



HEADTEACHER'S WELCOME

What an incredible term it has been and I could not be prouder. As we come to the end of the academic year, it's bittersweet. We say farewell to our superb Year 11 students who have worked so hard throughout the year and we warmly welcome our new Year 7s who joined us for two exciting transition days.

I always enjoy looking through The Eagle as it captures the energy and richness of school life and this term has certainly been no exception. From Sports Day and winning the Trust Athletics, to the unforgettable Year 11 Prom, Bronze and Silver Duke of Edinburgh Awards and a whole host of trips and visits including: The House of Lords Visit, Falmouth University Workshops and the Kurt Jackson Art Trip. As I write, Activities Week is in full swing, bringing a brilliant end to a packed and joyful term.

A heartfelt thank you to our staff, for their dedication, care and professionalism throughout the year. What a year it has been: Ofsted recognised us as GOOD in all areas, we've deepened our work within the community and above all, we've kept students at the heart of everything we do.

To our students, thank you for making this your school, one we are all proud of. And to you, our parents and carers, thank you for your ongoing support and for working with us to give your children the best possible experience and outcomes.

I look forward to September, excited to continue improving our offer here at Falmouth School and to building on all we've achieved together.

Wishing you all a safe, happy and restful summer.

Mrs. Guest

Headteacher



Year 11 Leavers' Day & Prom: Celebrating a Milestone Year



As the summer holidays begin, we take a moment to celebrate our incredible Year 11 students and everything they've achieved this year. After months of hard work and dedication in the run-up to their GCSE exams, the class of 2025 were able to enjoy a well-earned send-off.

Leavers' Day was filled with laughter, friendship, and reflection. Students enjoyed a relaxed afternoon of shirt-signing and ice creams in the sun, making memories with the friends and staff who have supported them throughout their time at Falmouth School.



Later in the term, the celebrations continued in style at Prom, held at the stunning Falmouth Pavilions. The evening was a true highlight; elegant outfits, dancing, and plenty of photo opportunities. It was a fitting finale to their time in Year 11 and a chance to mark the end of one chapter and the beginning of the next.

We're so proud of all our Year 11 students. We look forward to welcoming them back on results day in August to celebrate their achievements and support their next steps.





Student Spotlight: Reggie R

We're proud to shine the spotlight on Reggie Rusden from Year 9, who has made impressive strides both on and off the basketball court. Reggie plays for Cornwall Saracens U14s in the National League and has shown great dedication to the sport beyond playing. He has completed his table officials course and is currently working towards his referees qualification.

Reggie's commitment to volunteering didn't go unnoticed; he was recently awarded his club's Most Valuable Person award for his outstanding contribution officiating community league games over the past season.

Well done, Reggie! Your hard work and enthusiasm are an inspiration to us all.



DofE Adventures

This year, our Bronze and Silver Duke of Edinburgh students showed impressive determination and teamwork during their expeditions across the beautiful landscapes of West Penwith. With rucksacks on their backs, they navigated moorland and coastal trails, developing independence and resilience along the way. The challenges of planning routes, setting up camps, and cooking meals helped them build vital skills in leadership, communication, and problem-solving.

We would like to extend a big thank you to all the staff who supported the expeditions, with special thanks to Mrs. Green for her outstanding leadership throughout the programme. It was inspiring to see the students' pride and sense of achievement as they completed their routes. We look forward to celebrating their full awards in the near future!



Sports Day 2025: A Celebration of Teamwork, Energy, and House Spirit



On Wednesday 18th June, Falmouth School hosted its eagerly anticipated annual Sports Day: an event filled with energy, excitement, and fierce but friendly inter-house competition. Held across the school site, the day was a celebration of physical activity, resilience, and collaboration, bringing together students and staff in a vibrant display of school spirit.



Students from Years 7 to 10 represented their tutor houses in a wide variety of events, including Volleyball, Football, Cricket, Lawn Bowls, Badminton, and Cycling. The grounds buzzed with encouragement as teammates and staff cheered one another on, creating a truly memorable atmosphere.

From the first whistle to the final points tally, students impressed with their athletic ability, commitment, and teamwork. Every event contributed to an overall points total for each house, with all students playing their part.



After a full day of action and determination, it was Smithwick who claimed the title of 2025 champions, with Boscowen close on their heels.

A huge well done to all who took part; your enthusiasm and sportsmanship made the day a fantastic success.



A Brilliant End to the Year in Maths!

