## **High School & Sixth Form**



## Upper 5 textiles - dress making



Eleanor in Upper 5 has created this unique and personal garment based around her family's history. The images she has used have been photocopied from photo albums dating back over 100 years ago and then dipped in wax to enable them to be sewn together. She has aged, burnt, stained and patchworked her fabrics together to create a wearable family tree.

Eleanor plans to wear this dress and photograph herself wearing her heritage from the decades before her, to then turn into another corset design. The personal meaning and story behind what she has created is extraordinary and her attention to detail is phenomenal. I can't wait to see her next design.

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