

## Art Department homework tasks

### Year 7

#### Letterforms

At times students may be asked to complete homework tasks not detailed on this list.

1. Find examples of lettering from a range of sources and arrange on a page in your book in an interesting way. Add notes about the different lettering styles.
2. Using one of the examples from homework number 1 try to develop it in 3 or 4 ways e.g. coloured, patterned, shadowed, different materials.
3. Choose a label from a well-known product and draw it accurately. Stick the label next to your drawing.
4. Re draw the label from task 3 (outline only). Add a new colour scheme to give it a totally different personality. For example, a chocolate wrapper in a yellow and purple wrapper could be reproduced in shades of green. Use a range of different materials.
5. Collect examples of lettering from newspapers and magazines. Carefully cut it out to make a word. Your teacher will give suggestions. Add colour and background to create a theme for your word.
6. Construct a 3d letter from scrap materials and decorate it. Choose a letter, which you could decorate with images that begin with that letter. For example, 'F' could be based on football, flames, food, flowers etc. This may take a number of weeks to complete.
7. Choose a word that almost imitates the sound it represents e.g. crash, splinter, crack, jagged, smash etc. Draw and design the lettering in an appropriate way. For example 'crack' could be drawn as though the letters are made of broken glass or cracked paving stones.
8. Re design the Fairfield High School logo. Use your imagination and be creative.
9. Sometimes students may be asked to bring in things to use in the classroom e.g. newspapers, magazines, collage materials.