It's been a fantastic finish to the year in the Maths Department at Falmouth School. From probability projects to puzzle clubs, our students have shown real enthusiasm, resilience, and a love for learning.

In Key Stage 3, Years 7 to 9 have been getting to grips with the world of probability and we're hoping the probability of a fantastic summer is very high indeed! A special mention to Hazel in Year 9 for her outstanding booklet work (pictured), which shows just how much care and effort has gone into her learning.

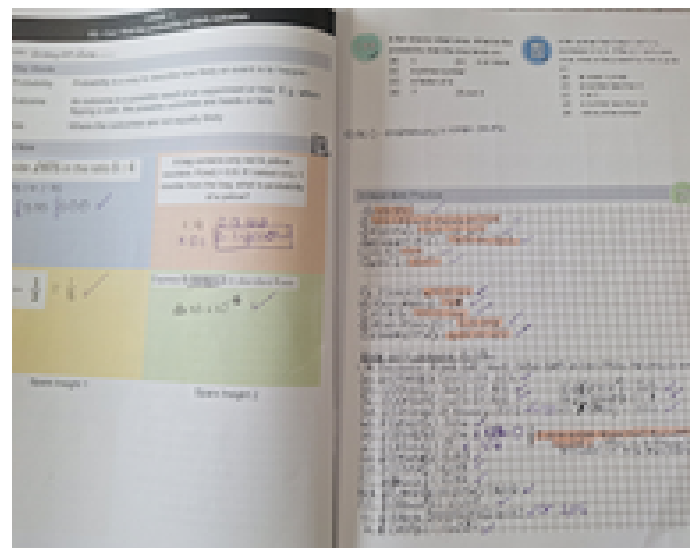


Year 10 have shown real determination and maturity in preparing for their PPEs this term. Their attitude has been excellent, and we're excited to see what they'll go on to achieve in Year 11. In June, we said goodbye to our brilliant Year 11s after five years of hard work. The photos from their final revision lessons are a great reminder of their dedication right to the end. We can't wait to celebrate their achievements this summer.

A big thank you to Rosie Robinson for running Maths Puzzle Club all year. Well done to Freddie and Zach in Year 7 (pictured) for taking on one of her toughest challenges! And thank you to all our students for their continued effort with Sparx homework – your hard work is really paying off. Finally, we asked Reuben in Year 9 what he loves about maths at Falmouth. He said:

"Maths at Falmouth really pushes you to think in different ways and improve your problem-solving skills. It's fun, challenging, and the teachers are always supportive – they make a real difference to how we learn."

Here's to a summer full of sunshine, fun, and maybe even a few number puzzles!





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TOWN COUNCIL

Town Mayor's Tide Race

MAENPORTH BEACH, FALMOUTH

Sunday 24 August 2025

12pm to 6pm (digging will start at 12.30pm)



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**Suggested donation
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TRIPS AND VISITS



Kurt Jackson Art Trip

Thank you to the Jackson Foundation in St Just for hosting our year 9 GCSE art students. It was great to see the work of Kurt Jackson first hand and learn about his techniques and processes. Students worked in 'plein air' with the stunning view as inspiration for their textured landscapes. Great start to the GCSE art course.



Learning with Lords: Falmouth Students at the Heart of Democracy

This summer, Falmouth School proudly took part in the Learn with Lords programme. In June, Student Council members visited the Houses of Parliament, touring the Commons, Lords, and the wider Palace of Westminster.

A highlight was a Q&A with Lord Haskel, where students asked thoughtful questions and represented the school superbly. Later, our new Prefect Team joined a virtual session with Lord Bailey, exploring government beyond MPs.

Across both events, students showed real maturity and curiosity; a credit to themselves and the Falmouth community.



A Warm Welcome to our new Year 7s!



Over two exciting days, we were delighted to welcome our new Year 6 cohort through the doors of Falmouth School for their transition experience. These special days were all about fun, friendship, and finding out what it means to belong to our vibrant school community.

Students explored our fantastic site and facilities, getting a feel for life at Falmouth School. From team-building games and sports to engaging lessons, every moment was designed to inspire confidence and curiosity. Our future Year 7s met their tutors, made new friends, and experienced the incredible food on offer at break and lunch.

There were also powerful performances from our talented artists and musicians, giving students a flavour of the creativity that thrives in our school.

