



**COMMONWEALTH SECONDARY SCHOOL
DEPARTMENT OF ART
SECONDARY TWO EXP/NA ART
COURSE OUTLINE 2018**

SCHEDULE FOR INSTRUCTION

Term/Week	Topic	
T1/W2	Introduction to Basics of Photoshop: Tools on the toolbar: Move Key, Marquee, Lasso, Magic Wand, Eyedropper, Healing Brush, Paint Brush, Clone Stamp, Eraser, Paint Can and Gradient tools, Pen Tool, Type Tool, Path Tool, Shape Tool, Zoom Tool.	
T1/W3	Introduction to Basics of Photoshop: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understand Layers and how to create a new page, How to create a blank page and resolution required. The differentiation between RGB and CMYK. - How to download images from the internet and save them for use. - How to save their Photoshop files. 	
T1/W4	Practical Session 1 (Graded Assignment 1) Students to design a Postcard to introduce themselves, based on the basic Photoshop skills they have learnt.	
T1/W5	Introduction to Basics of Photoshop: Colour Correction, Touch-Ups and Enhancement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Colour Correction, Colour Balance, Levels, Curves, Auto Tone - Healing Brush, Burn and Dodge Tool - Liquify and Masking 	
T1/W6	Advance Tutorial Session: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tutorial on how to do Double Exposure on Photoshop - How to create and apply Bokeh Overlays in Photoshop Introduction to Graded Assignment 2 – Research assignment	
T1/W7	Practical Session 2 (Graded Assignment 2) Design A Storybook Cover / Movie Poster / Event Poster Extra tutorial: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Transparent Clothes Effects on Photoshop - Before & After: A Dramatic Edit Explained - Artista – Mixed Media Art Photoshop Action - Typography Photoshop Action - Liquify 2 Photoshop Action 	
T1/W8	Alternative Assignment (Graded Assignment 3) Presentation & Reflection <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation of ideas & Product - Reflections on Padlet.com 	

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Short videos tutorial uploaded onto Google Drive

Other references:

- Additional hand-outs will be provided for students

ASSESSMENT**(i) Components of Assessment**

Assignment 1 (20%)	Assignment 2 (40%)	Alternative Assessment (20%)	Reflection (10%)
Photoshop Postcard	Storybook Cover/ Movie Poster/ Event Poster	Presentation	Reflection

(ii) Details of Assessment**Continual Assessment (CA)**

S/N	Assessment Component	Term/Week	Format
1	Graded Assignment 1	Term 1 Week 4	Duration: 2 Hours
2	Graded Assignment 2	Term 1 Week 7	Duration: 2 Hours
3	Alternative Assessment	Term 1 Week 8	Individual work or group work Duration: 2 hours
4	Reflection	Term 1 Week 7	Duration: 30 Mins