

# Rivers ESC celebration of GCSE Art Candidates work 2021

*Yr 10s also included as their work has been amazing this year !*





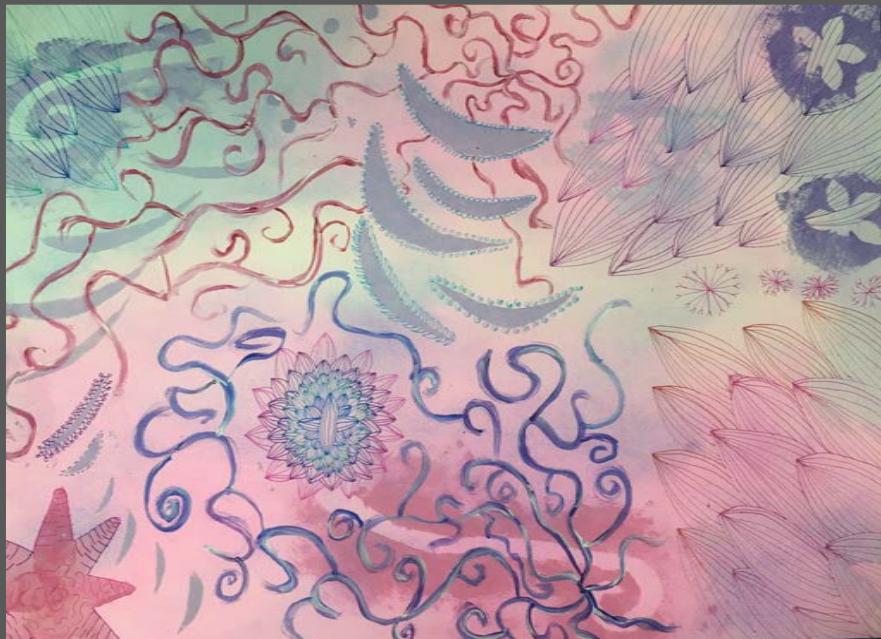
Component 1

# **Pattern Texture and Form**







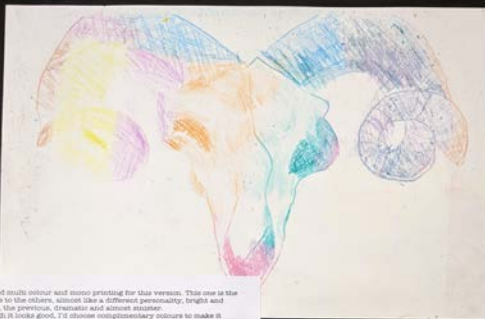


## Still life

I've selected this ram's head to sketch. I have started off by sketching the outline and photo copying it for further work in different textures and techniques. In my mind I think it is not the best because it has no detail and its just black, white and boring. I used 6B pencil and my thumb to create a somber tone and the black and white shading creates lovely contrast in the subject. I like the way it is very realistic and 3D.



I found getting the proportions difficult. I'm not particularly satisfied with it, but I think it looks very realistic. To develop the design, I shall add tonal values.



I've used multi colour and mono printing for this version. This one is the opposite to the others, almost like a different personality, bright and vibrant, the previous, dramatic and almost sinister. Although it looks good, I'll discuss complementary colours to make it look more realistic, another time. I shall do this in my next piece.



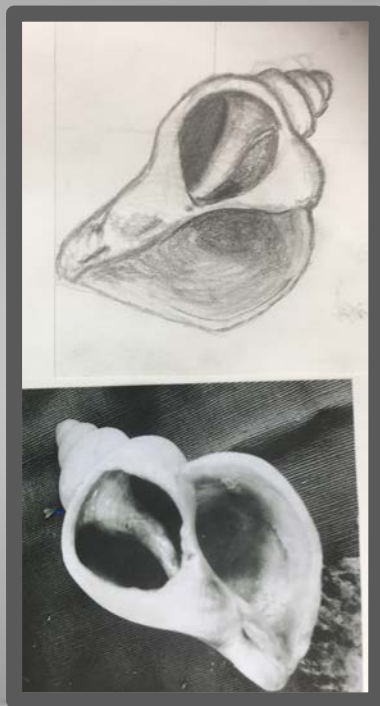
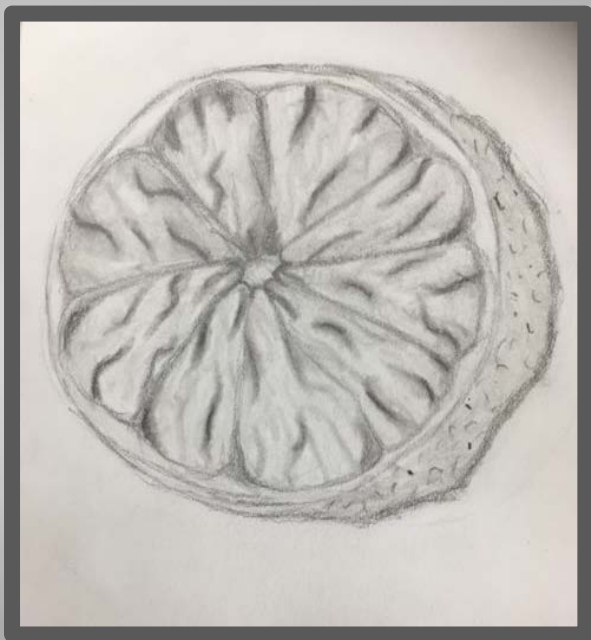
I've used black ink to complete a circular design, bringing out different tonal values. In the last part of the ram, considering I have only been studying GCSE art since September, I think I've developed my crosshatching by experimenting with different subjects. I'm not happy with the horns but still think I've created a good form.

