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Year 7 Unit Outlines Semester 2

ARTS Dance

MYP Assessment Criteria

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 acquired knowledge to purposefully inform artistic decisions in the process of creating
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- Criterion D: Responding. Students construct meaning and transfer learning to new settings and create an artistic response that intends to reflect or impact on the world around them.
 Students critique the artwork of self and others.

Units of Inquiry

Elements of composition

Statement of Inquiry: Students work together to best create and perform high quality dance works using reflective practice.

Assessment Task	Due Date
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individuate teacher feedback on progress.	
Reflective process journal	Ongoing
Creative Practical Task	Week 10
Persuasive Written Task	Week 15
Choreographic Performance	Week 16

Drama

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Units of Inquiry

Devising and Analysing Original Works

Statement of Inquiry: Form guides the creative process and structure of a work, which shapes presentation and audience impact.

Assessment Task	Due Date
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual teacher feedback on progress.	
Process Journal	Ongoing
Performance task 1 – Group and Individual	Week 10
Research Assignment	Week 15
Performance Task 2 – Script	Week 16

Media Arts Rotation

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Units of Inquiry

Logo Design

Statement of Inquiry: Interpretation is dynamic across cultural and social contexts.

Storytelling through Photography

Statement of Inquiry: Interpretation is dynamic across cultural and social contexts.

Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual teacher feedback on progress.		
	Term 3	Term 4
Logo Design	Week 4	Week 14
Storytelling through Photography	Week 10	Week 18

Music Rotation

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Units of Inquiry

Graphic Score; Persuasive Writing; Pachelbel's Canon – keyboard skills; Blues; Film Music Statements of Inquiry:

- Communication is vital in presenting an interpretation to an audience.
- Communities evolve through intercultural understanding.
- We can use 12-bar blues form to present a narrative.
- Representation of genre needs to be considered when creating film music.

Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
Process Journal	Ongoing	
Graphic Score	Week 4	
Persuasive Writing	Week 7	
Pachelbel's Canon	Week 10	
Blues	Week 14	
Film Music	Week 17	

Textile Arts

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Units of Inquiry

Printmaking Unit: INSECTology

Statement of Inquiry: Many cultures consider balance and harmony found in nature to be the cornerstones of aesthetics.

Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
Research Texile Art Slide presentation	Week 2	
Persuasive Essay - Artist Reseach	Week 15	
Textile Wall Art: INSECTS AND NATURE	Week 18	

Visual Arts Rotation

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- Criterion A: Knowing and understanding. Students demonstrate knowledge of the art form studied, including concepts, processes, and the use of appropriate language. Students demonstrate knowledge of the role of the art form in original or displaced contexts. Students use acquired knowledge to inform their artwork.
- Criterion B: Developing skills. Students demonstrate the acquisition and development of the skills and techniques of the art form studied. Students demonstrate the application of skills and techniques to create, perform and/or present art.
- Criterion C: Thinking creatively. Students outline a clear and feasible artistic intention.
 Students outline alternatives, perspectives, and imaginative solutions. Students demonstrate the exploration of ideas through the developmental process to a point of realization.
- Criterion D: Responding. Students outline connections and transfer learning to new settings.
 Students create an artistic response inspired by the world around them. Students evaluate the artwork of self and others.

Units of Inquiry

Identity and Culture

Art Diary/Process Journal

Elements of Art Booklet

Statement of Inquiry: Interpretation is dynamic across cultural and social contexts.

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Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual teacher feedback on progress.		
	Term 3	Term 4
Artist Study of Reg Mombassa - Persuasive	Week 5	Week 5
Essay		
My Identity in Pictures	Week 7	Week 7
Inner Animal Clay Mask	Week 10	Week 9

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DESIGN

Creative Design

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 for its selection with reference to the design specification. Students develops accurate
 planning drawings/diagrams and outlines requirements for the creation of the chosen solution.
- Criterion C: Creating a Solution Students demonstrate excellent technical skills when making the solution. Students follow the plan to create the solution, which functions as intended and is presented appropriately. Students explain changes made to the chosen design and the plan when making the solution. Students present the solution as a whole.
- Criterion D: Evaluating Students describe detailed and relevant testing methods, which
 generate accurate data, to measure the success of the solution. Students explain the success
 of the solution against the design specification. Students describe how the solution could be
 improved.

