

PERFORMING ARTS

BTEC Level 3 Diploma Course Description

A highly practical qualification which offers creative students the chance to excel in a wide range of performance related units. BTEC Performing Arts allows students to master independent learning, creating and facilitating workshops, leading lessons, devising performances, developing key performance skills and taking a lead role as a director, to achieve an ultimate vision. Ideal for students who prefer coursework based subjects as opposed to written examinations.

Entry Requirements

GCSE Average: 3.6 GCSE grade 4 in English.

Merit in L2 BTEC if taken.



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Progression

BTEC aims to equip students with a vast array of performance related skills as well as leadership and independence. BTEC Performing Arts is a recognised qualification and refreshing alternative to A Level. BTEC Performing Arts meets the admission requirements for many BA Hons courses including: English with Theatre and Performance, Media Studies, Acting and Performance, Hospitality, Leisure, Sport and Tourism. The course also provides many employability skills such as cognitive and intrapersonal skills and can help you progress in to work based placements within the theatre or media sector, teaching, nursery teaching, social work, project management and customer service.



Course Details

Units to be studied include:

Unit 1 - Investigating Practitioners Work	Unit 4 - Community Arts
Unit 2 - Developing Skills and Techniques for Live Performance	Unit 21 - Improvisation Performance
Unit 3 - Group Performance Workshop	Unit 26 - Physical Theatre Techniques



“This course has so far allowed me to explore a variety of practitioners, giving me a varied bank of techniques that I feel confident using in performances. I have enjoyed exploring how an actor’s career progresses and the skills that they develop”



Further Information

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