



## Course Information

# The Arts

## Visual Arts | VAR



### About the course

In the Visual Arts General course, you will engage in traditional, modern and contemporary media and techniques within the broad areas of art forms.







The course promotes innovative practice. You will be encouraged to explore and represent their ideas and gain an awareness of the role that artists and designers play in reflecting, challenging and shaping societal values.

Within the course we will have time to appreciate the work of other artists and engage in creative art practice.

## G1VAR

### Unit 1 Experiences

The focus for this unit is experiences. Students develop artworks based on their lives /personal identity and experiences, observations of the immediate environment, events of their world. They participate in selected art experiences aimed at developing a sense of observation. Students discover ways to compile and record their experiences through a range of art activities and projects that promote a fundamental understanding of visual language. They use experiences to develop appreciation of the visual arts in their everyday lives. Students acquire various skills using processes of experimentation and discovery in a visual format. Imaginative visual inquiry, including aspects of family life, social activities, communal occasions and other shared activities. Ample scope for free, imaginative interpretation and experimentation with materials is provided.

 <p><b>Prerequisites</b> NIL</p>	 <p><b>Type of Assessment</b> 70% Production 15% Analysis 15% Investigation</p>
 <p><b>Year of Study</b> Year 11</p>	 <p><b>Costs</b> \$70</p>