



The Course

In brief...

This qualification offers learners the opportunity to develop their technical skills through a process of self-evaluation, practice and review. In addition to the Music sector-specific content, the requirements of the study programme mean that learners develop the transferable skills that are needed to progress in further education and ultimately higher education and employment, for example communication, planning and managing projects and creative problem solving. The qualification also supports learners in becoming more confident in taking ownership of and responsibility for their own direction, work and choices.

Who is it for?

The Extended Certificate, is for 16-19 learners who are looking to study Music as part of a one-year course alongside development of English and maths. It supports progression to Level 3 study in Music or Music Production, or can provide fundamental creative skills which are valued in other subject areas such as creative media, Production Arts or Art. It could also support progression to an apprenticeship in a related sector.

What the Course Leads to

What courses can I do after this?

Progression within The College to the BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Music or the BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Music Production course, or to full or part time employment within the sector.

What jobs can I get?

Musician, songwriter, composer, engineer, producer.

What do I need to apply

To do this course you should have...

You will require a minimum of 4 GCSEs at grades A*-D including English and maths grades 9-3 (formerly A*-D). Alternatively successful completion of a relevant Level 1 qualification and have achieved a Level 2 Functional Skill in English and maths.

What about work experience?

All students will participate in a minimum of 30 hours of course related work placement, virtual work experience and work related learning.

Course costs

Course Code	Start Date	Costs 16-18	Costs 19-23 (with concessions)	Costs 19+ (no concessions)
BP01501	03/09/2024	£60.00	N/A	N/A

* Please note fees are subject to change.

Key Information

Duration

1 Year

Attendance

Full-time

Level

Level 2

Qualification Name

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Awarding Body

Various

Curriculum Area

Creative and Digital Industries - Music

Course Content

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Learners taking this qualification will study three mandatory units:

- Exploring Music
- Professional Development
- Music Project

They will also choose one optional unit from:

- Creating Music
- Sound Engineering

Next Steps ...

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