Units of Inquiry

Product Designs and Specifications

Statement of Inquiry: When designing and developing products, the creator must evaluate its function and form, through considering the product's sustainability to meet the needs of a global market.

Assessment Task Due Date

Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual teacher feedback on progress.

	Term 3	Term 4
Safety Booklet	Week 3	Week 3
Product Design and Research	Week 3	Week 3
Product completion	Week 9	Week 8

Digital Technology

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Units of Inquiry

Understanding Digital Systems and Data (4-5 weeks)

Statement of Inquiry: Designers adapt the form in which information is communicated in order to make it accessible to the end-user.

Game and Web Design (8 weeks)

Statement of Inquiry: Designers can use technology to convey a message of importance to the community.

Crack the Code (6 weeks)

Statement of Inquiry: Designers can use code to add functionality and complexity to their products.

Assessment Task	Due Date
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual	
teacher feedback on progress.	
Research Task	Week 4
Design & Practical Task	Week 12
Design & Practical Task	Week 18
E-Portfolio	Week 19

Introduction to Food Technology

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Units of Inquiry		
Introduction to Sensory Design - Crumble		
Statement of Inquiry: Design is an intentional and rigorous plan for improvement.		
Criteria for Sensory Design - Pizza		
Statement of Inquiry: Specific criteria enables more effective design.		
Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
Practical Lessons	Weeks 4, 6, 9, 13, 16.	
Crumble Design Task:	Week 19	
Design Task - Pizza	Week 16	
Demonstration Grids	Week 17	

STEAM

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Units of Inquiry

Introduction to Robotics

Statement of Inquiry: Designers adapt the form in which information is communicated in order to make it accessible to the end-user.

Introduction to 3D Design and Printing

Statement of Inquiry: Manipulating form and function can cause change within a system.

Introduction to Coding using Scratch

Statement of Inquiry: Designers adapt the form in which information is communicated in order to make it accessible to the end-user.

Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
EV3 Robotics Challenge	Week 4	
3D Design Challenge	Week 8	

INDIVIDUALS AND SOCIETIES

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- Criterion A: Knowing and understanding Students use a range of terminology in context.
 Students demonstrate knowledge and understanding of subject-specific content and concepts, through descriptions, explanations and examples.
- Criterion B: Investigating Students formulate/choose a clear and focused research
 question, explaining its relevance. Students formulate and follow an action plan to
 investigate a research question. Students use methods to collect and record relevant
 information. Students evaluate the process and results of the investigation, with guidance.
- Criterion C: Communicating Students communicate information and ideas in a way that is appropriate for the audience and purpose. Students structure information and ideas according to the task instructions. Students create a reference list and cite sources of information.
- Criterion D: Thinking critically Students analyse concepts, issues, models, visual representation and/or theories. Students summarize information to make valid, wellsupported arguments. Students analyse a range of sources/data in terms of origin and purpose, recognizing value and limitations. Students recognize different perspectives and explain their implications.

Units of Inquiry			
Water in the World			
Statement of Inquiry: Healthy water sys	Statement of Inquiry: Healthy water systems provide meaning and inspiration to cultures.		
Place and Liveability	Place and Liveability		
Statement of Inquiry: Communities change through interaction with the environment.			
Civics 101			
Statement of Inquiry: Our choices impact the global economy and our resources.			
Assessment Task Due Date			
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual			
teacher feedback on progress.			
Creative Response and Rationale	Week 7		
Case study	Week 13		
Civics Assessment	Week 14-16		

LANGUAGE ACQUISITION

French

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 Students engage with the spoken and visual text by identifying ideas, opinions and attitudes and by making a personal response to the text.
- Criterion B: Comprehending written and visual text Students identify basic facts, messages, main ideas and supporting details. Students recognize basic aspects of format and style, and author's purpose for writing. Students engage with the written and visual text by identifying ideas, opinions and attitudes and by making a personal response to the text.
- Criterion C: Communicating in response to spoken and/or written and/or visual text Students respond appropriately to simple short phrases. Students interact in simple and
 rehearsed exchanges, using verbal and non-verbal language. Students use basic phrases to
 communicate ideas, feelings and information on a variety of aspects of everyday topics.
 Students communicate with a sense of audience.
- Criterion D: Using language in spoken and/or written form Students write and/or speak using a basic range of vocabulary, grammatical structures and conventions; when speaking, use clear pronunciation and intonation. Students organize basic information and use a range of basic cohesive devices. Students use language to suit the context.

