* GCSE ART EXAM SKETCHBOOK/BOARD 3
* DEADLINE – TUESDAY 31ST MARCH
* Choose from your subject matter and your artists and concentrate on ideas for your final piece.
* Practise what style you are going to use. Produce a minimum of 3 studies to help you become confident using that style.
* Ideas for Final design/Composition: Produce a minimum of 2 initial ideas sketched out. Which design/composition will you choose for final piece? What medium will you use for final piece? Paint/Pencil/Print/ Mixed Media/Silk-Painting ? etc.
* You MUST try out any new or existing techniques that you are using for your final piece.
* Practise your use of colours in your chosen medium. Practise the technique and write notes (annotation) to explain your thought process.
* Produce a practice piece for your final design. Explain how your piece links to the artist or culture. What effect/ atmosphere are you trying to create, how are you doing that?

Ensure your boards/sketchbook includes;

* Spider diagram to ponder your chosen question.
* Things collected from gallery/museum. Extra photographs you have taken.
* Cuttings from magazines/newspapers/tickets/postcards/illustrations from books etc.
* Internet images. Drawings from images.
* Bits of info/comments/ observations based around your artists.
* Testing out material eg. which paint works best on particular surface or how to create particular effects.
* Planning colours schemes on photocopies of your design.
* Rough sketches or design ideas.
* Notes on how and why you have done things, how successful they have been and why.