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Engaging and immersive

Please share with Teachers, Career Advisors and students interested in creative subjects

While in-person school is still out, we're looking for ways to make online learning just as engaging, immersive and exciting for students.

At Arts University Bournemouth, we believe that learning does not just take place in the classroom – it happens everywhere. That's why we offer schools a diverse programme of free-of-charge activities that give young people the opportunity to engage with original artworks.

This newsletter details some of our latest activities that can be experienced online, including lesson plans for workshops inspired by TheGallery's Music Architecture Poole and Morag Myerscough exhibitions, and I Can't Draw, an exciting project designed to re-connect us with our inbuilt ability to express ourselves and communicate through the making of marks.

If you or your students want to find out more about what it's like to study with us, we'll also be making appearances at a handful of virtual events coming up in March. Our team will be there to offer guidance and answer any burning questions. Read on to find out more.

Yours kindly,

The Schools and Colleges Team

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MAP Workshop: make, do, think

TheGallery presents a brand new workshop to tie in with its MAP exhibition, featuring work by BA (Hons) Architecture and Master of Architecture (MArch) students.

In the workshop, students will be invited to discuss as a group what is important about designing and imagining new spaces, carefully considering past and current architectural features that are already on the site. Looking at the work in this exhibition, what themes and features stand out? How does architecture affect a community and why could this be important? What possible future changes do the students have to consider?

The workshop can be adapted to a range of age/year groups, and can be taught as a single lesson or extended into a small project spreading over a couple of weeks. Download the lesson plan below.

[Download MAP workshop](#)

Morag Myerscough workshop

Text/Words are all around us and used in so many things we interact with on a daily basis. Typography has the power to attract us in so many ways, with the ability to make us understand the mood of the message just by the design of the lettering and the colours chosen.

Taking inspiration from Morag Myerscough's work in her amazing exhibition at TheGallery, students will look at her unique way of using bold bright colours and patterns to not only capture her audience visually but emotionally.

This workshop can be adapted to suit different age groups and durations. It can also easily be adapted to be delivered remotely. Download the lesson plan below.

[Download lesson plan](#)



I CAN'T DRAW

Humans learn to draw before they learn to speak and write. It's a creative instinct as old as humanity. So why, then, do so many of us end up later in life feeling like we can't draw? I Can't Draw invites us to re-connect with our inbuilt ability to express ourselves and communicate through the making of marks.

All of the work created in this national project will be exhibited online by AUB in Summer 2021 and then celebrated at the BEAF Festival.

Want to get your students involved? Click the link below and use the form to order your I Can't Draw pack. Each pack comes with six creative lesson plans that explore drawing and can be easily modified to suit you and your class.

[Sign up now](#)



March virtual events

Your students can find out more about what studying with us is all about at a number of exciting virtual events this March, including:

- UCAS Regional Event – 9 and 10 March
- National School and College Leavers Show – 10 March, 9.30-4.30pm
- UK University Search – 17 March, 12.00-6.00pm

The AUB team will be there to talk about our creative courses and student life, and answer all your burning questions.



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