

QUALIFICATION:- BTEC Level 3

You will study the following units:-

You will complete compulsory units in Visual Recording in Art and Design. Materials and Processes and Ideas and Concepts. If you opt to take the double award you will also do a Compulsory Unit in Contextual Studies in Art and Design.

You will complete a variety of optional units related to your areas of interest and the group.

The units have a vocational element such as photography on location, digital imaging, graphic design, animation, 3D media such as ceramics and sculpture, print making and textiles.

You will also gain understanding of what it is like to work in the Art & Design industry and freelance.

New Skills you will learn or develop further:-

- manage and organise your own time.
- participate fully in learning.
- produce work for assessment.
- develop creativity, communication and presentation skills.
- develop practical skills in a wide range of materials and processes.
- understand more about the world of art and design.

Possible careers paths you could follow include:-

Product design; graphic design; textile design; computer games design; architecture; theatre design; photographer; crafts person; illustrator; animator; hairdresser; fashion designer; jeweller; surface pattern design; landscape architect.

SUBJECT:- Art and Design

Entry Profile for your course:-

- You will be a creative student who is willing to work hard in your own time (5 hours per week).
- You should enjoy drawing, painting and making things.
- You should be interested in the work of other artists, crafts people and designers.
- You should be prepared to learn new skills.
- You will be required to buy your own materials and sketchbooks and will be expected to continue your coursework outside of lesson time
- In the autumn term you will have the opportunity to visit museums and galleries in London.

Entry Requirements:-

To be eligible, you will need to have at least 5 GCSEs grade A*-C including Art

How will my course be assessed:-

Your work will be assessed by your teachers. Each unit will be given a pass, merit or distinction.

All marks are awarded for coursework. The grades will be checked by an internal and an external verifier.

When will my course be assessed:-

Your work will be finished, submitted, graded and verified as each unit is completed.

Unit progress is assessed every four weeks and feedback is given to provide opportunity for improvement.