

Performing Arts



Subject Area	Performing Arts
Course Type	School Leavers
Study Level	Level 2
Delivery Mode	Full-time
Location	Lister Building
Duration	1 Academic Year
Start Date	September 2026
Course Code	PA000108

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Course Summary

Step into the world of performance with our UAL Level 2 Diploma in Performing and Production Arts.

This course is perfect for anyone passionate about acting, singing, dancing, or working behind the scenes. You'll gain a strong foundation in performance and production skills while building confidence and creativity.

As part of Bradford College's Producing Academy, you'll collaborate with other creatives, work on exciting projects, and experience what it takes to bring a show to life.

What You Will Learn

Explore the essentials of performance through practical workshops in drama, dance,

and music. Learn how to rehearse effectively, develop stage presence, and understand the process of creating a production from start to finish. Research the history and context of performing arts to inspire your work, and take on a final major project where you'll plan, produce, and perform a staged piece for a live audience.

Every project helps you grow as a performer and prepares you for progression into higher-level study.

Modules

Unit 1 – Introduction to Performance

Unit 2 – Introduction to Production

Unit 3 – Communicating with an Audience

Unit 4 – Staging a Performance

Unit 5 – Contextual Research for Performance and Production

Unit 6 – Performance Skills and Practice

Unit 7 – Production Skills and Practice

Unit 8 – Personal Project and Presentation

Unit 9 – Producing and Performing to an Audience – (Level 2)

Or

Unit 10 – Producing and Performing to an Audience – (Level 3)

Entry Requirements

4 GCSEs including Maths Grade 2 and English Grade 3

Work Experience

Work experience is built into the course, giving you the chance to gain hands-on experience in professional settings. You'll work on live projects, collaborate with

industry professionals, and develop essential skills such as time management and teamwork. Our strong links include The Royal Shakespeare Company, Dance United, and Bradford Council—providing opportunities to see how the performing arts industry operates behind the scenes.

Progression

On completion, you can progress to the Level 3 Diploma in Performing and Production Arts or explore other creative qualifications. This course is your first step towards a career in theatre, TV, or film.

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