We are so proud of how positively our new students embraced the experience, and we look forward to welcoming them all back on 2nd September. The journey ahead is full of opportunity, ambition, and growth. We can't wait to support every step of it.



Join us for our Year 5 and 6 Open Evening on Tuesday 16th September 2025 5-7pm and discover what makes our school community special. Tour our facilities, meet our staff, and experience the ambition, kindness, and creativity that define life at Falmouth School.

We will also be offering a quieter opening from 4.30pm for those who would benefit from a calmer environment. Please get in touch via reception@falmouthschool.net to arrange this. We look forward to meeting you!

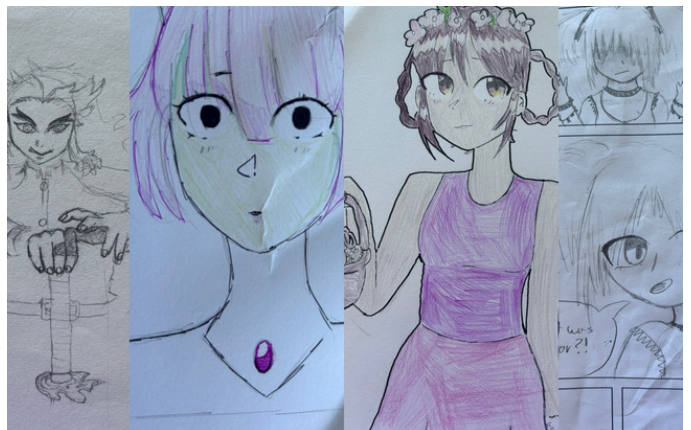
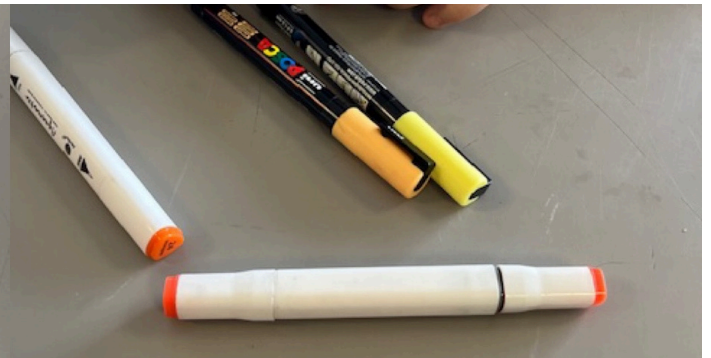


SHOWCASING CREATIVITY: ARTWORK FROM OUR TALENTED STUDENTS

A visual celebration of the imagination, skill, and creativity of Falmouth School's young artists.

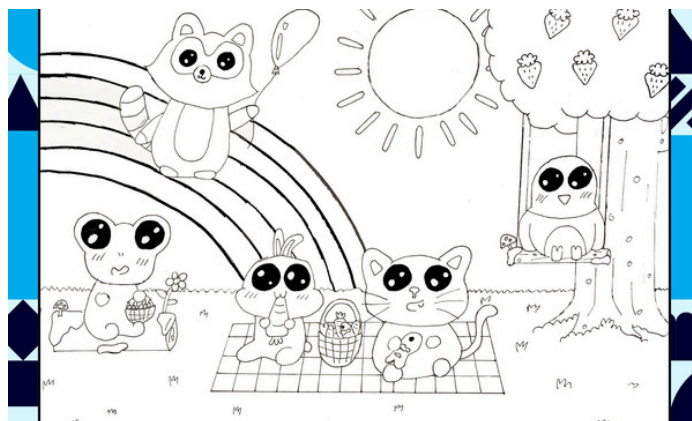
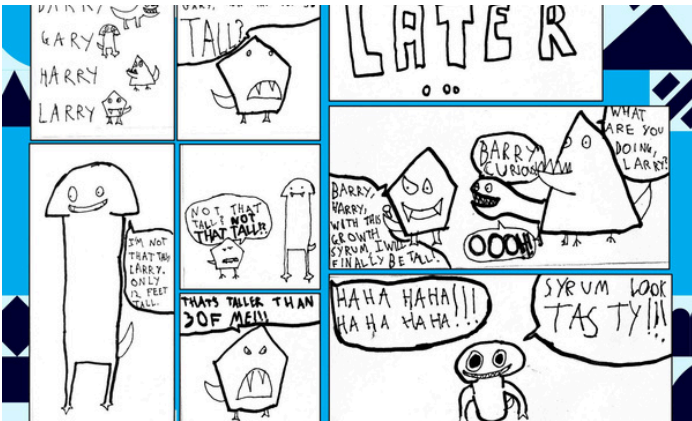
KS3 Art Club

Huge thank you to artist Chantal Oliver for leading our Wellbeing art club, students have enjoyed working on different surfaces and developing their Manga characters in KS3 art club. Watch this space for new themes for the Autumn term.