Units of Inquiry

Ma famille et moi

Statement of Inquiry: Using accurate structures and accent allows us to convey a message and make connections with others.

Tu me comprends?

Statement of Inquiry: Learning a language involves thinking creatively in order to understand and convey meaning.

Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
Family – listening task	Week 5	
Family – speaking task	Week 7	
School - reading task	Week 15	
Directions - writing	Week 16	

Indonesian

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Units of Inquiry

Menavigasi duniaku- Navigating my world

Statement of Inquiry: The purpose of language learning is to communicate with others to better understand their message.

Mari kita rayakan!- Let's celebrate!

Statement of Inquiry: Cultural norms and differences are based on individuals point of view and context.

Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
Listening test	Week 5	
Interview task	Week 7	
Reading test	Week 15	
Writing test	Week 16	

Japanese

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Units of Inquiry

Let's Celebrate!

Statement of Inquiry: Cultural meanings and conventions affect our use of time and space.

Going Out for the Day

Statement of Inquiry: Language is used purposefully to communicate about the personal and cultural world around us.

Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
Listening Task	Week 5	
Speaking Task	Week 7	
Writing Task	Week 9	
Reading Task	Week 14	

LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

MYP Assessment Criteria

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- Criterion A: Analysing Students identify and explain the content, context, language, structure, technique and style of text(s) and the relationship among texts. Students identify and explain the effects of the creator's choices on an audience. Students justify opinions and ideas, using examples, explanations and terminology. Students interpret similarities and differences in features within and between genres and texts.
- Criterion B: Organizing Students employ organizational structures that serve the context and intention. Students organize opinions and ideas in a coherent and logical manner.
 Students use referencing and formatting tools to create a presentation style suitable to the context and intention.
- Criterion C: Producing text Students produce texts that demonstrate thought, imagination
 and sensitivity, while exploring and considering new perspectives and ideas arising from
 personal engagement with the creative process. Students make stylistic choices in terms of
 linguistic, literary and visual devices, demonstrating awareness of impact on an audience.
 Students select relevant details and examples to develop ideas.
- Criterion D: Using language Students use appropriate and varied vocabulary, sentence structures and forms of expression. Students write and speak in an appropriate register and style. Students use correct grammar, syntax and punctuation. Students spell (alphabetic languages), write (character languages) and pronounce with accuracy. Students use appropriate non-verbal communication techniques.

Units of Inquiry

Imagined Worlds

Statement of Inquiry: Writers are able to use their creativity to move beyond the bounds of space and time through exploring familiar themes in unfamiliar settings.

World Cinema and Perspectives

Statement of Inquiry: Critical literacy helps us understand that perspectives and purpose can influence an audience.

Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
Imagined Worlds Creative Response	Week 6	
Analytical Essay	Week 10	
Film Techniques Oral Presentation	Week 15	

MATHEMATICS

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- Criterion A: Knowing and understanding Students select appropriate mathematics when solving problems in both familiar and unfamiliar situations. Students apply the selected mathematics successfully when solving problems. Students solve problems correctly in a variety of contexts.
- Criterion B: Investigating patterns Students select and apply mathematical problemsolving techniques to discover complex patterns. Students describe patterns as relationships and/or general rules consistent with findings. Students verify and justify relationships and/or general rules.
- Criterion C: Communicating Students use appropriate mathematical language (notation, symbols and terminology) in both oral and written explanations. Students use appropriate forms of mathematical representation to present information. Students move between different forms of mathematical representation. Students communicate complete and coherent mathematical lines of reasoning. Students organize information using a logical structure.
- Criterion D: Applying mathematics in real-life contexts Students identify relevant
 elements of authentic real-life situations. Students select appropriate mathematical
 strategies when solving authentic real-life situations. Students apply the selected
 mathematical strategies successfully to reach a solution. Students explain the degree of
 accuracy of a solution. Students explain whether a solution makes sense in the context of
 the authentic real-life situation.

