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Music, Performance & Production



Subject Area	Music
Course Type	School Leavers
Study Level	Level 3
Delivery Mode	Full-time
Duration	2 Academic Years
Start Date	September 2027
Course Code	PA000105

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Course Summary

Take your music skills to the next level with our UAL Level 3 Diploma and Extended Diploma in Music, Performance and Production. This course is designed for aspiring musicians, producers, and performers who want to develop advanced technical and creative skills. You'll work on professional-standard projects, perform at live events, and produce original music for a range of contexts.

As part of the Producing Academy, you'll collaborate with other creatives, gain industry insights, and build a portfolio that showcases your talent.

What You Will Learn

Immerse yourself in the world of music through practical, project-based learning. Develop advanced skills in performance, songwriting, and music production using industry-standard software and equipment. Work on briefs that challenge you to compose for film, TV, or games, produce professional-quality recordings, and manage live events. Alongside creative work, you'll explore the business side of

music, including promotion, marketing, and distribution. By the end of the course, you'll have a portfolio of performances and productions ready for higher education or industry roles.

Modules

Year 1:

- Principles of performance
- Engaging with an audience
- Introduction to professional practice
- Critical and contextual awareness
- Production skills and context
- Performance skills and context
- Preparation for specialist study
- Collaborative performance project

Year 2:

- Developing performance and production skills
- Preparing for progression
- Exploration of specialist study and context
- Extended project

Entry Requirements

4 GCSEs including English Grade 4 Maths Grade 3. You will be invited to attend an informal music audition. We recommend selecting a piece that you feel confident performing, and that reflects your current level of musical ability.

Work Experience

There will be opportunities to work on live briefs with real life clients. Students will be encouraged and supported to make industry links.

Progression

Move on to degree-level study in Music Performance, Production, or Sound Engineering,

or start a career in song writing, event management, or live sound. Your portfolio and industry experience will prepare you for success in the music business.

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