



# Pearson BTEC Level 1/Level 2 First Award in Music

## Course Details

**Exam Board: Pearson**

**Percentage of the course that is internally  
assessed: 75%**

**Percentage of the course that is an external  
exam: 25%**



# What does the qualification cover?



This course offers an engaging introduction to the real world of the Music industry. It incorporates a variety of different aspects from within the industry including Careers, Sequencing, Composing and promotion of a product. This interactive course offers you the practical application of knowledge through DAW such as Garageband on a suite of Mac computers.

The qualification is 120 GLH and level 1/level 2, which is the same size and level as a GCSE, and is aimed at everyone who wants to develop their understanding of different areas within the music industry.

The units studied are:

The music industry - Examined paper 1 hour

Managing a music Product - Assigned project

Introduction to Composing - Assigned project

Introduction to Sequencing - Assigned project

# How will I be assessed?

Unit 1 is a written exam which is assessed by the exam board.

For the remainder of the units You will be presented with a brief which you and your class will work through with your teacher these are then assessed by your teacher and moderated by the exam board.

# Where can this take me?

Level 2 BTEC qualifications can carry you through to level 3 BTEC qualifications or on to an apprenticeship in a recording studio or similar.