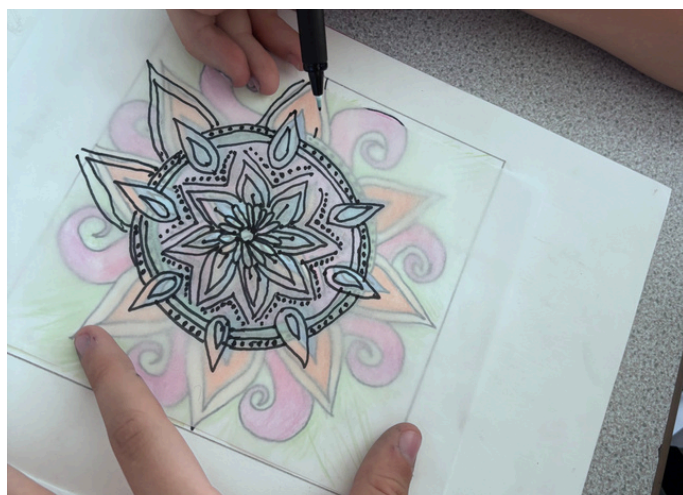
Our Big Thank You

We're so proud to celebrate our recent charity event, where talented children teamed up with the amazing illustration artist Eve Bourrat! Using digital drawing techniques, they created a series of beautiful colouring sheets that will bring joy to the children's ward. The creativity and collaboration were truly inspiring. Well done to all involved and thank you to Falmouth Art Gallery who funded the event.



