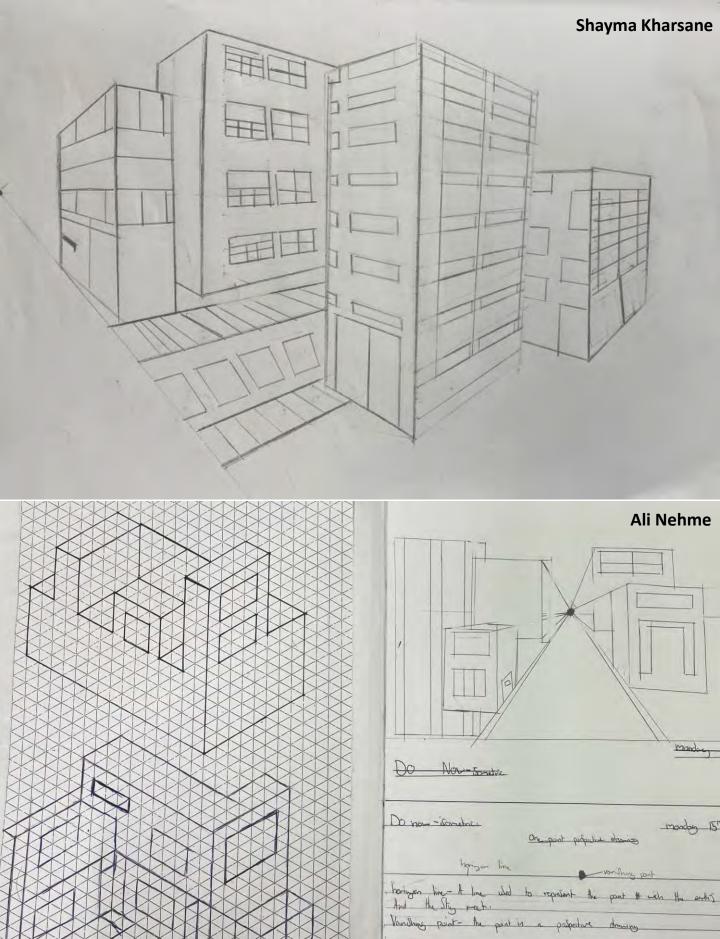
To design their final Brutalist-inspired buildings, students worked with architectural collage and abstract forms to produce original and interesting outcomes. Students generated a series of plans relevant to their research into Brutalism and were able to use techniques architects still use today.

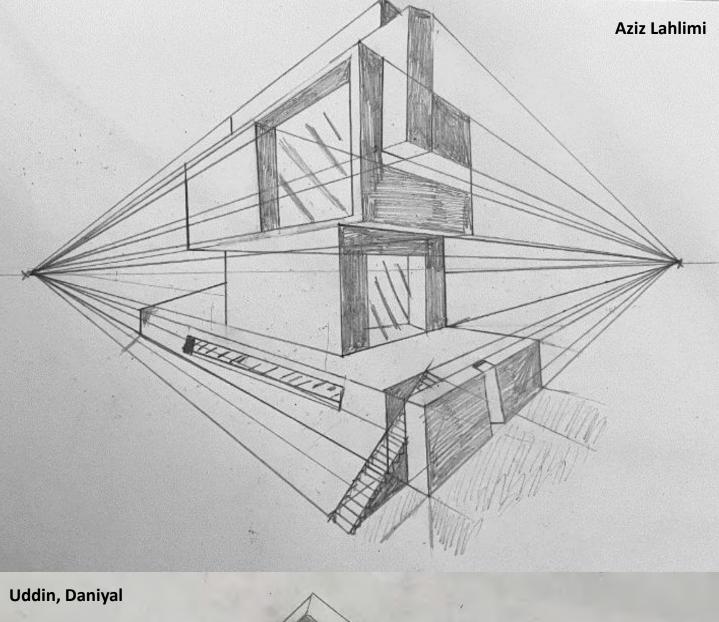




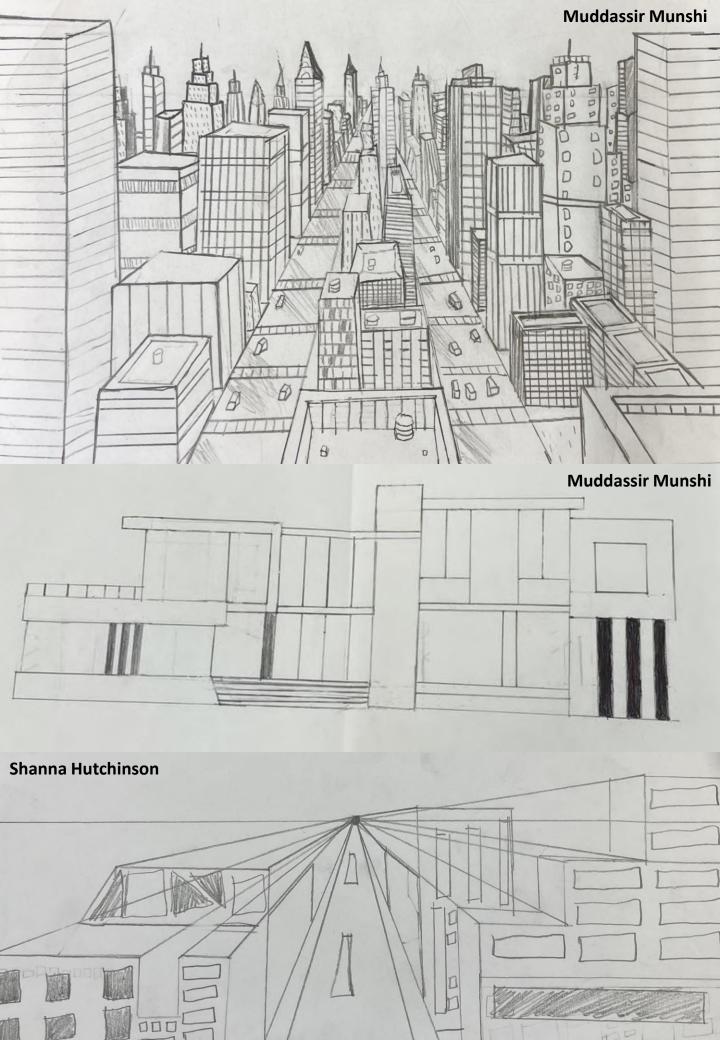


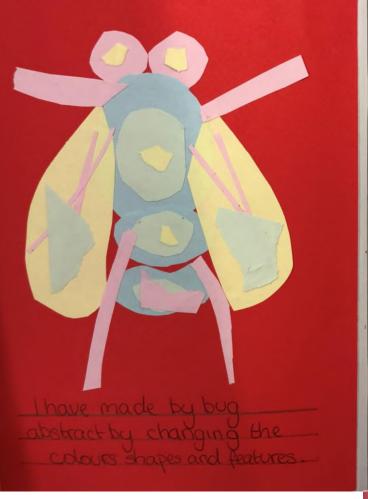


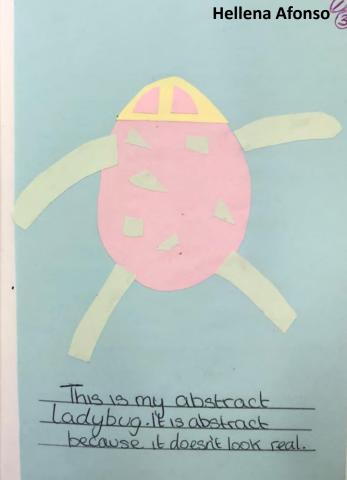












Year 7 Art

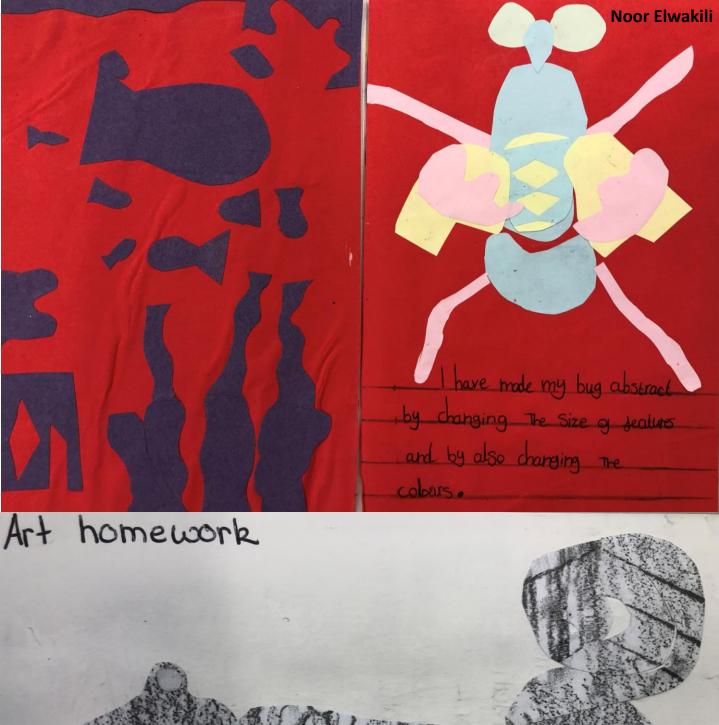
This term, Year 7 Art students explored the formal elements by first gaining an understanding of abstraction and collage.

