**Year 12 to Year 13 Summer Work**

Over the summer you need to make a solid start to your Related Study essay. As discussed in class, the essay is 12.5% of your entire A-level, so it is worth a whole grade if done well!

You need to complete the below questions. The point of this exercise is that you are focusing on making the **content** of your essay. I will help you construct it when we get back in September. For now, you need to complete the research in bite sized chunks.

1. Type a paragraph about your **project** so far. What have you drawn/photographed? Why? What artists have you looked at, why? What developmental steps have you made? (we have discussed this in class but you need to articulate in written form)
2. Type no more than 200 words about what your **essay** is going to be about. Imagine you are giving a sales pitch about your essay to a CEO in a lift. You only have 1 minute to sell your essay idea!
3. Type the three or four artists/photographers you intend to research and write one paragraph of biographical/contextual information for each. This is the when/where/why/what/how of each person. Be sure to copy and paste all reference locations for where you found your information.

Artist/photographer one name:

References:

Info:

Artist/photographer two name:

References:

Info:

Artist/photographer three name:

References:

Info:

Artist/photographer four name:

Refences:

Info:

1. Next, you need to find **two example images per artist/photographer,** and visually analyse their work, as well as research **what the piece is about**. This will require some digging but specific google searches will help you here.

**Copy and paste the images below** (be sure to save the reference link!) and complete a **visual and conceptual analysis for each one**. I have attached the artist link PP to the SMH task to support your analysis.

1a

1b

2a

2b

3a

3b

4a

4b

1. Once you have visually analysed each image, write a paragraph discussing the similarities, differences, and consistencies between what you have researched. Also, write down thoughts on how the work you have researched can **affect your own practice.**