

Performing Arts (Double)

Diploma in Performing Arts equivalent to 2 'A' Levels



Why choose Performing Arts?

This Performing Arts course is very wide ranging and allows the student to select a diverse combination of disciplines including acting, dance, singing, musical theatre, T.V. and Film performance, classical theatre, industry knowledge and community theatre. It also offers specialist training in selected areas of study building upon and developing new skills. Students will discover largely through practical-based learning the principles and effective stage performance. The course is predominantly practical where students will take part in numerous live performance events.

- Gives students specialist and practical knowledge
- Focuses on particular working aspects of the performing arts industry
- Students may select from of a wide range of disciplines
- Many opportunities to take part in public performances and events
- Specialist training in a variety of acting styles
- **No examination, coursework assignments only**
- Excellent value added examination results
- Brand new purpose-built facilities
- Provides specialist training in preparation for professional acting auditions

Course Details

Qualification Type: BTEC Diploma in Performing Arts
Equivalent to 2 full 'A' levels

Requirements: You will study a combination of units over two years. Each unit has a credit value.

BTEC Nationals are qualifications that are designed to provide specialist work-related qualifications. They provide you with the knowledge, understanding and skills that you need to prepare for higher education or employment.

Unit Titles:

Core:

Performance Workshop
Performing Arts Business
Performing to an audience

Optional:

Students choose ***NINE Optional units in total some of the units include the following:***

Classical Theatre Performance
Contemporary Theatre Performance
Musical Theatre Performance
Variety performance
Performing with masks
Acting auditions
Principles of acting
Film & T.V Acting
Dance performance
Choreographing dances
Developing Contemporary Dance
Jazz Dance
Singing Skills for Actors and Dancers
Arts in the Community

Student comments:

"Performing Arts at the Alun has enabled me to develop so many skills. I chose to focus on Dance as my specialist subject and the course has provided me with the skills needed to start my career in the performing arts industry when I leave. We are given lots of opportunities to contribute to the work and take part in many different public performances which is valuable experience". Hannah Jackson

Departmental Information:

For further information see Mrs Sian Ashton (Head of Department) or ask for a Performing Arts Brochure