Using the cut-outs of Henri Matisse, Alexander Calder, Hans Arp and Max Ernst as inspiration, students produced a range of experimental drawings and rubbings to make grounds to which they can create a series of abstracted forms.

Students also had the opportunity to develop their existing understanding of colour theory and still life, using paint to colour mix and create gradients.

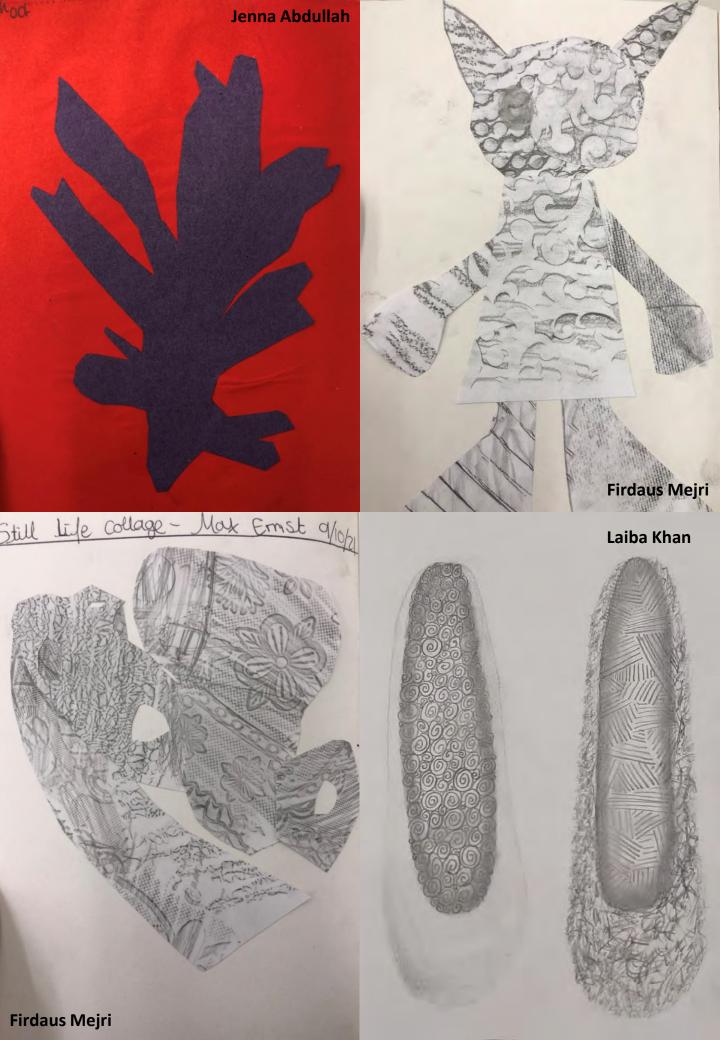
The project culminated with a number of abstract paper cut-outs combining collage, experimental mark-making and colour.











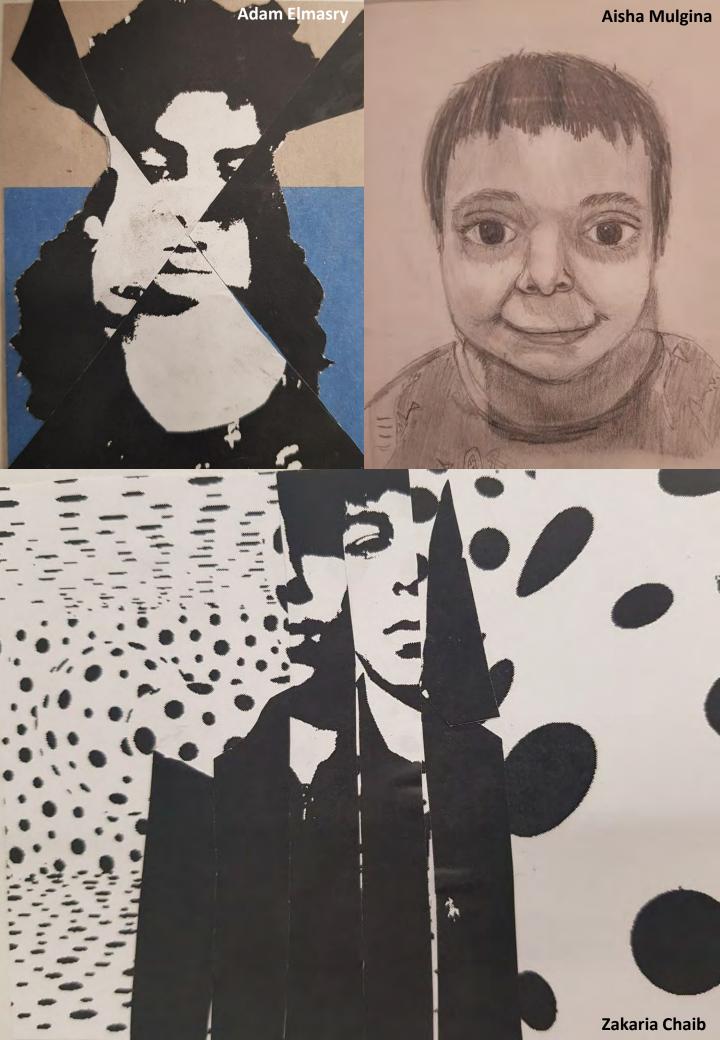


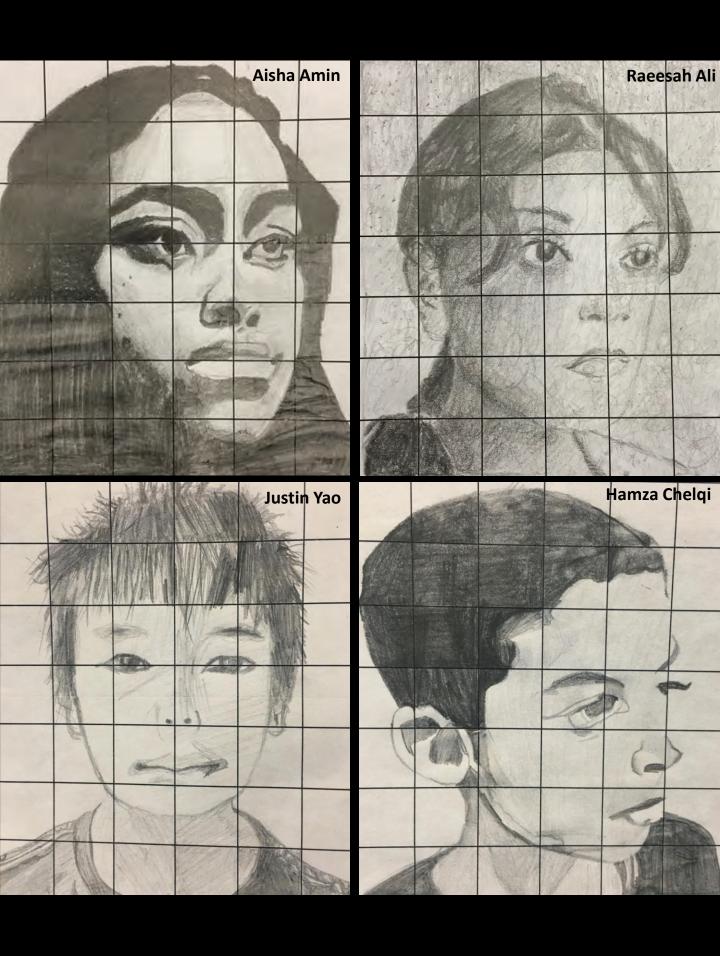
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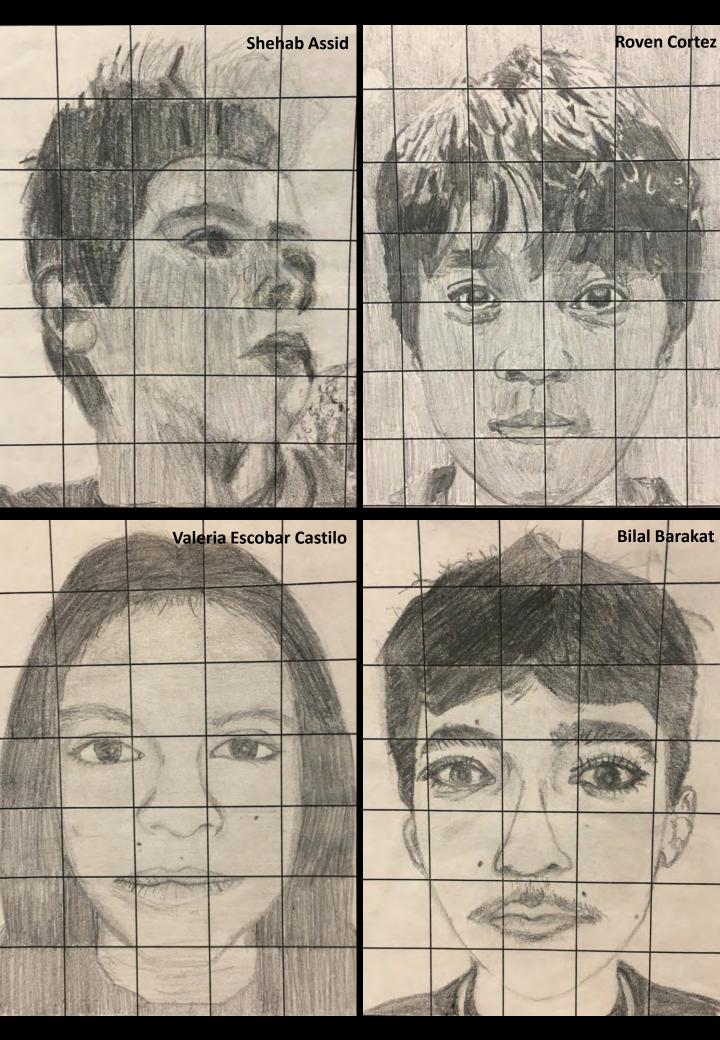
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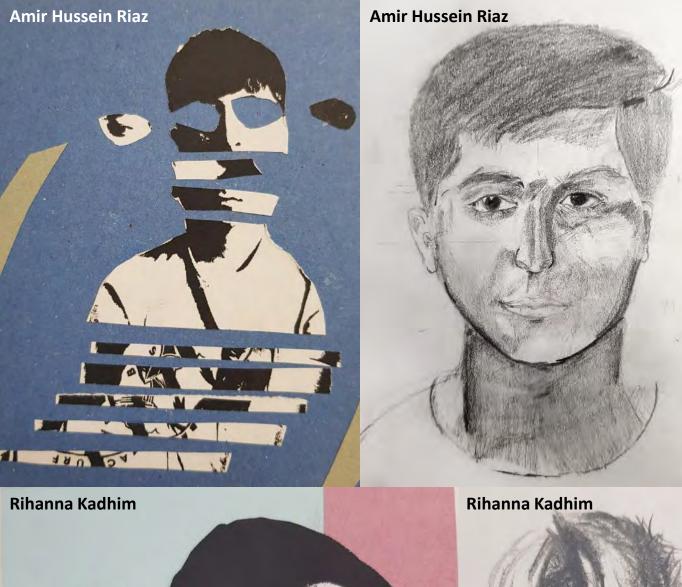
This term, Year 8 explored a range of historical and contemporary artists, who explore self-portraiture. Students began the term developing their understanding of self-portraiture initially by learning about the correct proportions, bone and muscle structure and how they influence and communicate emotion, feeling and expression.

