

Equipment List

UAL Level 2 Art & Design 2025/6

In preparation for your start on the level 2 Art and Design course, you will need to be gathering together the following equipment to ensure you are ready to go in September.

Sketchbook

You will need an **A3 sketchbook** for your main coursework. Avoid buying a cheap sketchbook as the paper used is of such poor quality. Ideally, choose from the 'Pink Pig' range.



Glue Sticks

You will be using *a lot* of glue sticks over the year, so if you have the opportunity, aim to buy in bulk. We have tried numerous brands, but it's 'Pritt' that always gets the job done.

Graphite Pencils

You will need to source a set of 6 graphite pencils, as the broad range from HB to 8B pencils will be crucial in developing your drawing skills.



Colour Pencils

As with the sketchbook, it is a case of selecting a good quality brand. Derwent have a good range, from studio pencils to water-soluble pencils, all have proved very reliable.



Brushes

There are two varieties, the soft artist brush and the firmer bristled brushes. It's the soft ones you will need to have. These can be bought as a set from outlets like 'The Works' or selected individually from 'Hobby Craft'. If you are buying individual brushes, target the cheaper but strangely very good quality white 'graduate' set of brushes.



General Equipment

You will probably have a lot of this left over from school. Can you ensure you have the following items ready to go:

Metal Ruler, Craft Knife with a snap-off blade, Scissors, Rubber, Writing pen and a decent sized bag to store all of the above equipment. Having your own tablet or Kindle to use will prove to be handy, but not essential.