



# GCE AS and A Level ART AND DESIGN (Wales)

## SUMMARY OF ASSESSMENT Summer 2022 only

This specification is divided into a total of 3 units, 1 AS unit and 2 A2 units. Weightings noted below are expressed in terms of the full A level qualification.

### AS (1 unit)

AS Unit 1  
Personal Creative Enquiry (Non-exam Assessment)  
160 marks

An extended, exploratory project/portfolio and outcome/s based on themes and subject matter which are personal and meaningful to the learner. The Personal Creative Enquiry must integrate critical, practical and theoretical work.

- The critical, practical and theoretical work will be assessed holistically, using the assessment objectives. Learners will be required to select, evaluate and present their work for assessment.
- The Personal Creative Enquiry will be determined by the learner and teacher, assessed by the teacher and externally moderated.
- No time limit: duration to be determined by the centre. *The centre must take into account the May 15<sup>th</sup> deadline for the submission of internal marks to WJEC.*

## A Level (the A2 summer 2022 assessment comprises Unit 2 only)

A2 Unit 2  
Personal Investigation (Non-exam Assessment)  
160 marks

Consists of **two** integrated constituent parts:

1. a major in-depth critical, practical and theoretical investigative project/portfolio and outcome/s based on themes and subject matter that have personal significance.
  2. An extended written element of 1000 words minimum, which may contain images and texts and must clearly relate to practical and theoretical work using an appropriate working vocabulary and specialist terminology.
- Both the practical/theoretical work and the written element will be assessed together using the assessment objectives. Learners will be required to select, evaluate and present their work for assessment.
  - The Personal Investigation will be determined by the learner and teacher, assessed by the teacher and externally moderated.
  - No time limit: duration to be determined by the centre. *The centre must take into account the **May 15<sup>th</sup>** deadline for the submission of internal marks to WJEC.*

A2 Unit 3  
Externally Set Assignment  
Non-exam Assessment  
100 marks

**This unit will not be subject to assessment in summer 2022.**

This adapted version of GCE Art and Design is available for entry in **2022 only**. Candidates entering the qualification in 2023 should use the approved [Specification](#).

### **AS Unit 1: Personal Creative Enquiry (PCE) NEA (For Year 12 assessment in summer 2022.)**

There are no changes to the content of this unit for assessment in summer 2022 as controls are limited, and the unit can be delivered over a long period (September 2021 - May 2022) via blended learning/work.

### **A2**

Unit 2: Personal Investigation (PI) NEA

For Summer 2022 assessment only, the weighting of Unit 2 will increase to 100% of the full A Level qualification (160 Max Marks).

There are no changes to the content of this unit for assessment in summer 2022 as controls are limited, and the unit can be delivered over a long period (September 2021 - May 2022) via blended learning/work.

Unit 3: Externally set assignment (NEA)

This unit will not be subject to assessment in 2022.

Title	Code	Total Marks	UMS Total	Weighting (%)
<b>Art and Design (Art, Craft &amp; Design)</b>	<b>1640QS</b>		<b>180</b>	<b>100</b>
Personal Investigation	1650U2	160	180	100
Externally Set Assignment	Not Assessed in 2022			
<b>Art and Design (Fine Art)</b>	<b>1641QS</b>		<b>180</b>	<b>100</b>
Personal Investigation	1651U2	160	180	100
Externally Set Assignment	Not Assessed in 2022			
<b>Art and Design (Critical &amp; Contextual Studies)</b>	<b>1642QS</b>		<b>180</b>	<b>100</b>
Personal Investigation	1652U2	160	180	100
Externally Set Assignment	Not Assessed in 2022			
<b>Art and Design (Textile Design)</b>	<b>1643QS</b>		<b>180</b>	<b>100</b>
Personal Investigation	1653U2	160	180	100
Externally Set Assignment	Not Assessed in 2022			
<b>Art and Design (Graphic Communication)</b>	<b>1644QS</b>		<b>180</b>	<b>100</b>
Personal Investigation	1654U2	160	180	100
Externally Set Assignment	Not Assessed in 2022			
<b>Art and Design (3D Design)</b>	<b>1645QS</b>		<b>180</b>	<b>100</b>
Personal Investigation	1655U2	160	180	100
Externally Set Assignment	Not Assessed in 2022			
<b>Art and Design (Photography)</b>	<b>1646QS</b>		<b>180</b>	<b>100</b>
Personal Investigation	1656U2	160	180	100
Externally Set Assignment	Not Assessed in 2022			