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Dear Parent/Carer

Art and Design GCSE Art Pack

May I take this opportunity in welcoming your child to the art and design GCSE course.

I have put together an art pack which will enable your child to complete their study at home, with a high degree of competency that is required at GCSE level. Art equipment is expensive and to hand on to you a competitive price the art department has to purchase in bulk. From ordering to distribution takes about four weeks, we have planned ahead and ordered in 40 art packs in the hope students will buy into the initiative.

The homework timetable guidelines recommend that there should be a minimum of between 60 and 90 minutes per option each week. In addition, the art rooms are open until 4.30pm every day of the week and Thursday lunch time to help with their study. We have also put on an ArtXra session on Wednesday which is staffed where students can have one to one guidance.

If you would like to purchase one of the starter packs you are invited to make a voluntary contribution of £37.00 via the online payment system. The compartment storage box is an optional extra for £10.00. In the past the storage units have proven invaluable in the safe transport of equipment and materials between home and school.

Please remember that if your child is eligible for the Pupil Premium government grant we can use that to pay for the full cost of the art pack.

If, however, you would like to make a contribution towards the art pack there is also facility to make payment.

Thank you for taking time to support your child and for maintaining the continuing success of the Art department at Sackville School.

Yours sincerely

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SACKVILLE ART DEPARTMENT STARTER PACK

Art and Design

- Quality drawing ink – 12 x 1 oz bottles
- Reeves pastels – 12 assorted
- Pentee oil pastels – 12 assorted
- Polished Staedtler HB craft pencils – pack of 10
- Norris Walleys colour crayons – 12 assorted
- Reeves watercolour tablet – metal box of 12 assorted
- Acrylic tube set – 10 75ml assorted
- Coats medium charcoal – 25 pieces 6mm x 140mm
- Flat one stroke brush No 10
- Round fine brush No 8
- Round fine brush No 2
- KOH-I-NOOR graphite crayon
- Sharpener and rubber
- Palette knife painting tool
- Glue stick.

Total cost £37.00

- Storage box optional extra £10.00