Compared to my previous design, I think it has become almost demonic.



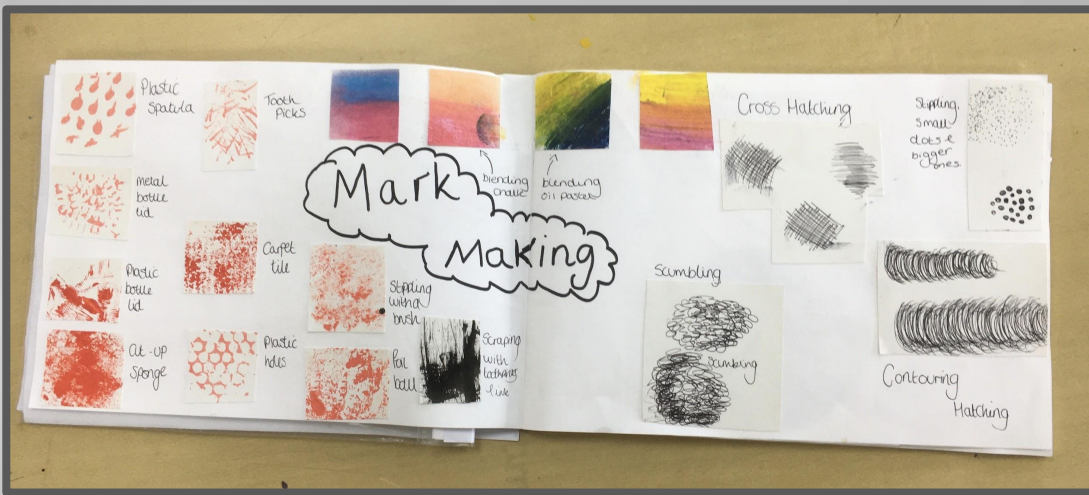


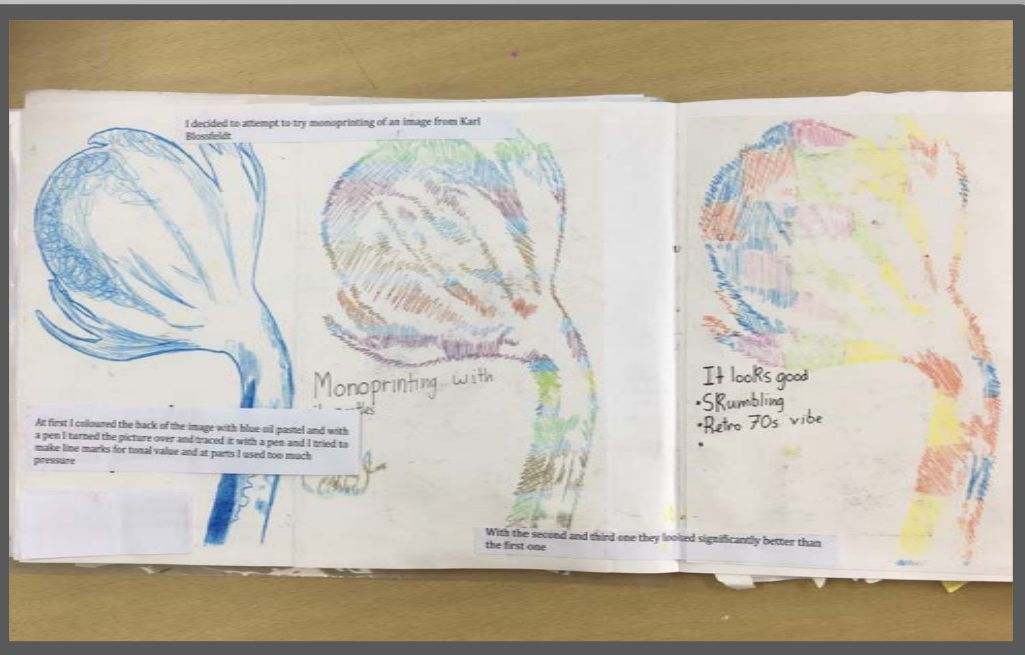


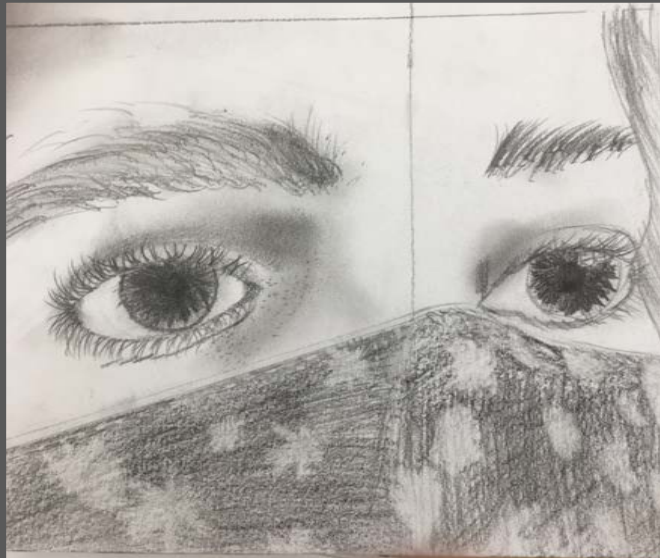












I prefer the monochrome piece as it's more realistic.







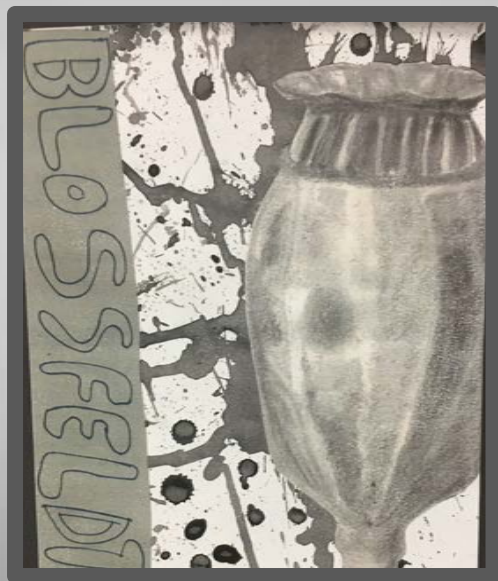




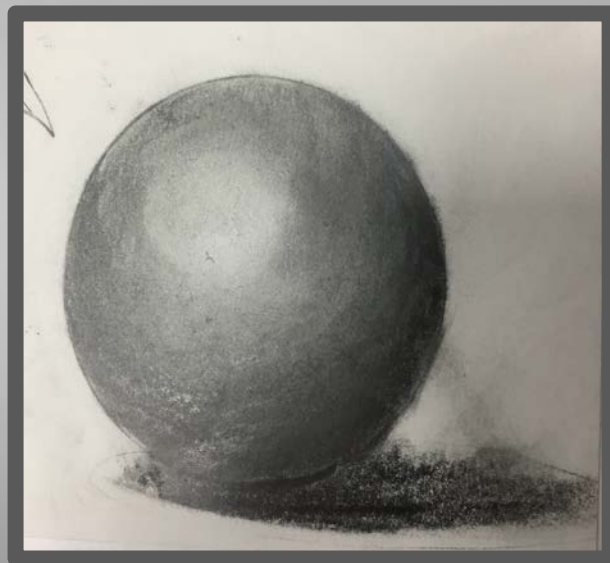


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Oil Pastels



## Art pupils comments in our lessons ..

'Gcse Art has really helped me improve my art skills and knowledge' N.C

'Its improved my art skills a lot' S.M

'Since i've been here,i've learned to be patient and persevere and because of this i have achieved a piece i didn't think i could do'. L.S

'Arts my favourite lesson,It's so chilled and relaxing,i've learnt how to have patience.Now im decent at it.' A.S

'I'm enjoying my art lessons here,more than my last school..,You've brought out the hippy in me' E.W

'Art has really helped me channel my art & form.The teachers are the best i've ever seen,they make it fun and more appealing to the pupil ,it has helped me in many different ways' K.F



*From myself ,Tracey and all the staff at Rivers , we would like to thank all our art pupils for working hard during this pandemic, you all have shown true commitment and grit in these uncertain times. We feel very proud at what you have all achieved so give yourselves a massive pat on the back!! It has been a pleasure teaching all the year 10s and the year 11s and would like to wish our yr 11s the very best of luck in their new journey to pastures new!*

Jenny Leo  
Tracey Hicks