Units of Inquiry

Parts of a Whole

Statement of Inquiry: Students will understand that different can be equal through exploring fractions, decimals, percentages and probability.

Shape

Statement of Inquiry: Students will understand how form and shape allows us to describe real world objects through exploring aspects of measurement and geometry.

Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
Rational numbers task	Week 2	
Probability test	Week 7	
Rational numbers assignment	Week 10	
Measurement assignment	Week 15	
Geometry in-class investigation	Week 16	
Geometry test	Week 18	

PHYSICAL & HEALTH EDUCATION

MYP Assessment Criteria

Students are assessed against four equally weighted assessment criteria. Each criterion has eight possible achievement levels (1-8), divided into four bands with unique descriptors that teachers use to make judgments about students' work.

- Criterion A: Knowing and understanding Students describe physical and health education factual, procedural and conceptual knowledge. Students apply physical and health education knowledge to explain issues and solve problems set in familiar and unfamiliar situations. Students apply physical and health terminology effectively to communicate understanding.
- Criterion B: Planning for performance Students outline goals to enhance performance. Students design and explain a plan for improving physical performance and health.
- Criterion C: Applying and performing Students demonstrate and apply a range of skills and techniques. Students demonstrate and apply a range of strategies and movement concepts. Students outline and apply information to perform effectively.
- Criterion D: Reflecting and improving performance Students describe and demonstrate strategies to enhance interpersonal skills. Students explain the effectiveness of a plan based on the outcome. Students explain and evaluate performance.

Units of Inquiry

Practical- Dance, Hockey, Mod Tennis, Buroinjin/European Handball, Football (Soccer), Basketball, Fitness.

Statements of Inquiry:

- We begin to understand the need for communication skills through interacting in teams.
- We begin to understand the effect of balance and movement during the changes that occur in competitions.

Health - Puberty and Relationships

Statement of Inquiry: We develop an understanding of the physical, psychological and social changes in ourselves and how our body adapts to function as an adult.

Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
Summative- Planning for performance and reflecting and improving performance.		
Formative assessment- Ongoing class tasks	Ongoing	
and class participation, including peer and		
individual feedback on progress		
Dance	Week 2	
Health – Relationships and Puberty	Week 5	
T-ball	Ongoing	
Hockey	Ongoing	
Mod Tennis	Ongoing	
Buroijin/European handball/Basketball	Ongoing	
Football (Soccer)	Ongoing	
Fitness	Ongoing	

SCIENCES

MYP Assessment Criteria

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- Criterion A: Knowing and understanding Students describe scientific knowledge. Students apply scientific knowledge and understanding to solve problems set in familiar and unfamiliar situations. Students analyse information to make scientifically supported judgments.
- Criterion B: Inquiring and designing Students describe a problem or question to be tested by a scientific investigation. Students outline a testable hypothesis and explain it using scientific reasoning. Students describe how to manipulate the variables, and describe how data will be collected. Students design scientific investigations.
- Criterion C: Processing and evaluating Students present collected and transformed data. Students interpret data and describe results using scientific reasoning. Students discuss the validity of a hypothesis based on the outcome of the scientific investigation. Students discuss the validity of the method. Students describe improvements or extensions to the method.
- Criterion D: Reflecting on the impacts of science Students describe the ways in which
 science is applied and used to address a specific problem or issue. Students discuss and
 analyse the various implications of using science and its application in solving a specific
 problem or issue. Students apply scientific language effectively. Students document the
 work of others and sources of information used.

Units of Inquiry

Earth Resources

Statement of Inquiry: Students will understand that patterns within systems influence the way we use resources through inquiry into systems within the environment on Earth and beyond.

Cycles & Seasons

Statement of Inquiry: Students will understand that patterns within systems influence the way we use resources through inquiry into systems within the environment on Earth and beyond.

Classification

Statement of Inquiry: Students will understand that a variety of factors influence the diversity of living things through inquiry into human interactions within ecosystems.

Ecology

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Assessment Task	Due Date	
Formative assessment - Ongoing class tasks and class participation, including peer and individual		
teacher feedback on progress.		
Resources Assignment	Week 4	
Resources Test	Week 5	
Classification Assignment	Week 14	
Classification Test	Week 14	