Students were introduced to photomontage and photomanipulation techniques to help them plan a double plate lino-print self portrait that captures their learning.







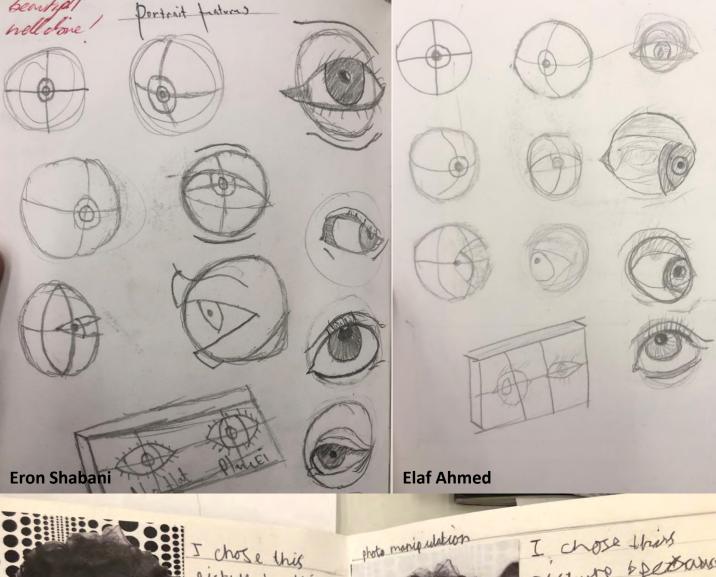














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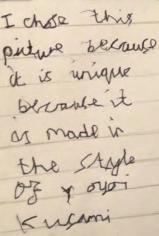
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Year 9

This term, Year 9 explored the relationship between the effects of war on an individual by investigating the work of Kathe Kollwitz, Otto Dix, Pablo Picasso and Syrian artist Imranov.

Students experimented with various mark-making techniques using biro drawings, lino cutting and mixed media presentation that describe the relationship between line and mood through colour. Students also explored context using their own photographs to create a number of meaningful outcomes with symbolism.

EVENING NEWS

26th April 1937 - Bombing of Guernica



Artwork by Pablo Picasso - 1937 - Guernica Gernikara

tollowing after the bombing of Guernica Picasso put together a large black-and-white painting in 1937. His artwork quickly gained publicity as it was very moving and a powerful anti-war oil painting, above that it gained worldwide attention to the Spanish civil war. He created this artwork in his home in paris in order to otray the sickening amount of violence and suffering aused by Germans to Guernica. The main message this ainting gives the audience is that war is absolutely chaotic and will only cause more pain and destruction. The oil painting is around 3:49 meters tall and 7.76 meters across, in this image your able to see a screaming women and another women lighting up a path with a candle. The size of his painting says to convey a message, which shows that he truly cares about this appauling situation. Picasso also created this artwork in response to the bonibing because he wanted people to understand the massive impacts war inflicts upon individuals, mainly innocent, helpless civilians. His artwork clearly displays the horrors of war and depicts a clear image of what happened in Guernica. The artwork 'Guernica' took from 26th April 1937 to June 1937 to create and it is evidently obvious with the amount of detail the famous artist Picasso put into his work.

on April 26th 1937 Germany flew over the Basque town of Guernice dropping bombs onto it on behalf of Franco and the nationalist government . People have begun to Speculate the reason behind the bombing that afternoon, one person has said they believe the attack was deliberd however we have yet to know the truth behind it. The sociage attack by the Germans took place during the spanish civil war and the Basque government reported that a shocking number of 1654 people were killed at the time and that there were around 130 casualties. The aerial bombing of the basque town of Guernica happened at around 16:30 to 19:30 mudering hundreds of civilians who even after death remain innocent. As far as research tells us is that Wolfram Freiherr von Richthofen was the person who originally came up with the plan to bomb Guernica. The Spanish Artist Pablo Picasso know for using cubism created a piece of artwork on the bombing in Guernica.





In my print there is an explosion in the back round which represents the chaos during the war. It communicates emotions of despoir, sadness and loss. This can be seen on my facial expression as I have got a miserable face on. My print shows the influence of Kathe Kollwitz because

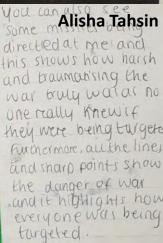
the stress on my face is clear from my furrowed eyebrows and depressing eyes.

My printreflects how the victims of poverty, hunger and war Alt during olden times. I have tried to create a sense of anguish and pain as this is what many felt during those times as they war many loved one.





In my prints I have created a series of different colour combinations for my background and main focus. My personal favourities the red and black one because I think the red accurately demonstrates the brutal realities of war and how bloody and how first it was. The black for the foreground imprints an image of severe loss and death.