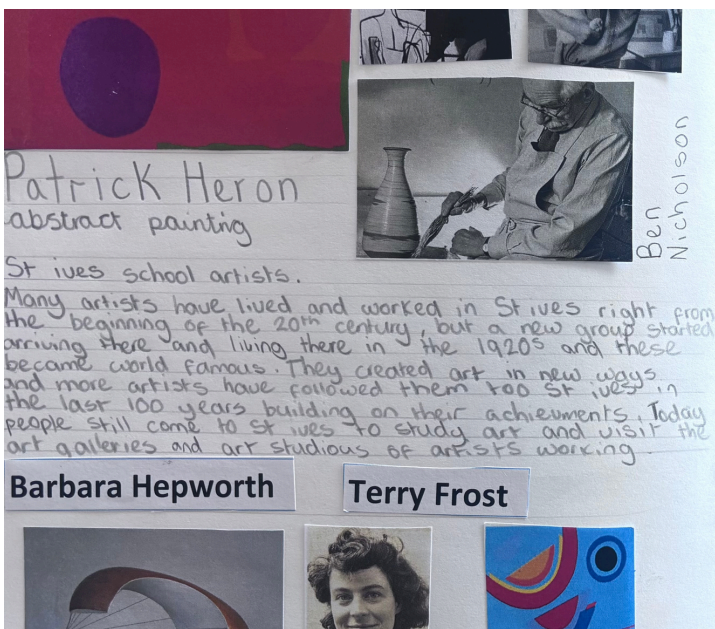
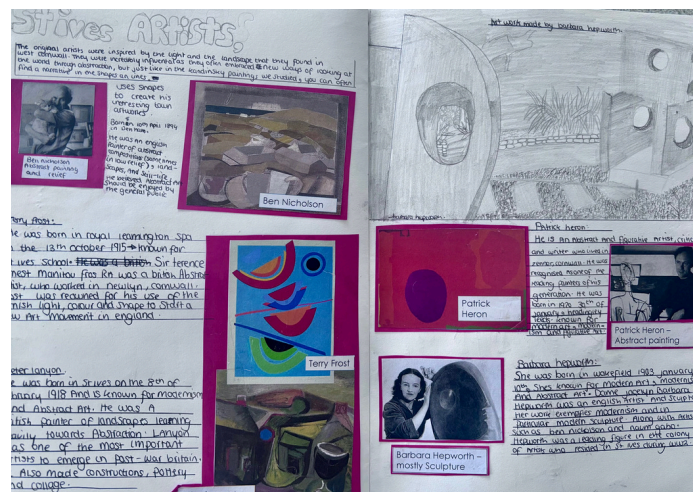
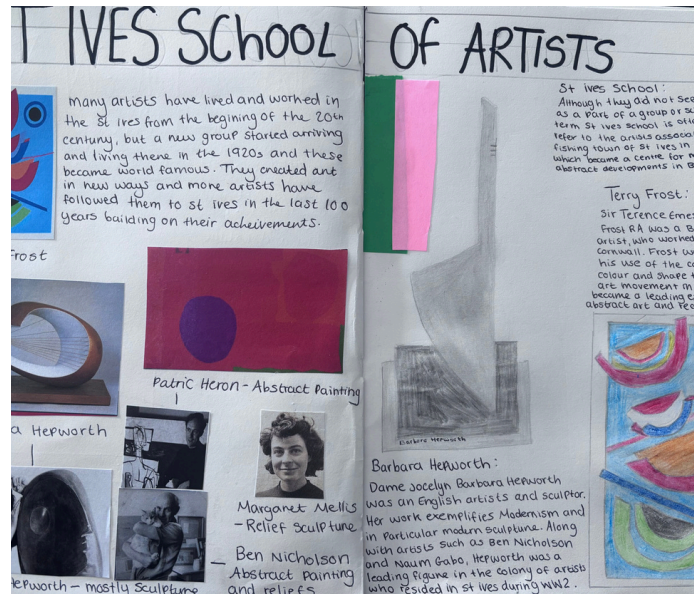
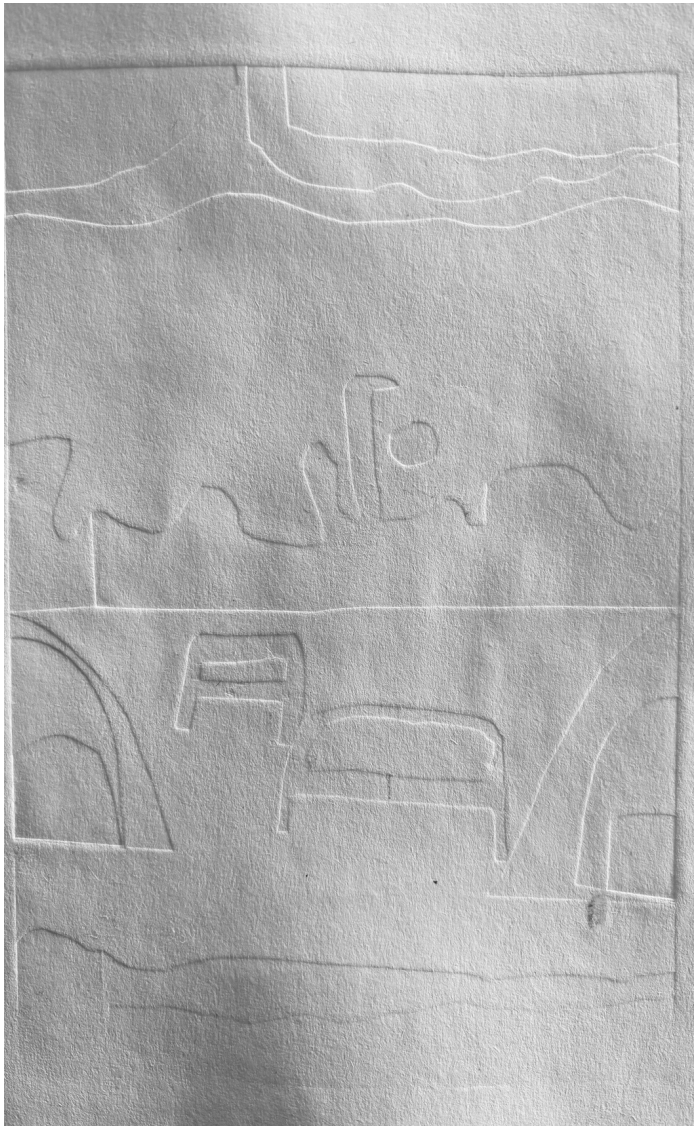
KS3 Art Curriculum

In KS3 Art this term, our year 7 students have been deeply engaged in exploring natural forms, patterns, and composition through photography. They've really enjoyed the hands-on experience of working with charcoal and have drawn inspiration from a variety of cultures to develop their own intricate patterns inspired by the natural world.



