



Term	Week	YEAR 11 PRELIMINARY VISUAL ARTS– 2026 SCOPE & SEQUENCE
1	1	Human Form & the 2D World of Portraits (25 hours) Outcomes: P 1, 3,4,6,9,10. Overview of Preliminary Course.
	2	Practice, Conceptual Framework, The Frames.
	3	How Time & Place influenced depictions of the human form.
	4	Venus of Willendorf, Aphrodite, Henry Moore, and Antony Gormley
	5	Understanding: Media experiments, skill-based exercises.
	6	Tints, tones & shades paint, grey scale self-portrait (paint), colour sketch (paint)
	7	Homework course booklet-Questions based on the three Content areas & the Elements of design and images of the human form.
	8	Revision quizzes -Time & Place & the Human Form
	9	Task 1. Week 7 submission of acrylic Portrait on canvas including a Frames analysis of their work.
2	1	Installation Art & Artist Research. (25 hours) P 1.2,5,6,7,8 Examples: Yayoi Kusama, Christo
	2	Analysing the above artists in relation to the Conceptual Framework.
	3	Vocabulary, Keywords & quotes
	4	Similarities & differences between Traditional & Nontraditional art, ephemeral art & site specific.
	5	Understanding: use of materials, conceptual themes & ideas, relationship between artwork & the environment, impact on the audience & the emotions evoked.
	6	Experiment with various 3D materials to create installations.
	7	Students create their own installation based on/inspired by the artists above & individual research.
	8	Homework: Describing the influence of focus artists upon students' work.
	9	Task 2. Week 8. Presentation of research & individual installations. Content Area: Conceptual Framework.
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3	1	Mini body of Work (BOW) & Prelims (25 hours) P 1.2.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.10.
	2	Understanding the demands of creating a Body of Work through the Content area of Practice. Vocabulary, Keywords & quotes
	3	Developing a cohesive theme when exploring different types of mediums.
	4	Preparation for prelims: essay writing, sentence starters, descriptive words.
	5	Experimenting with ideas by transforming them into a series of artworks connected through a common thread.
	6	Task 3: Week 6 Mini BOW. Content Area-Practice.
	7	Prep for prelims.
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	9	Formal Assessment Task: Year 11 End of Course Examination, Weeks 8-9
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4	HSC Course starts in Term 4 of Year 11.	