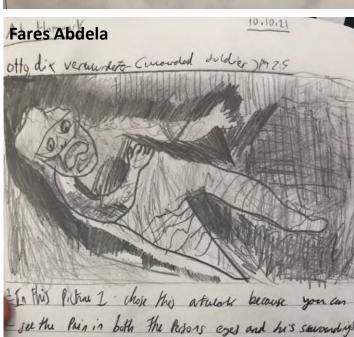








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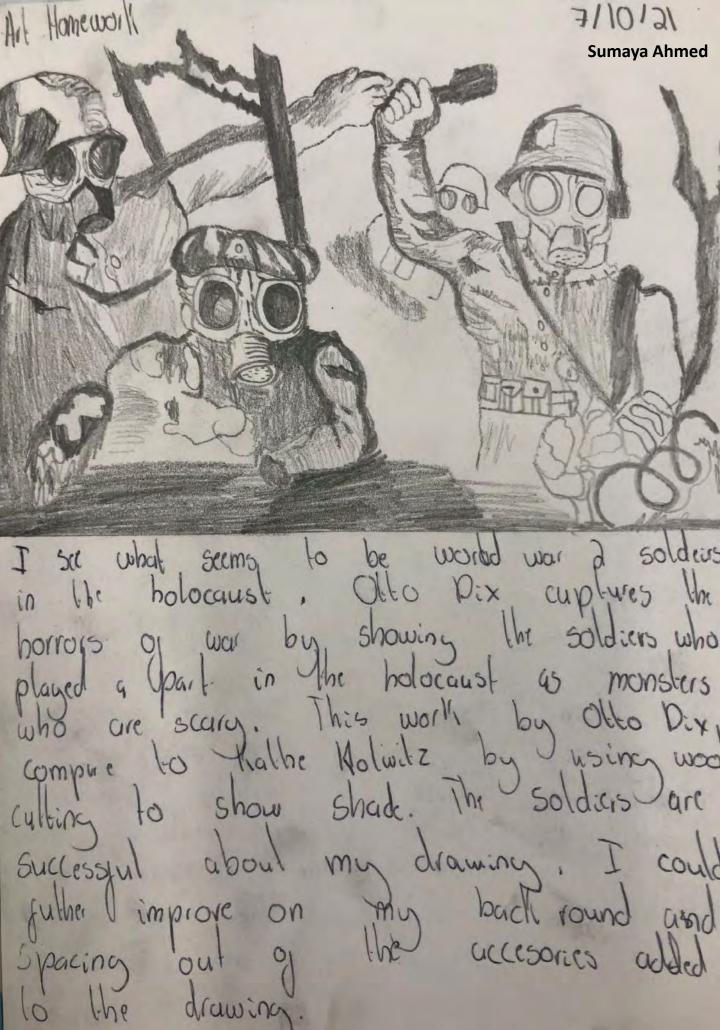
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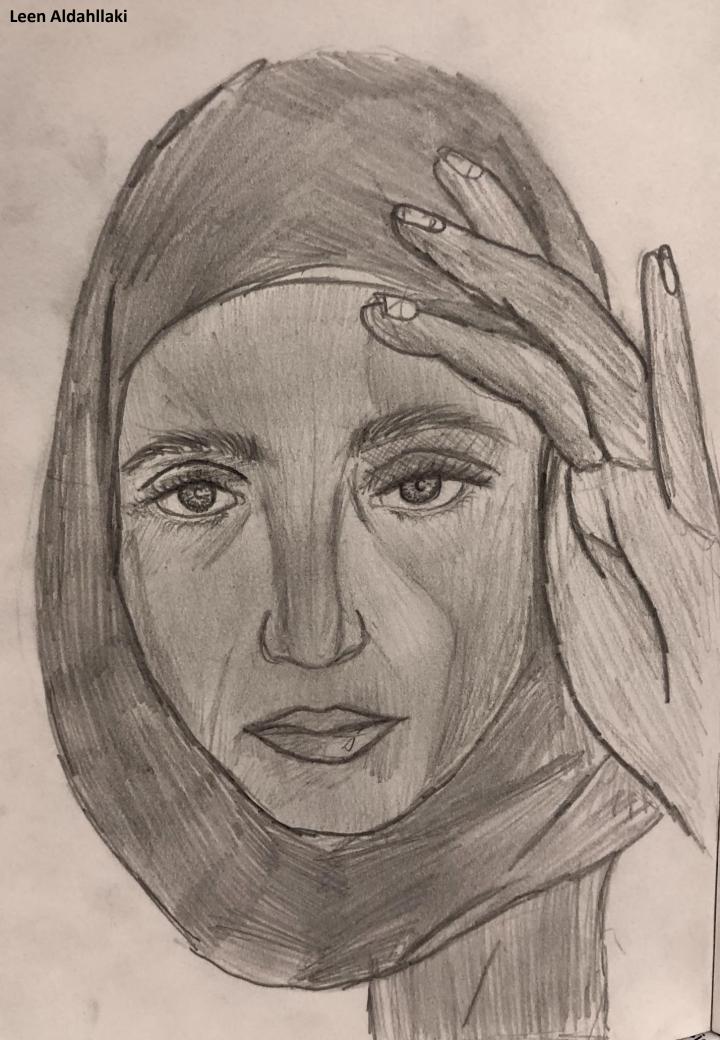


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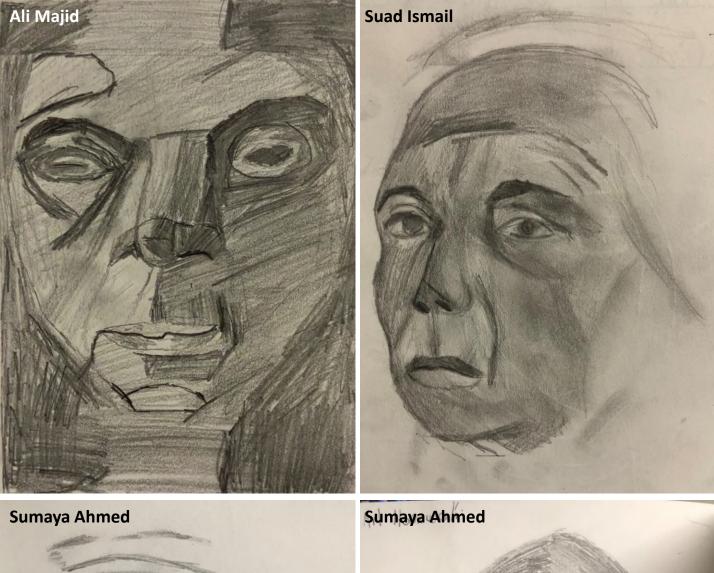


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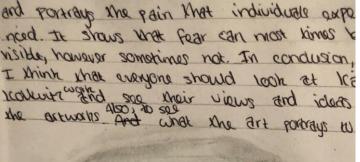