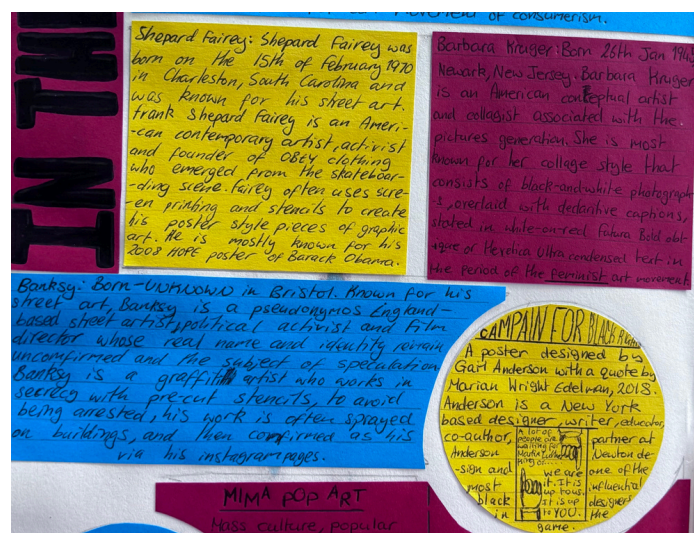
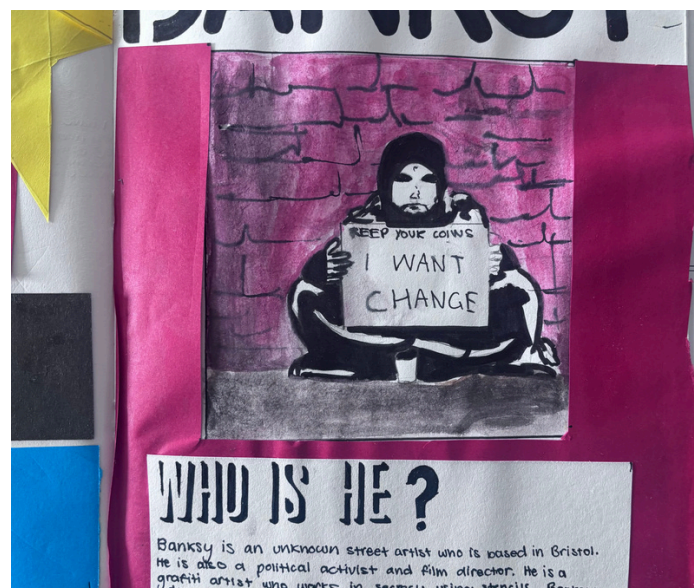
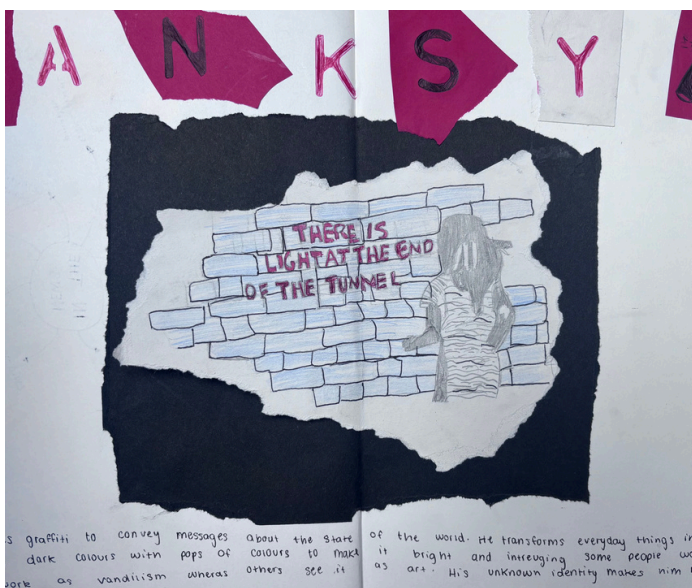
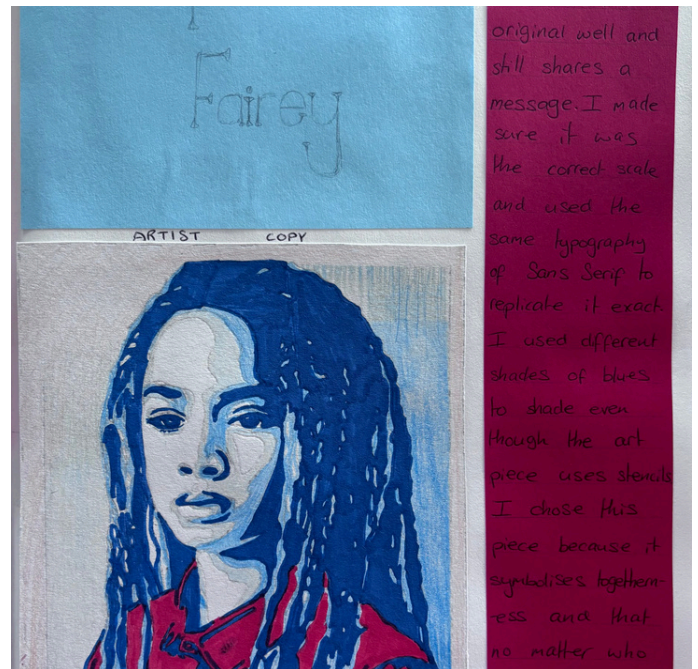
Year 8

