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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 11/12/13 Artist Workshops Tuesday 6th March 2018

Organiser - Mrs Davis

As part of the Art course, students are required to observe artists' work first hand and use this to inspire their own work. We have the exciting opportunity to bring a range of artists to the students for a day of workshops. These workshops will take place in the academy and students will work directly with a professional artist for the day, starting with a look at the artist's portfolio, learning some techniques and producing a range of experiments.

These experiments and responses to the artist will count towards a student's final exam grade. Last year, the work produced by our students who attended similar workshops made a considerable difference to their final grade and inspired some ambitious outcomes. Students are strongly advised to take advantage of this unique opportunity.

We will be offering 4 workshops to Year 11, 12 and 13 Art students. Spaces will be on a first come, first served basis. Please select a first and second choice.

Workshop 1 Iain Perry/Print Garage Printer, Fine artist

Workshop 2 Jennifer Collier Textile/paper artist

Workshop 3 Carol Langford Photographer

Workshop 4 Heather Duncan Ceramics

The cost for the day will be £20.00 to cover the cost of the artists' fees and materials. The law currently allows us to make no charge for this category of educational activity, though we may ask for voluntary contributions. No student may be excluded from the activity because of a parent's unwillingness or inability to make a financial contribution. However, if the voluntary financial contributions received do not cover the cost of all the workshops, some may not take place. The deadline for making this payment, via Parentpay, is Wednesday 21st February 2018. If you want your child to attend, but are unable to meet the cost, please contact davis@qegs.email.

To indicate your choice of workshop, please complete and return the enclosed slip to the Art Department by 21st February 2018.

We look forward to working with your child on this exciting workshop day.

Yours faithfully

Mrs D Davis

Curriculum Leader Art

Enc: reply slip



REPLY SLIP

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(Please return this slip to Mrs Davis in the Art Department by Wednesday 21st February 2018)

Student: _____ Form: _____

I give my permission for my child to attend the above workshops. I confirm that I have made the required payment of £20.00 via the ParentPay system and have indicated the first and second choice options below.

	1 st choice	2 nd choice
Workshop 1 Iain Perry Screen printer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Workshop 2 Jennifer Collier textile/paper artist	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Workshop 3 Carol Langford photographer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Workshop 4 Heather Duncan ceramics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

(please tick)

Parent/Carer: _____ (please print)

Parent/Carer: _____ (please sign)

Date: _____