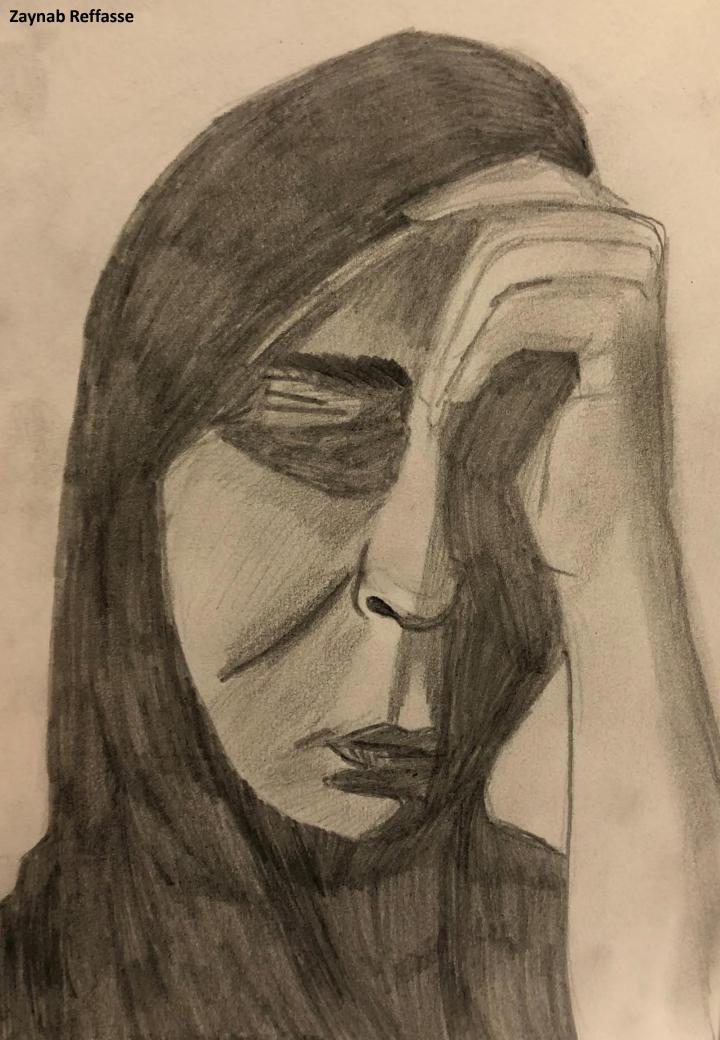


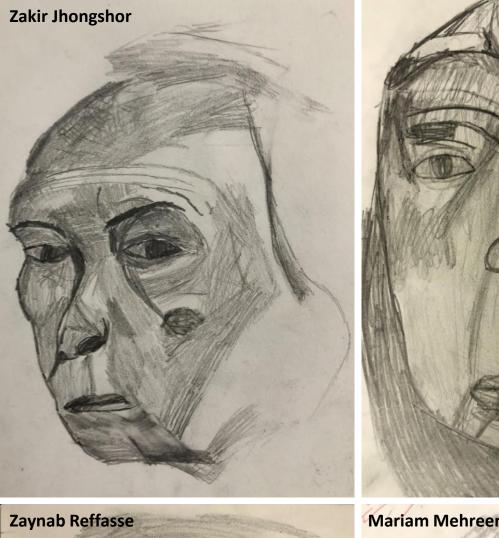




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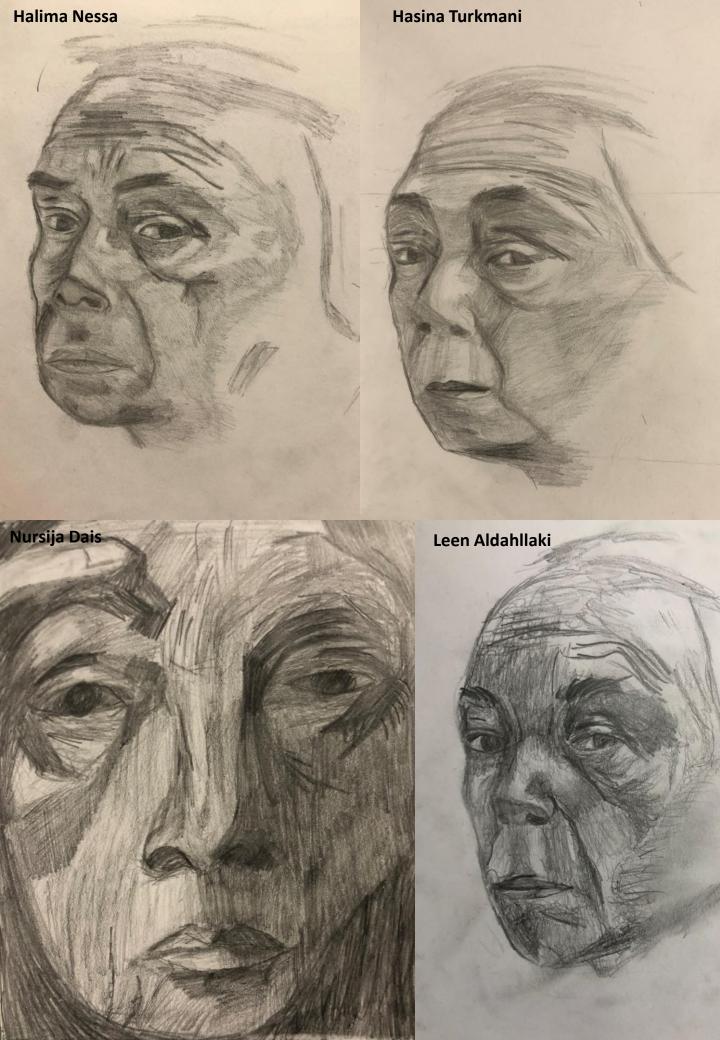


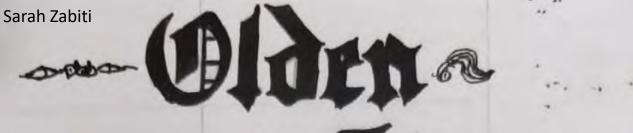












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THE WORLDS OLDEST NEWSPAPER



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Year 10

This term, our Year 10 students were introduced to GCSE through a range of foundation skills in Art, Craft and Design, focusing on portraiture.

Students explored a range of techniques using drawing, etching, painting and photography. Students also spent time developing their skills in writing for and about Art. These skills will provide an opportunity for students to develop their ideas, making, recording and a series of diverse outcomes.



































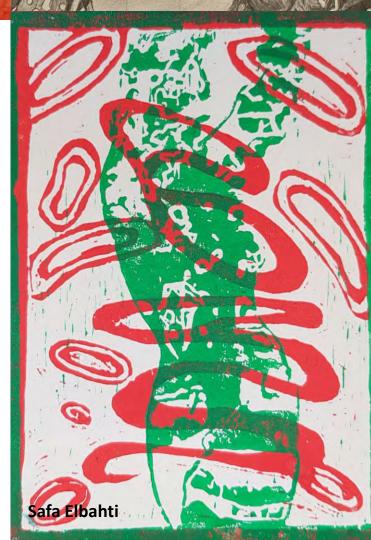


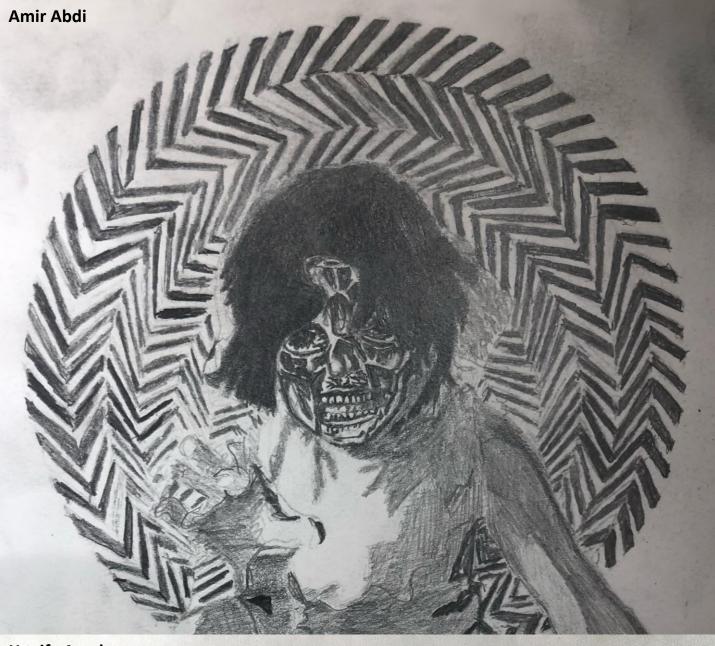


drawing, collage, manipulation, painting, ink and bleach and lino printing.

Students were encouraged to create different responses to one and other to push their creativity.

These projects culminated in students final that creating outcome communicates their ideas.





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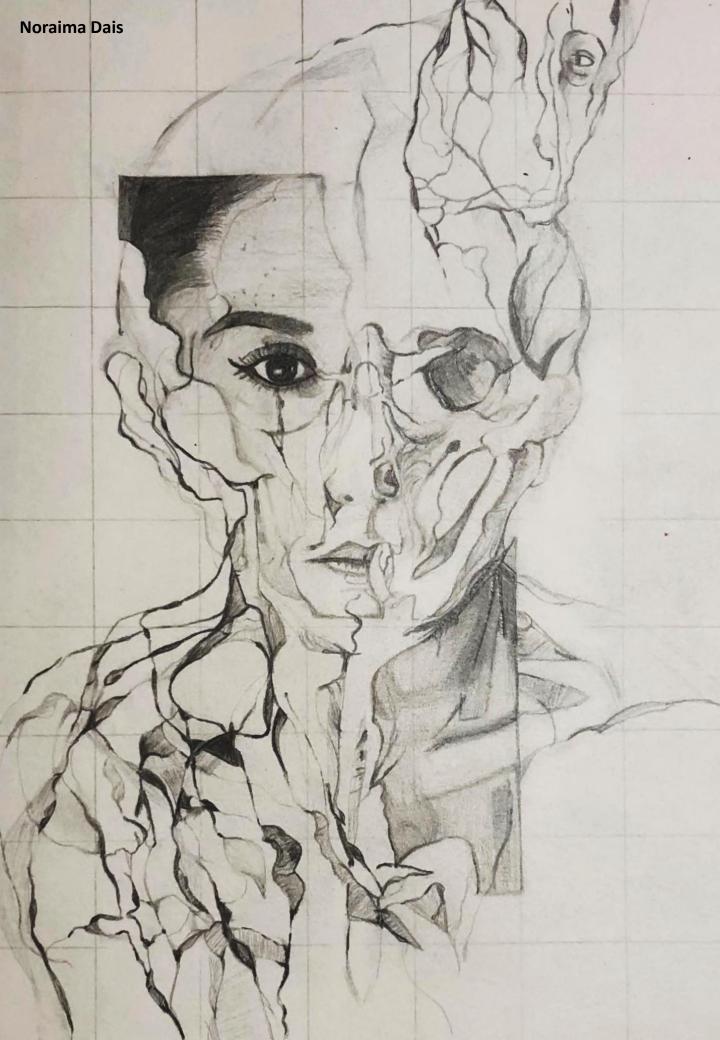


