BTEC Tech Award in Music Practice

Course Details:

Exam Board: Pearson Percentage of the course which is internally assessed: 60% Percentage of the course which is externally assessed: 40%





This course offers an engaging introduction to the real work of the music industry. It incorporates a variety of different aspects from within the industry including Careers, Composing, sequencing and performing.

This course is a level 2 qualification which is the equivalent of a GCSE and is aimed at students who want to develop their understanding of the music industry.

The Units studied are:

Component 1: Exploring music products and styles.

Component 2: Music Skills Development.

Component 3: Responding to a commercial music brief.

How will I be assessed?

Unit 3 is an externally assessed practical unit which is set 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 and is moderated by the exam board.

Where can this take me?

The British Music industry is worth £3.1 Billion with almost 200,000 people working within the industry in the UK. A BTEC in music gives you the skills to start forging your career in the music industry on the way to a level 3 BTEC in Music or even an apprenticeship in a studio.