

# Upcoming events and projects at Hathershaw

Community arts projects: An exciting opportunity!  
 We are delighted to announce we have been asked to create artwork for the new Oldham Community Diagnostic Centre. Visual arts students will be creating the project and leading with their ideas. The centre is now open and provides the latest diagnostic technology to patients.



**Upcoming Events in music:**  
 Choir at Oldham Vocal Gala at Newman R.C. College – 6th February  
 MiSST Together at The Hathershaw College – 1st March  
 Year 7 Hallé Trip to The Bridgewater Hall – 7th March  
 Year 8/9 Trip to The Lowry – 8th March  
 Orchestra Modulo Event at The Royal Northern College of Music – 17th March  
 Beat Goes On Workshops in school – 28th March  
 MiSST Annual Concert at Theatre Royal, Drury Lane, London – 24th April  
 MiSST Residential at Gresham's School, Norfolk – 12th – 14th July

Expressive & Performing



# The Art & Design Department go on tour!



We value very much the importance of students experiencing galleries and exhibitions and having the opportunity to participate in workshops alongside practitioners. Different groups of students have experienced the visual arts in different settings and we took our thoughts and ideas back to the classrooms. We visited The Whitworth and spent time looking at and talking about the exciting exhibitions at The Lowry and Salford Quays, Oldham art gallery as well as Manchester Art Gallery.

Many more trips and visits are planned for the department! Watch this space.

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 🧡 This girl is on fire 🧡  
 Celebrating the wonderful art and design homework handed in by Maria.  
 Titled "Where do Ideas come from"  
 #CelebrateArtsmark  
 #Artists #art #creativity #annotation



Did you know that The Hathershaw College is currently working towards Artsmark? Artsmark believes in great arts, culture, and creativity for all.

the Whitworth

Manchester Art Gallery

THE LOWRY

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This term was a busy one for the Music Department. In September we opened our newly refurbished music classrooms and practice rooms, which give us much more space to run our lessons and rehearsals. We have also seen the return of Choir, Orchestra and DJ/Production Club and extra-curricular instrumental lessons. As part of the MiSST Programme, 8 students were able to attend the Autumn MiSST Together Day at The Radclyffe School; Hathershaw students joined students from across the North to put a performance together, with very little rehearsal before!



# National Youth Orchestra perform with Hathershaw students

On Monday 9th January we welcomed 100 members of The National Youth Orchestra of Great Britain, fresh from their Winter tour. Students across year 7, 8 and 9 had the opportunity to participate in workshops with members of NYO to create simple short pieces of music. In addition, some students became members of NYO in a side-by-side activity, where students learned to play 'Jigsaw' by composer Dani Howard. Students in this activity sat within the orchestra and played for this piece. Students on the Year 10 Music Course worked alongside NYO staff as ambassadors and helped to run the day. The whole school was treated to a live performance by NYO, featuring Hathershaw students and this was streamed around the building for those who could not attend live. Staff described the day as magical, while one student exclaimed, "I wish everyday could be like this!" We hope all students who participated enjoyed their experience and are incredibly proud of the work, attitude and behaviour displayed in workshops and rehearsals.



## Theatre visit



On November 5th, we took 97 students to see a performance of The Lion King at The Palace Theatre, Manchester. Students had a great time and we are already thinking about our next theatre visit.



**National  
Youth Orchestra  
of Great Britain**