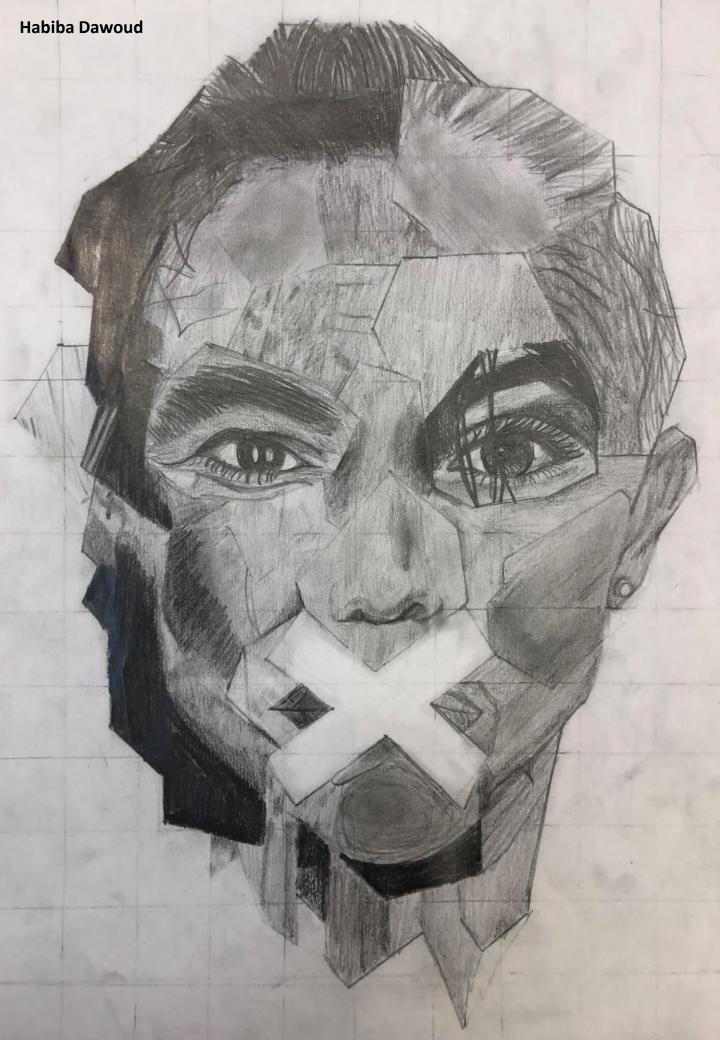


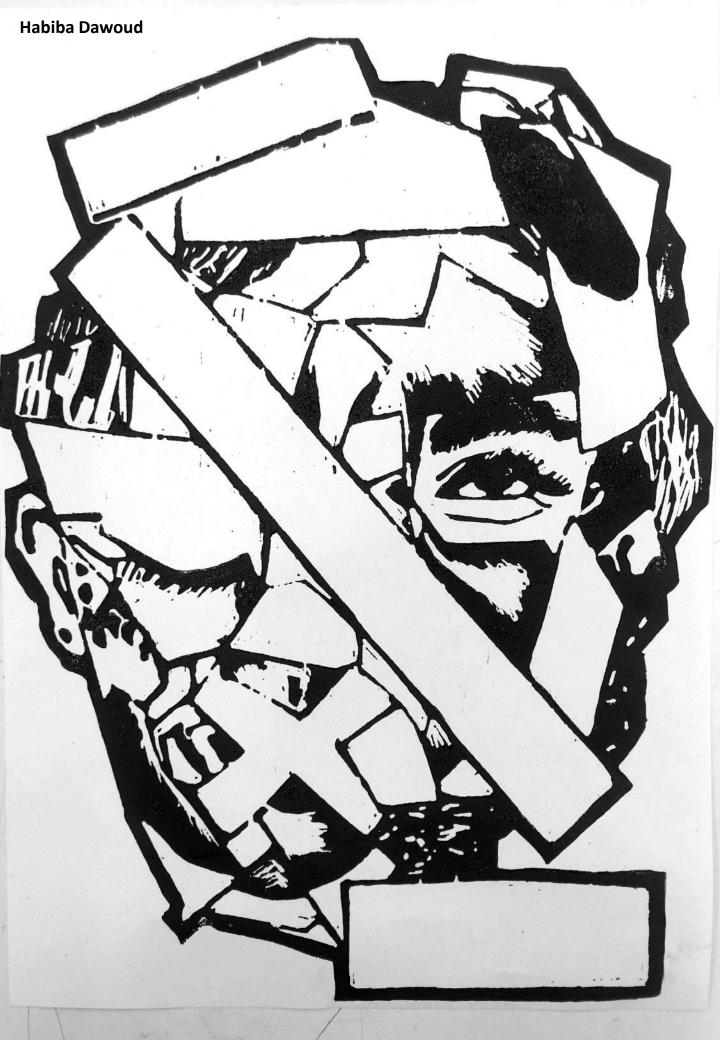


Hannah Krebs Rocha





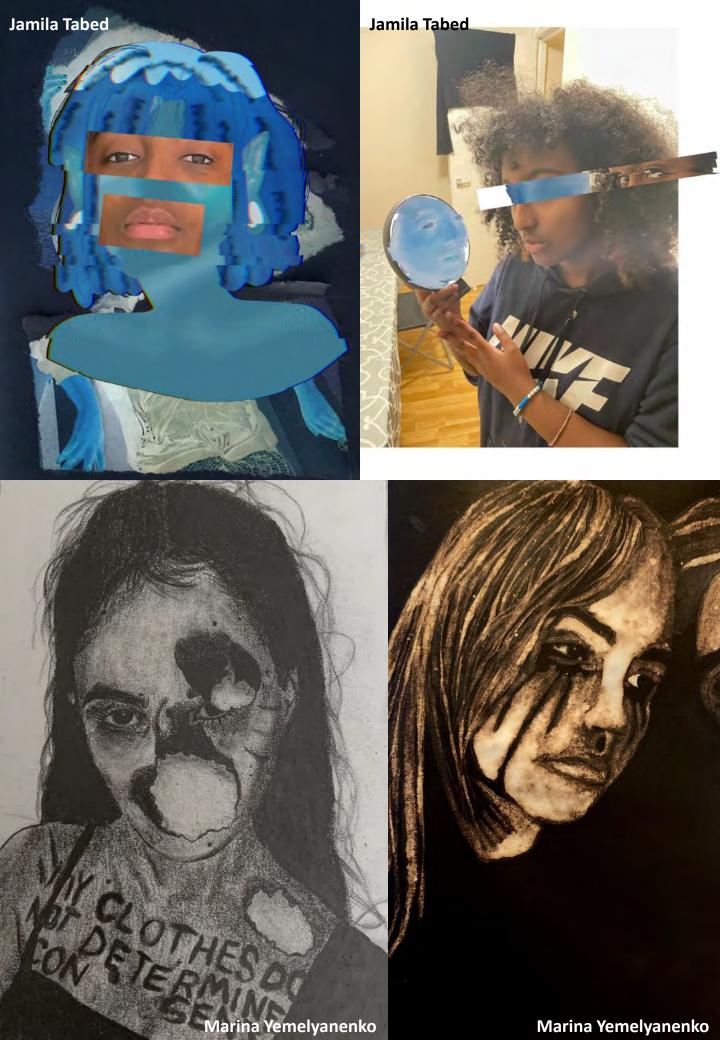


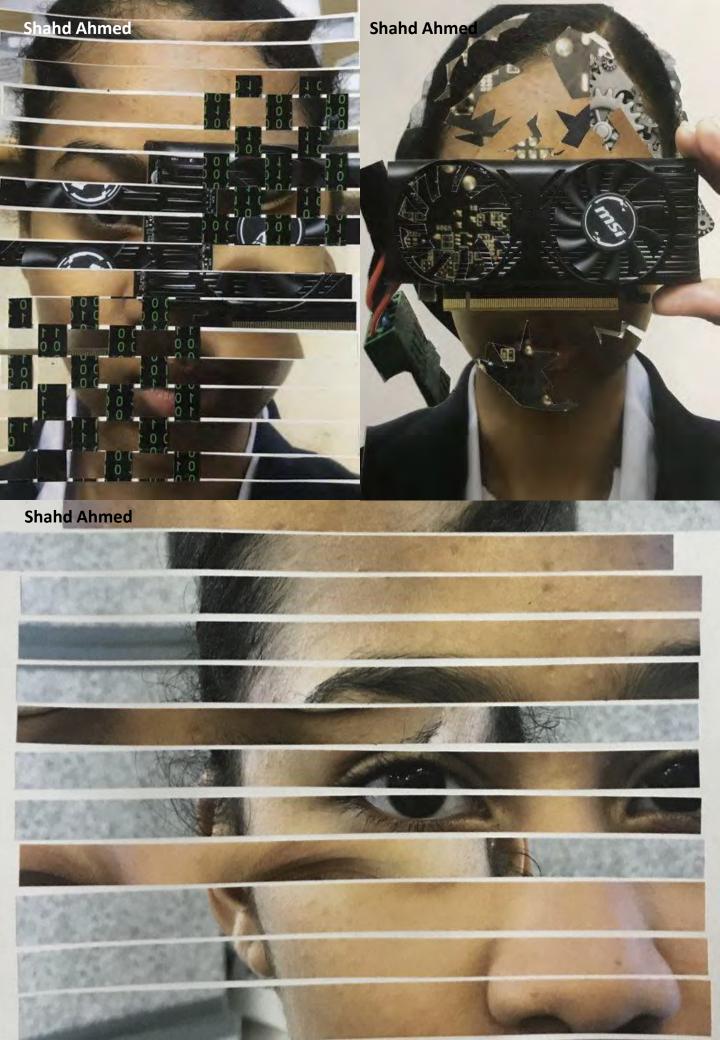


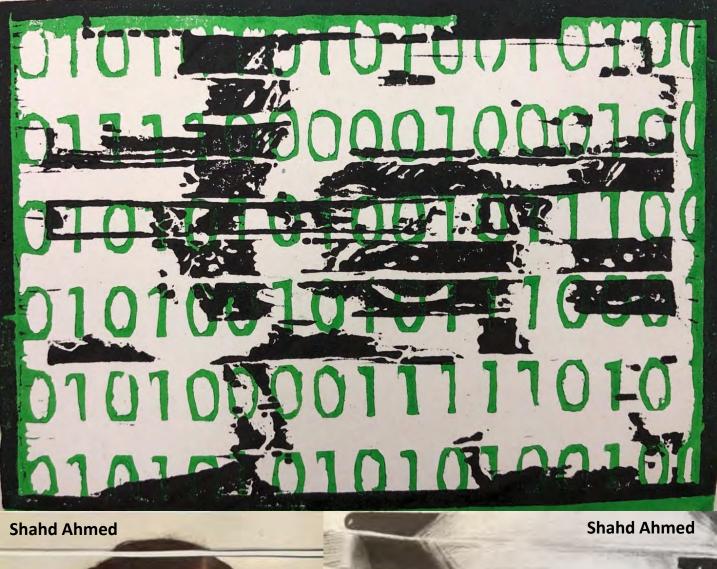


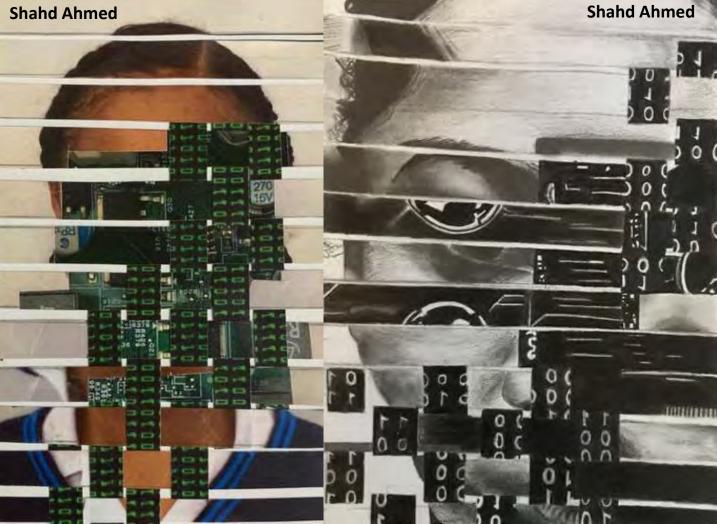




























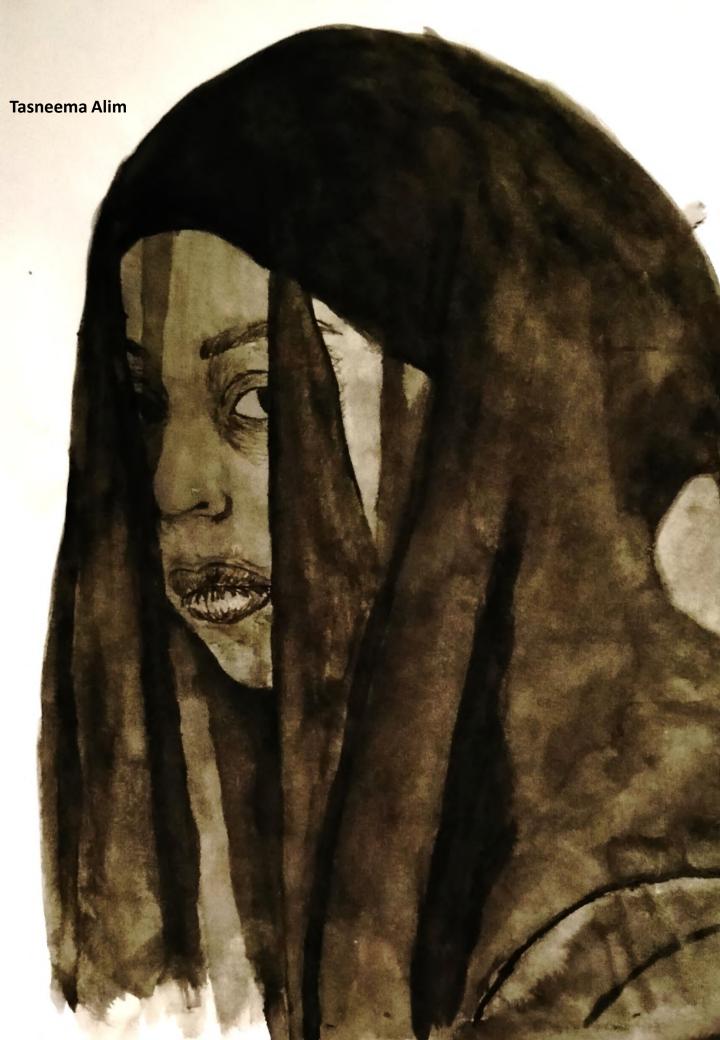


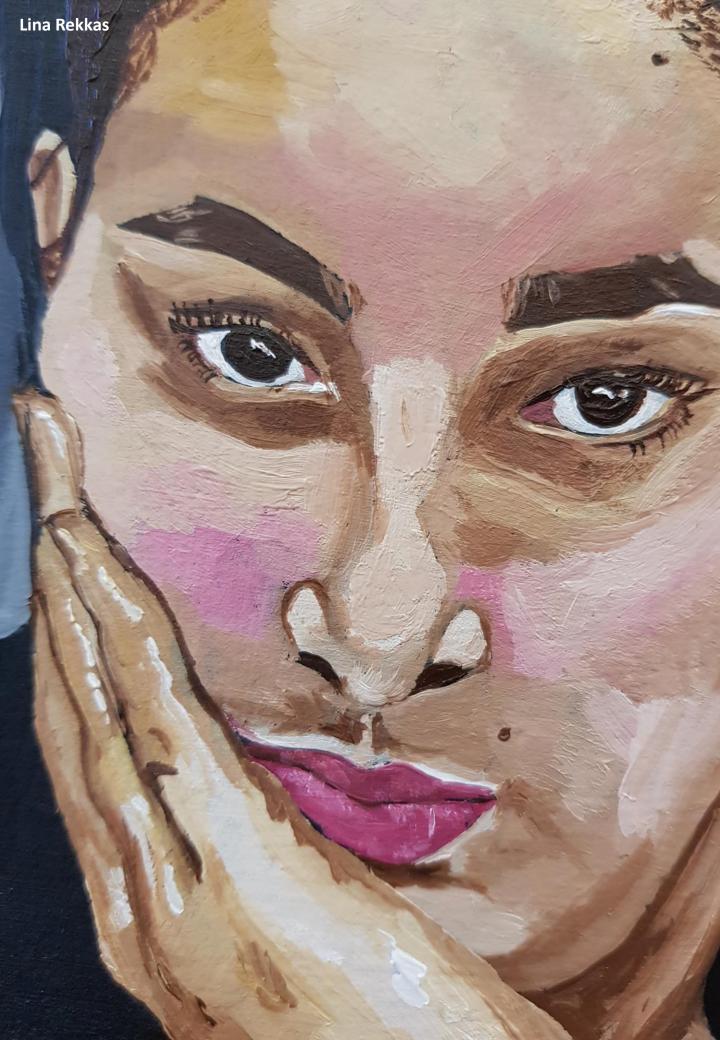
This term, our Year 12 students transitioned from GCSE to A Level by refining their skills in portraiture using a diverse range of media. Students were introduced to new media such as oil painting and biro pen with hairspray alongside revisiting drawing, watercolour painting, ink, photography, collage and photomanipulation. We chose to really push our A Level students out of their comfort zones this term making them work spontaneously and gesturally.





