



## Wider Reading – Art

GCSE fine art/textile design, involve the pupils exploring and researching the work of painters, crafts people, photographers and contemporary artists.

Many museums, galleries and large libraries offer a comprehensive range of free-of-charge resources to learners, both online and face to face

Many of these resources offer exciting opportunities to young artists. They enrich and enhance the study of Art and Design. They can be used to stimulate creative approaches to design and encourage holistic thinking, enterprise skills, observational and analytical skills and information and digital literacy.

Artyclopedia is an art search engine and you can access large images, websites that relate to artists and their works and research materials on the artist and art movements to the end of the 20th Century. [www.artyclopedia.com](http://www.artyclopedia.com)

Mark Harden's Artchive has images and details of artists' works only up to the 20th Century. [www.artchive.com](http://www.artchive.com)

Impressions Gallery is one of the UK's leading independent venues for photography and shows the best of today's photographers. Located in the heart of Bradford's city.

<http://www.impressions-gallery.com/>

The Saatchi Gallery is specifically geared towards introducing a younger audience of art students and enthusiasts to work at the cutting edge of contemporary art.

<https://www.saatchigallery.com/schools/>

The British Library is the national library of the UK and one of the largest in the world. The collection is vast and includes literary manuscripts, printed books, maps, ephemera, sound recordings and photographs. <https://www.bl.uk/learning#>

The British Museum has an unrivalled collection of art from around the world and across centuries. It has excited and inspired artists, from Henry Moore in the twentieth century to Grayson Perry, Marc Quinn and Antony Gormley today. <http://www.britishmuseum.org/>

The National Centre for Craft & Design offers a wealth of free learning opportunities.

<http://nccd.org.uk/>

The National Gallery houses one of the greatest collections of Western European painting in the world . <https://www.nationalgallery.org.uk/>

The Yorkshire Sculpture Park. Open air sculpture park that exhibits contemporary sculptures.

<https://yosp.org.uk>

The Hepworth houses modern and contemporary exhibitions .

<http://www.hepworthwakefield.org>

Wakefield libraries holds various art publications across the district.

<https://libraries.wakefield.gov.uk>

Fashion and textiles museum. The only museum in the U.K. solely dedicated to showcasing developments in contemporary fashion. [www.ftmlondon.org](http://www.ftmlondon.org)