## Unit Title: Component 1

## What content?

Students must work within the following endorsed title: Photography

Students create a personal portfolio of work that demonstrates the knowledge, understanding and skills for the selected endorsed titles and a continuation of their Year 10 work.

Centres are free to devise any theme(s), project(s) or task(s). These may each have a separate focus or be interconnected. Centre-devised theme(s), project(s) or task(s) must adhere to the submission requirements given in the assessment requirements section on page 34 of the specification.

## This component gives students opportunities to:

- Develop and explore ideas
- Research primary and contextual sources
- Experiment with media, materials, techniques and processes
- Present personal response(s) to theme(s) set by the centre.

Why teach this? What is the rationale?

The unit contributes 50% of the overall IGCSE grade and part of the course requirement. This component is expected to be completed prior to the end of Term 1 Year 11, in order for students to prepare for the externally set assignment at the start of Term 2.

## **E1** Sequence of learning (to include skills / concepts where relevant) HWK (if Focus Learner applicable) Attribute **COMPONENT 1** Risk-IGCSE criteria AO1, AO2, AO3 taking Students will continue with the IGCSE Photography component 1 which focuses on the internally set theme of Distortion. All individuals have broken this theme down into their own specific interests from Term 2 of year 10. **AO1 Slides** Develop ideas through investigations, demonstrating critical understanding of sources. Critically investigate the selected Photographers Students will develop critical thinking and analytical skills using subject • appropriate vocabulary conveying their processes used/apply connections to their artist influences. A02 Slides Refine work by exploring ideas, selecting and experimenting with appropriate media, materials, techniques and processes. This will be students edit and manipulating their own photographs developing their ideas in a personal manner. **Risk-taking and innovation**

How will you do it? (The learner attribute will influence the how)

<ul> <li>Encourage students to take risk and embrace experimentation in their photographic practice.</li> <li>Promote an environment that values innovation, exploration and pushing the boundaries of digital techniques.</li> <li>Encourage students to think beyond their comfort zones and consider unconventional combinations of media, materials, and techniques to create unique and original photography.</li> <li>Documentation:         <ul> <li>Encourage students to document their exploration and experimentation process. Prompt them to record their thoughts, observations and reflection on the effectiveness of different media, materials, techniques and processes. This can be done in the form of annotation and Adobe Photoshop screenshots of process.</li> <li>Provide guidance on how to organise and present their documentation effectively as evidence of their creative journey.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
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E2	Focus Learner Attribute	Sequence of learning (to include skills / concepts where relevant)	HWK (if applicable)
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•	All work is internally set and is externally marked using the assessment grid on pages 42 and 43 of the specification. The total number of marks available for the Personal Portfolio is 72. Weekly verbal 1:1 feedback	
•	Individual tutorials	