

Graphic Communication

ADVANCED HIGHER,
HIGHER + NATIONAL 5



Learning is split into sections or units. At National 5 and Higher level these are:

- 2D Graphics (Manual & CAD based)
- 3D Graphics (Manual & CAD based)

At Advanced Higher level these sections are:

- Commercial Visual Media
- Technical Graphics

Course Outline



- Homework tasks will be issued on a unitary basis.
- Complete outstanding manual and CAD based units for a certain date.
- Text books are available to support this.

Homework



At Advanced Higher level, the final Assessment is also split into 2 sections.

- Design Assignment (Externally marked)
- Marked out of 60
 - *(reduced from 90 for session 2021-22)*
- Extended Graphics Assignment from a chosen theme/product.
- Completed in class and submitted before Easter Break.
- Question Paper (Externally marked)
- Marked out of 80
 - *(reduced from 90 for session 2021-21)*
- Prelim/Formal assessment opportunity in early 2021
 - *(provides estimate of potential grade)*
- Final exam in May

Course Assessment: Adv. HIGHER



At Higher level, the final Assessment is also split into 2 sections.

- Design Assignment (Externally marked)
- Marked out of 50
- 8 hour Graphics Assignment from a given theme/product.
- Completed in class and submitted before Easter Break.
- Question Paper (Externally marked)
- Marked out of 75
 - *(Reduced from 90 marks for session 2021-22)*
- Prelim/Formal assessment opportunity in early 2022
 - (provides estimate of potential grade)
- Final exam in May 2022

Course Assessment: HIGHER



At N5 Level, evidence of attainment will be gathered across 2 sections. In addition to this, evidence will be gathered through a number of coursework projects set throughout the year.

- Design Assignment (Externally marked)
- Marked out of 40
- 8 hour Graphics Assignment from a given theme/product.
- Completed in class and submitted before Easter Break.
- Question Paper (Externally marked)
- Marked out of 65
 - *(Reduced from 980 marks for session 2021-22)*
- Prelim/Formal assessment opportunity in early 2022
 - (provides estimate of potential grade)
- Final exam in May 2022

Course Assessment: N5



- Additional support materials can be found in the following locations:
 - Course notes
 - SQA website
 - Various CDT websites
 - Leckie & Leckie website
 - PHS shared area
 - Class TEAM

Support materials



- Department has open door policy, all staff willing to support.
- Specific times for support are available upon request to staff
- Remember 'Free periods' are really study periods and staff may also be able to help then.

Additional Teacher Support



- Ask to see their **Presentation Folder**
- Ask them what manual/computer based project they are currently working on.
- Ask them to bring their everyday folder home so you can have a look. If it is full then there are probably some drawings that have not been finished. These should be completed and put in their **Presentation Folder**

What you can do to support?

