



# ST. THOMAS AQUINAS SECONDARY SCHOOL

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*We believe that each one, created in the image and likeness of God, is called by name into the Dufferin-Peel community to realize the Ontario Catholic School Graduate Expectations to the fullest extent as we all journey from the early years to vocation.*

## COURSE OUTLINE

<b>Department Name:</b>	Arts
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<b>Course Name:</b>	Grade 10 Media Arts
<b>Course Code and Section:</b>	ASM2O1

<b>Course Description:</b>	
This course enables students to create media art works by exploring new media, emerging technologies such as digital animation, and a variety of traditional art forms such as film, photography, video, and visual arts. Students will acquire communications skills that are transferable beyond the media arts classroom and develop an understanding of responsible practices related to the creative process. Students will develop the skills necessary to create and interpret media art works.	
<b>Strand / Units</b>	<b>Catholic Graduate Expectations</b>
All or some of: 1) Media and Society 2) Web Page Design 3) Music Creation 4) Stop Motion Animation 5) Logos, Brands and Advertising 6) Techniques in Film and Photography 7) Script and Storyboard Creation 8) Using Editing Software 9) Creating a Short Film 10) Techniques in Newscasting	This course helps students to meet Ontario Catholic Graduate Expectations by enabling each person to become a reflective and creative thinker who examines, evaluates and applies knowledge (physical, political, ethical, socio-economic and ecological) for the development of a just and compassionate society, including ... 1) An effective communicator who presents information and ideas clearly and honestly, with sensitivity to others, and uses and integrates the Catholic faith tradition, in the critical analysis of the arts, media, technology and information systems to enhance the quality of life. 2) A self-directed, responsible learner who applies effective communication, decision-making, problem-solving, and time management skills. 3) A collaborative contributor who achieves excellence, originality, and integrity in one's own work and supports these qualities in others' work. 4) A responsible citizen who accepts accountability for one's own actions.

## Assessment and Evaluation:

<b>Final Summative Assessments</b>	<b>Grade Distribution</b>
Term Work	70%
Course Culminating	10%
Final Exam	20%

<b>Category Weightings</b>	<b>Weight</b>
Knowledge/Understanding	20
Thinking	20
Application	40
Communication	20