



GRAPHIC PRODUCTS KEY STAGE 4

MODULES/UNITS

YEAR 11: THEORY AND EXAM

UNIT 1: WRITTEN PAPER - 2 hours - 120 marks - 40%.

Candidates answer all questions in two sections. Pre-Release material issued.

UNIT 2: DESIGN AND MAKING PRACTICE - Approximately 45 hours – 90 marks – 60%.

Consists of a single design and make activity selected from a range of board set tasks.

COURSEWORK DEADLINES/EXAMS

WHEN

CRITERION 1 PAGES - INVESTIGATING THE DESIGN CONTEXT	SEPTEMBER
CRITERION 2 PAGES - DEVELOPMENT OF DESIGN PROPOSALS	OCTOBER HALF TERM
CRITERION 3 PAGES - MAKING	JANUARY
CRITERION 4 PAGES - TESTING AND EVALUATION	FEBRUARY HALF TERM
CRITERION 5 PAGES - COMMUNICATION	MARCH
AQA GCSE - WRITTEN EXAM	JUNE

PROJECTS/SCHEME OF WORK/TOPICS

DURING

UNIT 2: DESIGN AND MAKING PRACTICE - CONTROLLED ASSESSMENT TASK - YEAR 11 ONLY	SEPTEMBER - FEBRUARY
UNIT 1: WRITTEN PAPER - REVISION & EXAM PREPARATION	MARCH - JUNE

OTHER INFORMATION

USEFUL SITES:

www.motherboard.tv

www.dtapp.com

www.wallpaper.com

www.dzineblog.com

www.designobserver.com

<http://www.espdesign.org/sustainability-definition/social-sustainability/>

<http://practicalaction.org/sustainable-designers-at-work>

<http://www.redesigndesign.org/>

Apps: Buildings, Design Observer, Graphic Design Museum, WikiHow, How Stuff Works, J Plimmer D&T.

Exam board: AQA

Reading Material: Nelson Thornes - Graphic Products

Website: <http://web.aqa.org.uk/>