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Dear Year 11 Parents and Carers

Year 11 Creative iMedia Non-Examined Assessment (NEA) Coursework Dates and Information

Students are currently working through their R094 Creating Visual Identity and Digital Graphics preparation and I'm both pleased and proud to say that they have approached this with a really positive, can-do attitude, well done!

Each NEA component is 10 hours long. There will be two of these exams for the different units:

- Creating a "Visual Identity and Digital Graphics" (R094) and
- Creating a "Visual Portfolio" (R098)

equating to 20 hours of examined coursework as a minimum per student, before any exam access arrangements are added.

To achieve this, and allow plenty of contingency time, students will begin their first unit of exams, 'Creating a Visual Identity' (R094), the first week after half term with the first session on Tuesday 5th November. The exam period will run until approximately 29th November 2024.

Their second NEA, "Creating a Visual Portfolio" (R098), will take place from w/c 17th March until 1st April 2025.

Exams will take place within lesson times and the coursework must be completed under JCQ regulations, with students given an exam-specific login which will track their internet use.

It is therefore essential that all students attend all timetabled Creative iMedia lessons during this exam period.

Please see the attached information from the exam board about NEAs and completing self-guided assessments. Students should note there will be no talking, phones, smartwatches, and only limited peer/teacher help.

To provide support to all our Creative iMedia students, previous lesson content will be provided via Microsoft Teams and One Note, which can be accessed outside of the lesson if necessary. There are textbooks in the exam room which students are allowed to use and they may also bring in their revision guides, providing they reference these works.

Should you have any questions please feel free to contact me via email: Phaigh@beaminster.dorset.sch.uk

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