# SAMPLE COURSE OUTLINE

VISUAL ARTS
GENERAL YEAR 11

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# Sample course outline

# Visual Arts - General Year 11

### Unit 1 – Experiences

### Semester 1

Week	Key teaching points
1	Unit Focus: Experiences—Sculptural Bust/Portrait  Production Task 1 Inquiry  explore ways to create artwork using a range of stimulus materials, sources of information and drawing approaches
2–4	<ul> <li>Production Task 1</li> <li>Inquiry</li> <li>explore ways to create artwork using a range of stimulus materials, sources of information and drawing approaches</li> <li>develop artwork through experimentation and media manipulation</li> <li>annotate steps, procedures and processes used to create artwork</li> <li>Visual language</li> <li>explore ways to use visual language – elements and principles of art – in the development of artwork</li> <li>Art forms, media and techniques</li> <li>test and explore with materials and techniques to achieve particular effects</li> </ul>
5–7	Production Task 1 Inquiry  explore ways to create artwork using a range of stimulus materials, sources of information and drawing approaches  develop artwork through experimentation and media manipulation Visual language  explore ways to use visual language – elements and principles of art – in the development of artwork Visual influence  explore techniques used by different artists Art forms, media and techniques  test and explore with materials and techniques to achieve particular effects Art practice  apply skills and processes sensitively in specific art forms Investigation Task 3 Social, cultural and historical contexts  identify features of artwork belonging to certain artists, movements, times or places  discuss factors that have influenced the production of specific artwork Analysis Task 2 due Week 6 Visual analysis  use guided questions and critical analysis frameworks to discuss artwork describe concepts, materials, forms, techniques and processes in artwork refer to visual language – elements and principles of art describe artwork using art terminology

Week	Key teaching points
8–12	Production Task 1 Part A due Week 8  Visual language  explore ways to use visual language – elements and principles of art – in the development of artwork  Visual influence  explore techniques used by different artists  Art forms, media and techniques  test and explore with materials and techniques to achieve particular effect  use demonstrated techniques when producing artwork  Art practice  apply skills and processes sensitively in specific art forms  follow correct processes for producing artwork  use safe and appropriate work practices, respecting and acknowledging the work of others  Reflection  on-going self-evaluation  Investigation Task 3 due Week 11  Personal response  explain and give reasons for personal opinions about artwork  interpret the subject and explain ways artists have explored ideas in artwork  Meaning and purpose  identify the purpose and interpret meaning communicated in artwork from a variety of times or places  Social, cultural and historical contexts  identify features of artwork belonging to certain artists, movements, times or places  discuss factors that have influenced the production of specific artwork
13	Production Task 1  Art forms, media and techniques  test and explore with materials and techniques to achieve particular effect  use demonstrated techniques when producing artwork  Art practice  apply skills and processes sensitively in specific art forms  follow correct processes for producing artwork  use safe and appropriate work practices, respecting and acknowledging the work of others  Presentation  record processes in developing artwork  Reflection  on-going self-evaluation
14–15	Production Task 1 Part B due Week 15 Presentation  • display finished artwork with an audience in mind Reflections  • appraise finished artwork and identify ways to improve

# Unit 2 – Explorations

#### Semester 2

Week	Key teaching points
1	Unit Focus: Explorations – Landscape  Production Task 4 Inquiry  • explore ways to create artwork using a range of stimulus materials, sources of information and drawing approaches
2–4	<ul> <li>Production Task 4</li> <li>Inquiry</li> <li>explore ways to create artwork using a range of stimulus materials, sources of information and drawing approaches</li> <li>develop artwork through experimentation and media manipulation</li> <li>annotate steps, procedures and processes used to create artwork</li> <li>Analysis Task 5 due Week 4</li> <li>Visual analysis</li> <li>use guided questions and critical analysis frameworks to discuss artwork</li> <li>describe concepts, materials, forms, techniques and processes in artwork</li> <li>refer to visual language – elements and principles of art</li> <li>describe artwork using art terminology</li> </ul>
5–7	Commence Investigation Task 6  Meaning and purpose  identify the purpose and interpret meaning communicated in artwork from a variety of times or places  Social, cultural and historical contexts  identify features of artwork belonging to certain artists, movements, times or places  discuss factors that have influenced the production of specific artwork  Production Task 4  Inquiry  explore ways to create artwork using a range of stimulus materials, sources of information and drawing approaches  develop artwork through experimentation and media manipulation  annotate steps, procedures and processes used to create artwork  Visual language  explore ways to use visual language – elements and principles of art – in the development of artwork  Art forms, media and techniques  test and explore with materials and techniques to achieve particular effects
8–12	Production Task 4 Part A due Week 8 Work on resolved artwork from Week 11 Visual language  explore ways to use visual language – elements and principles of art – in the development of artwork Visual influence  explore techniques used by different artists Art forms, media and techniques  test and explore with materials and techniques to achieve particular effect  use demonstrated techniques when producing artwork Art practice  apply skills and processes sensitively in specific art forms  follow correct processes for producing artwork  use safe and appropriate work practices, respecting and acknowledging the work of others

Week	Key teaching points
	Reflection  on-going self-evaluation Investigation Task 6 due Week 8 Personal response  explain and give reasons for personal opinions about artwork  interpret the subject and explain ways artists have explored ideas in artwork Meaning and purpose  identify the purpose and interpret meaning communicated in artwork from a variety of times or places Social, cultural and historical contexts  identify features of artwork belonging to certain artists, movements, times or places  discuss factors that have influenced the production of specific artwork
13	Production Task 4  Art forms, media and techniques  test and explore with materials and techniques to achieve particular effect  use demonstrated techniques when producing artwork  Art practice  apply skills and processes sensitively in specific art forms  follow correct processes for producing artwork  use safe and appropriate work practices, respecting and acknowledging the work of others  Presentation  record processes in developing artwork  Reflection  on-going self-evaluation
14–15	Production Task 4 Part B due Week 15 Presentation  • display finished artwork with an audience in mind Reflections  • appraise finished artwork and identify ways to improve