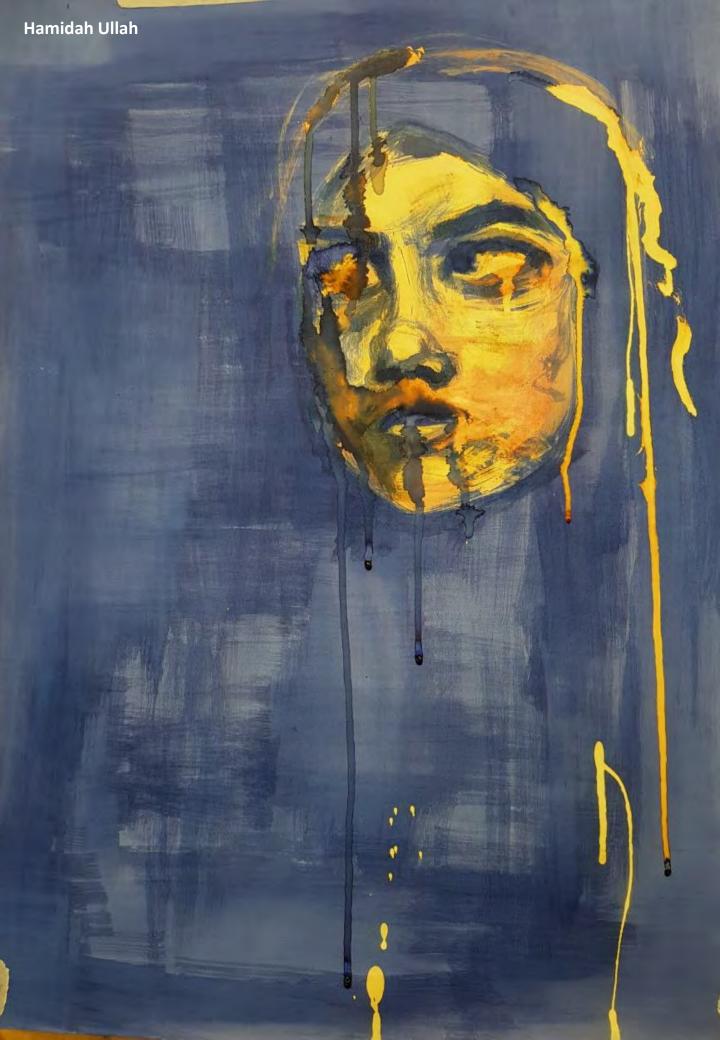










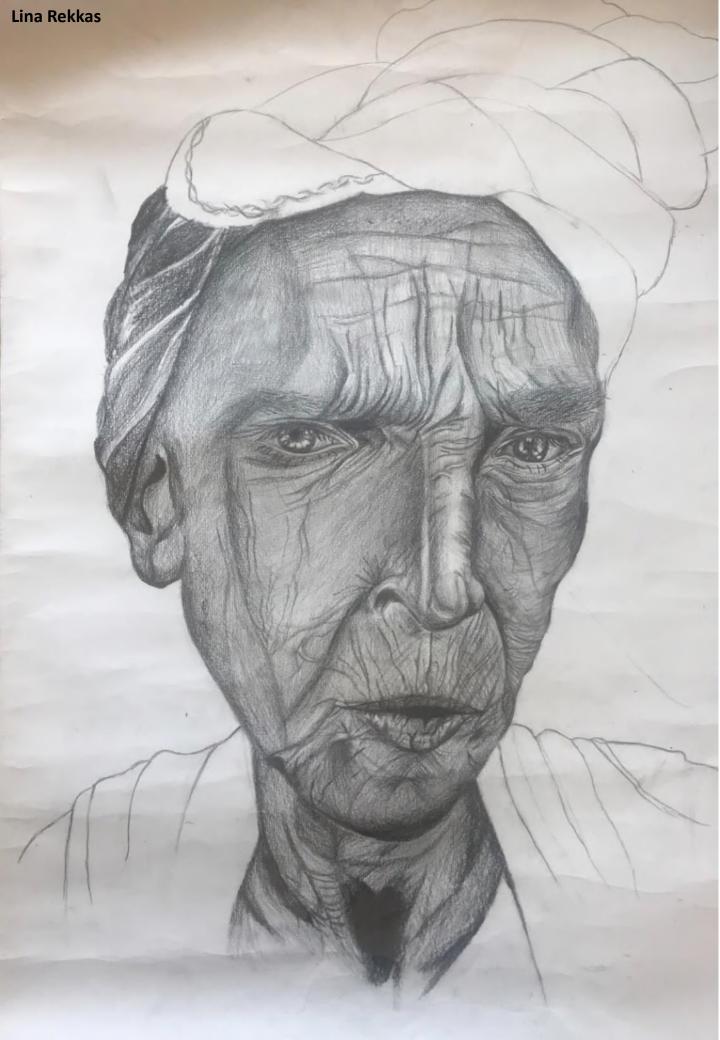






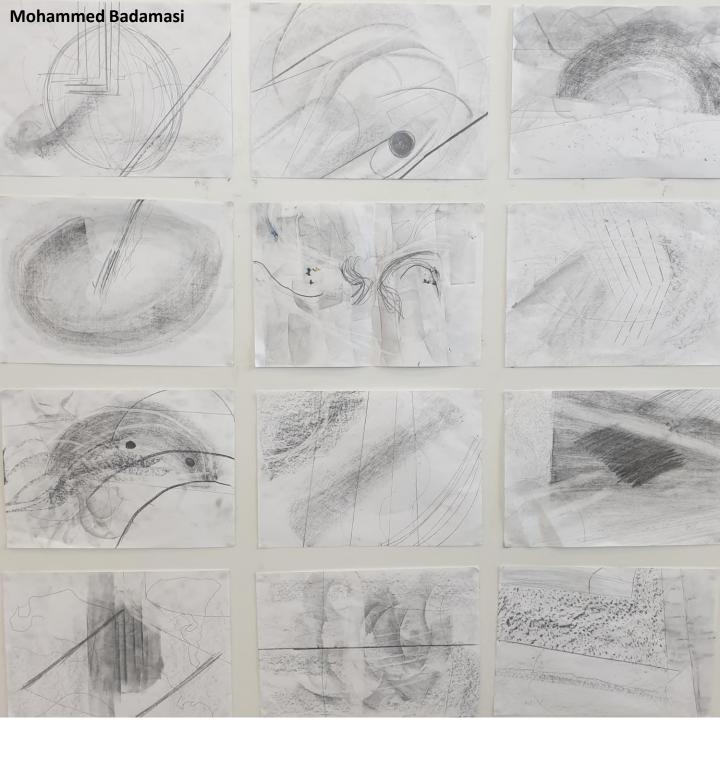










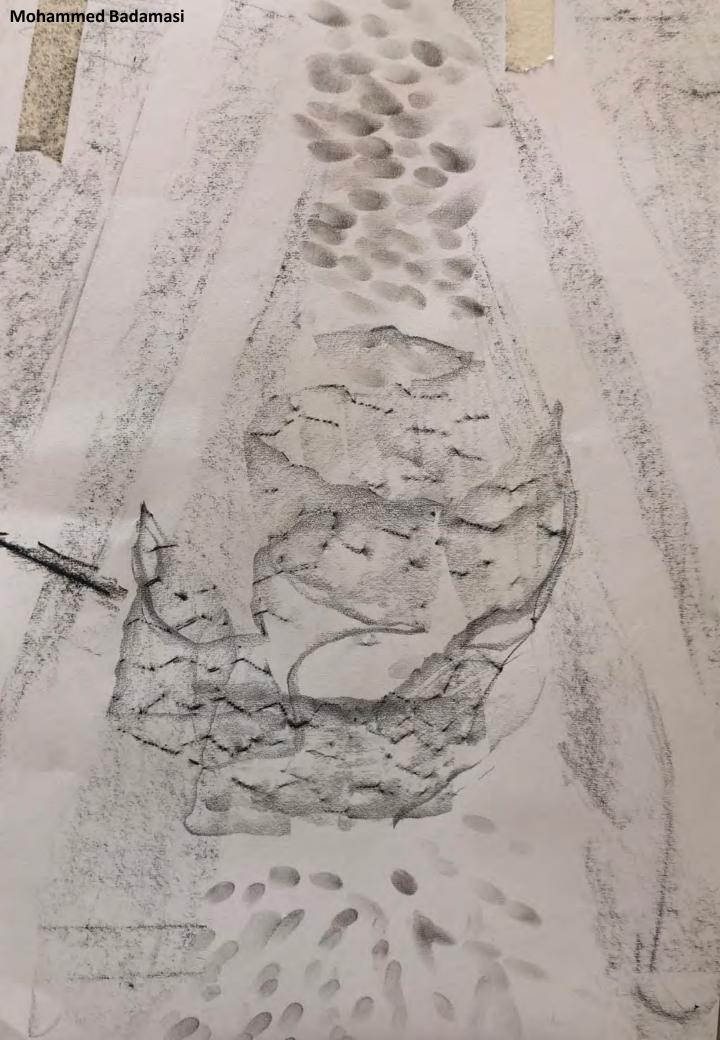


Year 13

This term, our Year 13 students produced a number of exciting and experimental outcomes for their independent projects. We are so thrilled that each of our students formed completely different projects to one and other and were bold with their use of media. abstraction and scale. This term has been really exciting to see what our students are capable of and we know for a fact each student would be a fantastic addition to any top art university.



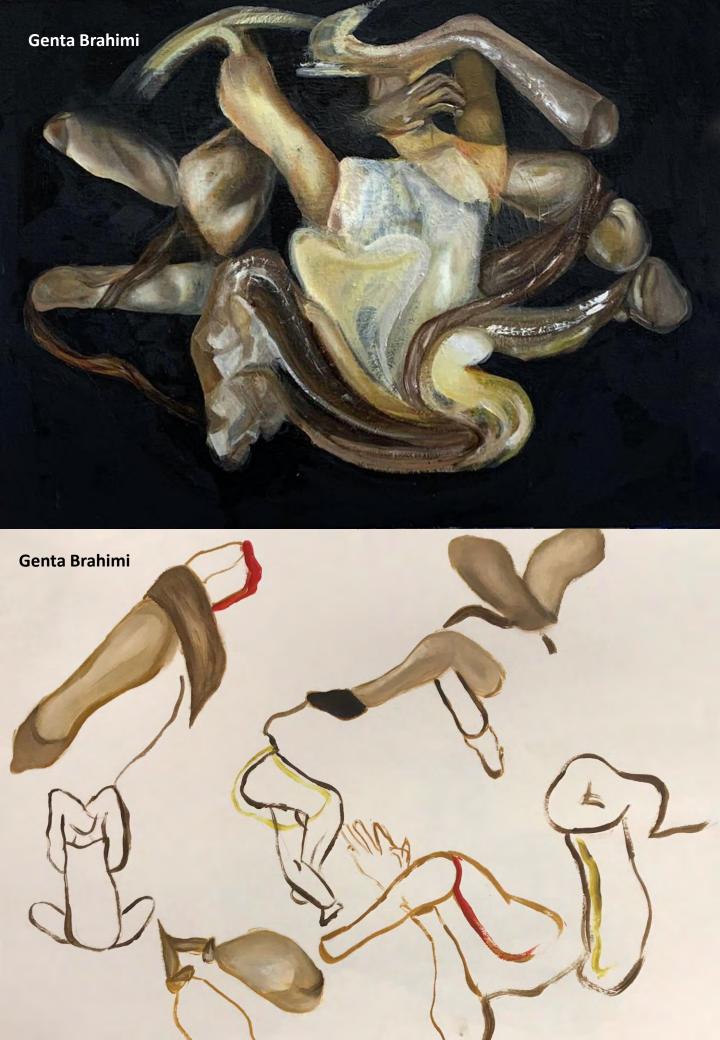












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