## **GRAPHIC DESIGN**

Week 3 HW - Carborundum printing

3A1 and 3B1 Deadline: Lesson Monday 28th September 2020 3M1 and 3M2 Deadline: Lesson Wednesday 30th September 2020

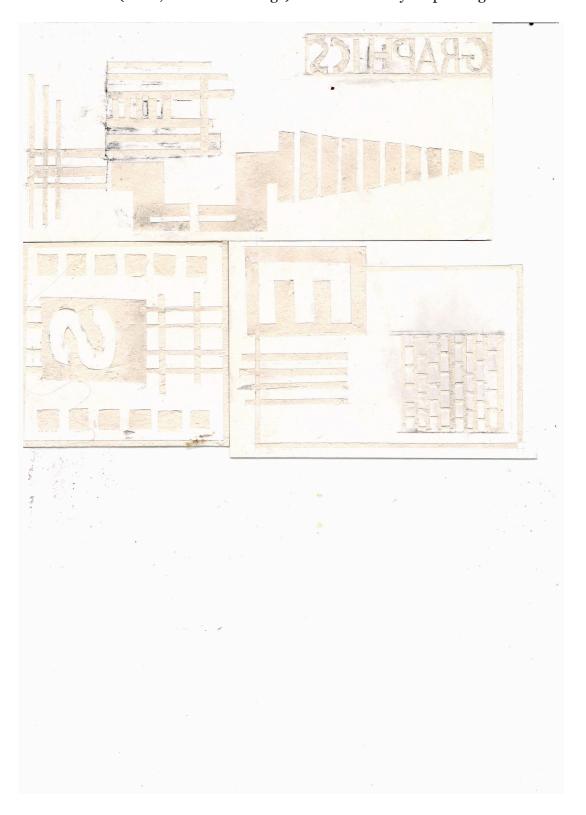
**Task:** You are to produce an imaginative two-page A4 spread creating carborundum prints of a minimum of 3 of your own designs from your collages or digital adaptations from your previous week's homeworks.

- 1. Start by tracing 3 of your designs in pencil, thinking about which designs would work well as a print and will fit well on the page. Try to avoid designs with too much typography as this will be difficult to cut out.
- 2. Flip the the paper over and trace back onto the carborundum (as demonstrated in class a demonstration video is also available via Teams). Please make sure that any text will then appear in reverse so that it will appear the correct way around when printing. Ensure that you prepare 3 carborundums.
- 3. Start to cut your carborundum's out as demonstrated in class remembering not to cut too hard into the carborundum and peeling away the top layer. Think about which areas you are going to cut away as this will appear in black when you come to print.
- 4. You are to create 6 (2 for each design to print on) collage bases using different techniques and colours to give your designs each a different look e.g. bright papers, neutral colours, ripped edges, straight edges etc. Make the bases larger than the carborumdum itself approx. 1 cm longer on each side to give your print a border.
- 5. You will be printing your carborundum's in the design studio using the print press, as demonstrated in class. Remember to spray your paper wet first and blot off before you print. Make sure the printing press feels tight otherwise ask a technician to help with this. Your prints will then need to be left under a board so that they dry flat.

## Presentation

This presentation will count highly for you overall AS mark so be creative present your work carefully, think about the colours/shapes etc you are using.

Carborundums (small, medium and large) cut out and ready for printing



## Collage bases ready for printing on

