

# **Expressive Arts - Year 7 - Term 4**

## **Atmosphere and Tension**

### **Homework Project**

Each task should be presented in written form and should also include 3 'conclusion' paragraphs – one per subject area – outlining how well you think you've done in each subject this term.

**Art -**

**Research the painting 'Guernica' by Pablo Picasso. Find out something about the history of the painting and why Picasso painted it.**

**In the painting Picasso has used simple images, shapes and symbols to represent the story of Guernica and the horror of war. Find out the meaning behind some of the images and why Picasso chose to include them. For example the drawing of the flower represents peace and hope for a better future.**

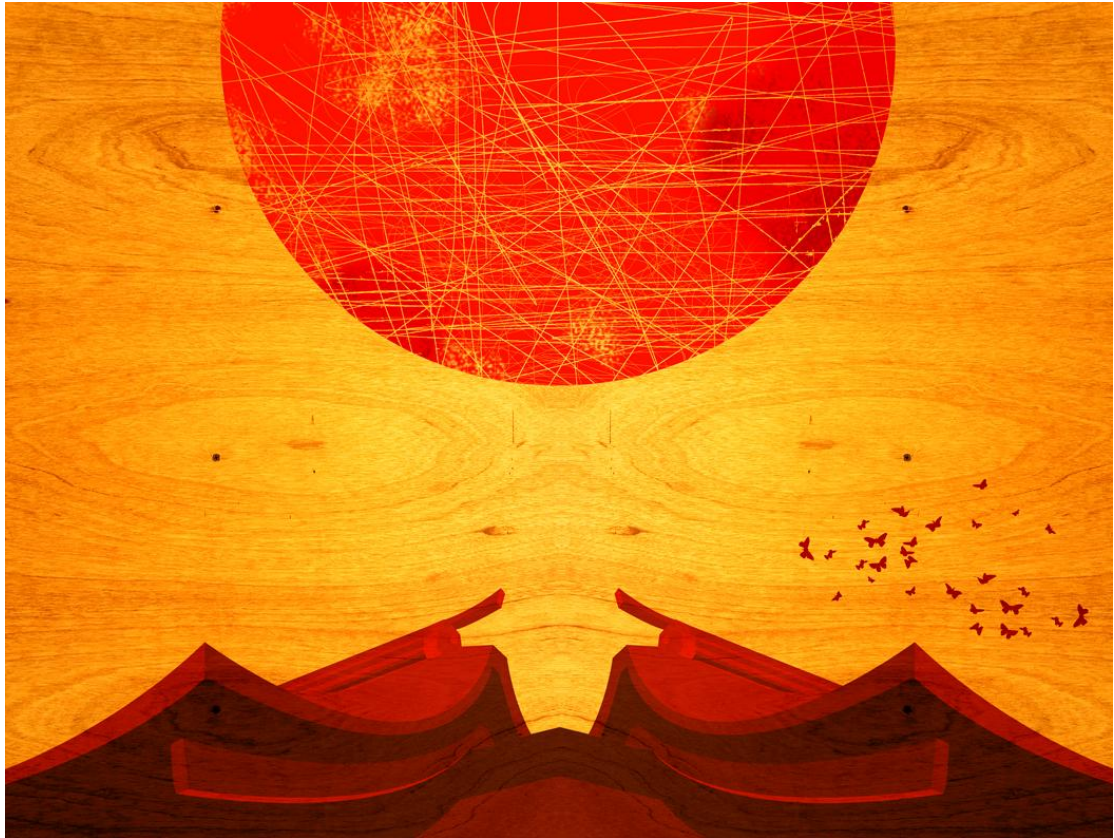
**In your own words describe how Picasso has succeeded in creating the atmosphere**

**and tension of war.**



**Music** – Research based on The Planets and Gustav Holst

- How does Holst use the Orchestral instruments in The Planets. Compare this with the way you have used your chosen instruments for your Planet
- Describe how the melody you have composed captures the essence of your chosen Planet



**Drama** – Research based around Tension

- Write about what 'tension' means and how it is used in Drama
- Make a list of techniques you could use to create tension in your devised work
- Explain your understanding of a moral dilemma and give an example

**Don't forget the 3 paragraphs of reflection on your work in each subject area too**