

### UAL Art and Design (Routes in Art and Design, Photography, Fashion and Textiles) (Extended Diploma) Level 3



#### In a nutshell

This new and innovative 2-year course helps you to find out what interests you most in art and design and to develop some of the essential skills that underpin creative disciplines.

#### This course is for you if...

- ... You're creative
- ... You want to develop practical skills
- ... You want a course that reflects industry experience

#### What will I be doing?

We are excited to be an approved centre for the University of the Arts London (UAL) awarding body. This course will encourage and stretch you to communicate visually, think conceptually



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and develop problem solving and practical techniques.

With access to professionally equipped art and design workshops and studios, you'll learn through experimentation using a broad range of 2D, 3D and digital processes. Projects will help you to gain a contextual understanding of art and design and support you to make and articulate your personal journey and interpretations. Throughout your journey you'll be taught and supported by tutors with extensive skills, knowledge and experience of industrial practice and education within the creative arts. Throughout the year, you'll be encouraged to develop personal affinities and interests. In term 3, you'll negotiate a self-initiated project, enabling you to identify a more specialist area of interest, such as fashion and textiles, fine art, 3D design, photography or IT.

You'll be assessed through coursework and, upon completion, you'll achieve:

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Appropriate supporting qualifications to broaden your skill set

[Skills Activities](#)

[English and Maths](#)

### What is expected of me?

To enter the course, you'll need a minimum of 5 GCSEs at Grade C or above, to include Art and either Maths/Maths Numeracy or English/Welsh First Language, or an appropriate Level 2 Diploma qualification at Merit Grade with GCSEs, to include either Maths/Maths Numeracy or English/Welsh First Language at Grade C or above.

Full commitment to attendance is required, as is respect for others, enthusiasm for the subject, self-motivation, creative ability and a desire to succeed.

### What comes next?

On successful completion of the one year diploma, you have the opportunity to progress onto the second (Extended) year, where you may focus on a specialism of your choice, as well as working across media and workshops that will enable you to select your creative pathway in an informed way.

Progression to Higher Education is on successful completion of year two. Here at Coleg Gwent,

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we offer a wide range of HE courses at Foundation Degree and HND (Higher National Diploma) level in the creative areas of Fashion and Textiles, Illustration and Photography. We'll also prepare and guide you through the UCAS application process, enabling you to apply to a wide range of degree programmes within the creative arts.

### **Additional information**

Our aim is to make it as easy as possible to secure your place on your ideal programme. We welcome you to our open evenings and taster sessions (see website for current dates), enabling you to experience our creative workshops and visit our well-equipped creative environment.

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