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COURSE OUTLINE

Department Name:	VISUAL ARTS
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Course Name:	VISUAL ARTS, GRADE 10 - RAP
Course Code and Section:	AVI2OW

Course Description:	This course enables students to develop their skills in producing and presenting art by introducing them to new ideas, materials, and processes for artistic exploration and experimentation. Students will apply the elements and principles of design when exploring the creative process. Students will use the critical analysis process to reflect on and interpret art within a personal, contemporary, and historical context. Artwork produced can be used towards developing a portfolio.
Strands/Units:	<p>A. Creating and Presenting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Creative Process • The Elements and Principles of Design • Production and Presentation <p>B. Reflecting, Responding, and Analysing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Critical Analysis Process • Art, Society, and Values • Connections Beyond the Classroom <p>C. Foundations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Terminology • Conventions and Techniques • Responsible Practices <p>Drawing: advanced drawing media, sketchbook assignments Painting: acrylic, colour theory and harmony Printmaking: block printing Sculpture: investigations in form, kinetic sculpture Art Appreciation/Art History: Medieval, Classical/Renaissance, critiques</p>

Assessment and Evaluation:

Category Weightings	Weight
Knowledge/Understanding	20%
Thinking	20%
Application	40%
Communication	20%

Final Summative Assessments	Grade Distribution
Term Work	70%
Course Culminating	15%
Final Exam	15%