Our Year 8 students have embarked on a journey into the art of the St Ives artists. They've been focusing on simplifying their work to create striking abstract reliefs, and from this foundation, they've gone on to produce impressive embossed paper pieces, echoing the style of Ben Nicholson.



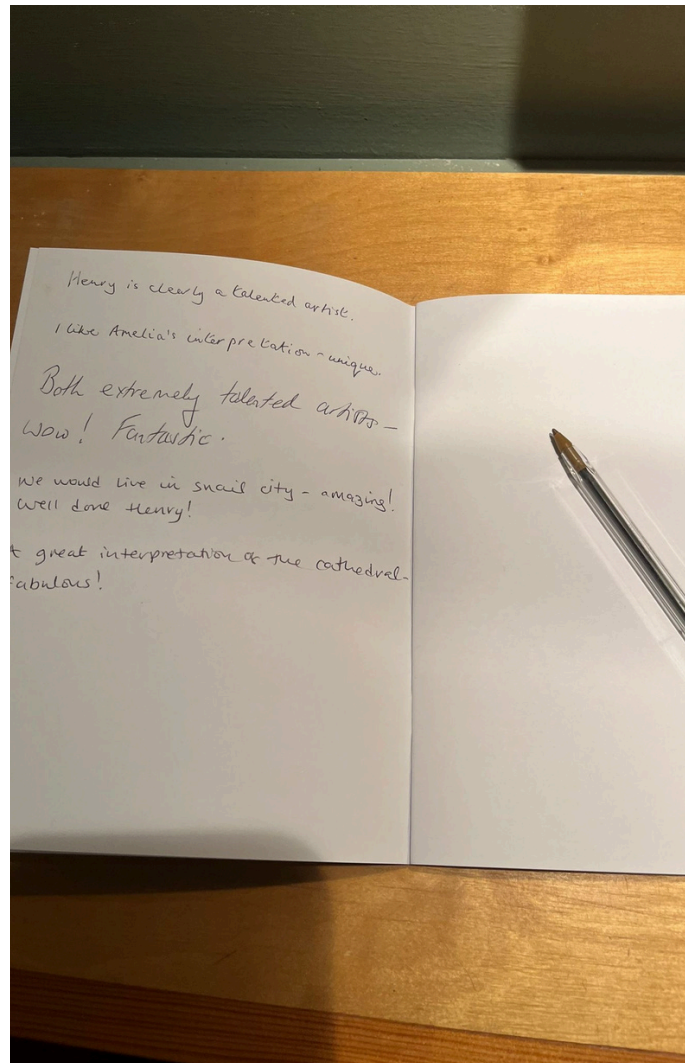
Year 9

As for Year 9, they are currently busy preparing for their chosen creative GCSE pathways, honing their skills and interests for the next stage of their artistic development. Students have investigated artists that respond to current events and presented their findings showcasing design grid-methods.



FALMOUTH ART GALLERY COLLABORATION

Falmouth Art Gallery is partnering with Falmouth School to bring you a brand new monthly exhibition series! Get ready to be inspired by ambitious student work, displayed right here in the heart of our community. This initiative is to ensure young people have the incredible opportunity to see art first-hand and their achievements on display! Congratulations to Henry B and Amelia B on being our first students to have their work displayed! Thank you so much Falmouth Art Gallery for giving our students this opportunity.





