

## **DESIGN**

## HOW WILL I BENEFIT FROM STUDYING DESIGN?

The study of Design provides you with opportunities to engage in the exploration and production of innovative designed solutions. You will develop your creative thinking and problem-solving skills through the practical application of design thinking, drawing, and prototyping to clearly communicate solutions in response to design briefs.

You will work both independently and collaboratively, to make discerning decisions when conceptualising creative products, and will learn about and work with contemporary and emerging technologies to create quality prototypes.

## WHAT ARE THE TOPICS IN YEAR 8?

- Graphic Design: Adobe Photoshop (prototype)
- Communication Design: Digital Sketching, Procreate (portfolio)
- Product Design: Adobe Illustrator and Laser Cutter (portfolio and prototype)

## WHAT IS THE ASSESSMENT?

- The assessment in year 8 requires you to deliver portfolios and prototypes.
- The two key dimensions assessed are (1) Knowledge and Understanding and (2) Processes and Production Skills