



GCSE Textiles - Key Exam Information

Subject	Textiles
Exam Board	AQA Art & Design Textiles 8204
Examination Details	Component 1 - A portfolio containing a sustained project. 96 marks. 60% of the final grade. Component 2 - A 10 hour practical exam with a preparatory period. 96 marks. 40% of the final grade.
Controlled Assessment	Component 1 is formed of at least one sustained project to demonstrate a variety of skills. This is supported by any further work that students would like to include.
Exam Paper Details	Component 2 exam questions for students to choose from are issued at the beginning of January. Students are given a preparatory period to research and develop ideas and are given 10 hours of supervised time in which to make the textile piece of work that they have designed.
Key Topics	Skills development will be demonstrated using a variety of topics such as 'pattern' and 'identity'. Examples of these skills are batik, machine skills, surface decoration, dye, embroidery and constructions techniques.
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