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Music Spotlight: A Term of Creativity, Performance, and Celebration

As we wrap up another incredible year in the Music Department, we're proud to reflect on the creativity, growth, and talent shown by students across all year groups. From exploring world music to rocking out in bands and preparing for future coursework, it's been a term full of energy and achievement.

Year 8 – Exploring the Sounds of India

This term, Year 8 students delved into the rich traditions of Indian classical music. They experimented with ragas (scales) and talas (rhythmic cycles), using authentic instrument sounds to bring their compositions to life.

Students showed real musical sensitivity while improvising melodies over different rags, crafting atmospheric pieces filled with cultural depth. Their enthusiasm and curiosity in learning about a musical tradition beyond their own was truly impressive.



Year 9 – Rocking the Class Bands

Year 9 ended the year with a bang through their Class Bands project; an exciting opportunity for students to work as musicians in self-formed groups. They selected songs that inspired them, created their own lead sheets, and rehearsed together with focus and creativity. The project developed their musical independence, teamwork, and confidence. This all came together in the final concert of the year, where several bands performed live. These sets were bursting with energy, and the collaborative spirit on stage made them a real highlight of the evening.



Year 10 – Ready for What's Next

Our Year 10 musicians have been looking ahead, completing skills audits and setting focused goals to guide their Year 11 coursework. This process has not only helped them grow as performers but also as reflective, independent musicians. Several Year 10 students also took to the stage at the end-of-year concert, impressing the audience with mature and engaging performances; a promising glimpse into the talent we'll see more of next year.

End-of-Year Charity Concert – Music with a Mission

The final concert of the year had extra meaning this time, thanks to the initiative of Year 11 student Mawgan, who organised the event in aid of Children with Cancer UK. It was an inspiring evening packed with musical variety; from dynamic student bands to elegant instrumental duets. Every performer brought something special, and thanks to the efforts of everyone involved, the event raised funds for a vital cause while celebrating the musical achievements of the year.



Thank you to all the students, staff, and families who supported our music-making this year. Have a fantastic summer break. We can't wait to see (and hear!) you in September!

Empowering Personal Development

This summer term, Falmouth School has been fortunate to work in partnership with the Fashion and Textiles department at Falmouth University on a range of exciting sustainability-focused projects. As part of this collaboration, Year 9 students took part in a series of inspiring workshops exploring the environmental impact of the fashion industry and the importance of mending and reusing clothes. The first workshops were held at Falmouth School and led by university lecturers and students. These sessions introduced key ideas around sustainability in fashion and built directly on the work Year 9s have been doing in Geography, where they've been studying the effects of fast fashion on the planet. Students also learned practical skills such as basic stitching, empowering them to mend and repurpose their own clothing. Two weeks later, the students visited Falmouth University's state-of-the-art



Fashion and Textiles department. They heard presentations from local sustainable companies, including Finisterre, and explored how industry professionals are leading the way in eco-conscious design. The visit also included hands-on workshops, where students had the opportunity to upcycle old PE kit and experiment with professional-grade equipment.

It has been a hugely valuable and inspiring experience for all involved.

Curriculum Update – The Term Ahead

Learning at Falmouth School is an exciting journey, and we're thrilled to share some of the engaging topics your child will explore in the upcoming term. From hands-on experiments to fascinating discoveries, there's so much to look forward to! By staying informed, you can support your child's learning at home and spark meaningful discussions about their lessons. For more details, including comprehensive learning journeys for all year groups, visit our website. Year 11 will be preparing for their PPEs and their curriculum is dynamic to address areas of specific need.

Subject	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10
Maths	Number Sense	Percentages and Indices	Graphs and Equations	Trigonometry
English	Being a literary critic	Rhetoric	Lord of the Flies	Romeo and Juliet
Science	Organisms and Energy	Heat Transfers and the Periodic Table	Cells, energy and Atomic Structure	Electricity, Infection and Chemical Change
Geography	Map Skills	Population	Urban World	Living World
History	Introduction to History	Elizabeth I	World War I	Crime and Punishment
DT	Various Projects	Various Projects	Various Projects	Coursework
Music	The Big Sing	Major and Minor Keys	Film Music	Component 1
Art	Drawing Skills	Portraiture	Mixed Media Artists	Formal Elements
Drama	Performance Skills	Improvisation	Noughts and Crosses	Introduction to GCSE
PSHE	Belonging	Safety and Society	First Aid	Payslips and Credit Cards



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