



UAL Level 2 Diploma in Art & Design (Full-Time)

The UAL Level 2 Diploma in Art & Design is a full-time further education course designed for students wishing to gain experience and technical skills in a range of artistic specialisms. Students will have identified a specific career in the creative industries that they wish to progress to (e.g. fashion designer, graphic designer, product designer, Architect), using this qualification as a starting point. This is located in the Creative, Visual and Performing Arts (CVP) department.

Entry Requirements

Applicants are considered individually to ensure that they have the potential to achieve the qualification. Two GCSE's (grade C or above) are desirable (Newtown only - Two GCSE's grade D or above are desirable), along with a portfolio of creative work.

Career Prospects

This qualification will help learners to enter higher level courses, e.g. Level 3 Diploma and prepare them for employment in the field of art and design.

The creative industries are a real success story, generating £36 billion a year and employ 1.5 million people in the UK. Become part of the next generation of Animators, Fashion designers, Vehicle designers, Advertising & App creatives, Photographers, Interior designers, Concept artists, Film Set designers, Jewellery designers & Fine Artists, etc.

Course Modules

You will explore materials, techniques and concepts in a variety of pathway areas including: Graphics, Illustration, Time-based, Textiles, Fashion, Photography, Design Crafts, 3D design and Fine Art; painting, printmaking and sculpture.

In the final term you will specialise in one of these main pathway areas allowing you to prepare your portfolio for progression on to a Level 3 course and / or employment.

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Canolfan Adeiladwaith Abertawe

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Assessment

You will learn through a variety of ways using workshops, demonstrations, group work, independent projects which increase in length, freedom of choice and complexity.

Year 1 starts with a 10 week Exploratory stage introducing you to a variety of new ideas and ways of working. In the second stage you will explore longer projects in 2D, 3D and Time based working. You will finish the year with a Final Major Project giving you freedom to explore your preferred pathway area. In your self-directed Final Major Project and end of year exhibition.

Your work is assessed on a formal and informal ongoing basis, with frequent oral and written feedback with grading. Your Final major Project is assessed as Pass, Merit or Distinction.

Additional Costs

You will be given a small list of required materials and equipment at interview.

STUDY MODE

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LOCATION

Afan College - 0330 818 8100

Newtown College - 0330 818 8100

COURSE LENGTH

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