

About the Course

A BTEC National Certificate is a practical, vocational course. You learn by completing projects and assignments that are based on realistic workplace situations, activities and demands. As well as learning about the employment area you have chosen, you develop the skills you need to start a career.

It is equivalent to two A Levels and can be studied alongside another A Level subject. The BTEC National Certificate in Production Arts is a recognised qualification for entry into higher education courses or when you have finished it can be used to go into employment.

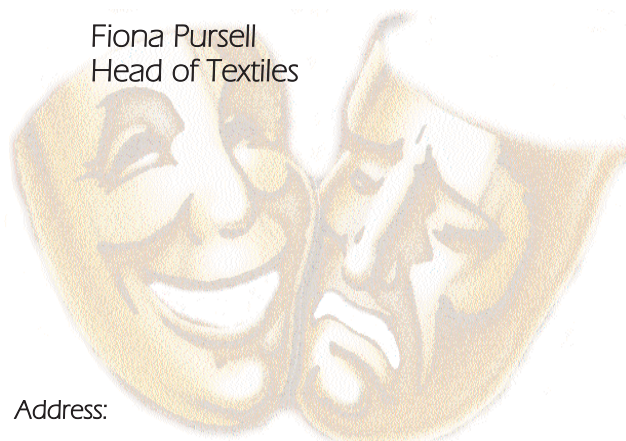
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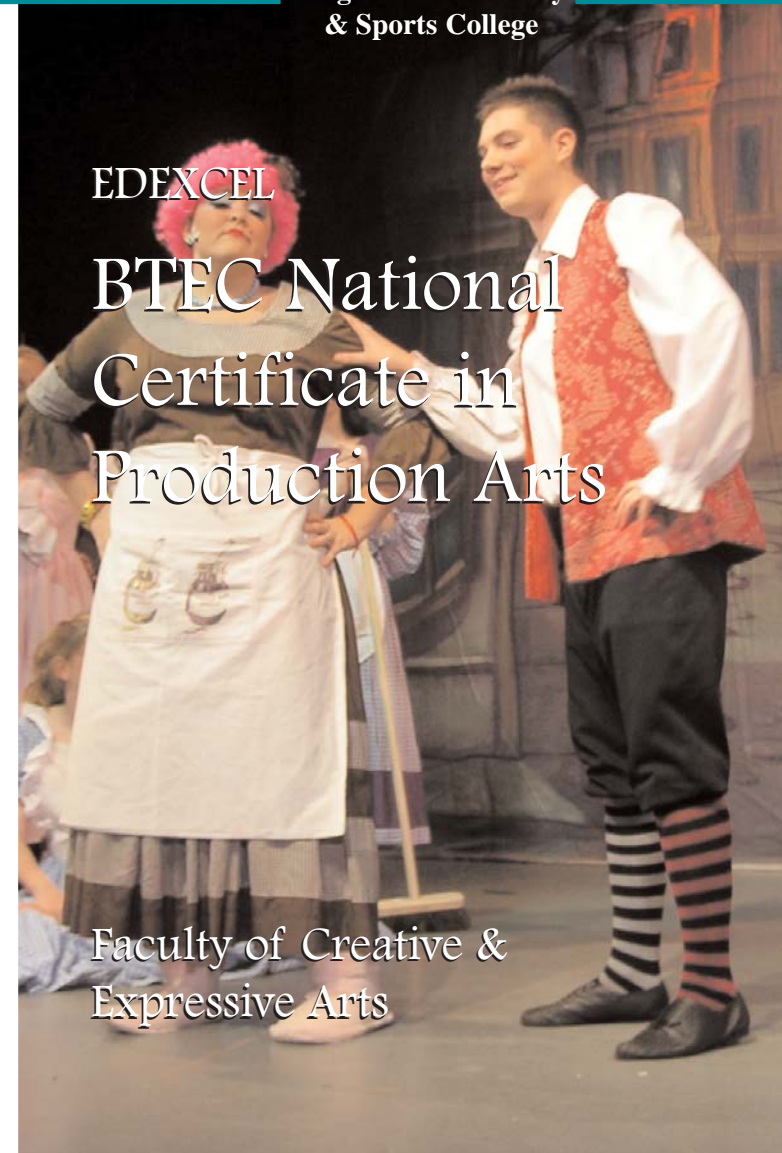


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BTEC National
Certificate in
Production Arts

Faculty of Creative &
Expressive Arts



BTEC National in Production Arts

Study Units

Entry Requirements

Qualification:	BTEC National Certificate, Production Arts
Duration of Course:	2 years
Equivalent to:	2 full A Levels / 12 hours per week (level 3)
Time tabling:	12 hours per week
Examination:	100% practical and coursework
The Course:	This vocational course is divided into units, all of which will focus on the Production Arts industry. Students will be required to fulfil the course criteria through assignment based work, as well as a portfolio for each of the units
Grading:	Pass, Merit or Distinction

The course is made up of 12 units - 3 compulsory core units and 8 specialist units.

Three Core Units

- ◆ Production Workshop
- ◆ Performing Arts Production Planning
- ◆ Production for Theatre Performance

8 specialist units chosen from the following:

Arts Administration
Performing Arts Event Management
Arts in the Community
Stage Management
Scenic Construction for the Stage
Scenic Painting
Stage Design for Performance
Stage Model Making
Stage Costume Making
Developing Costume Design
Designing Costume for Performance
Period Costume for the Stage
Mask Making
Prop Making
Make-up for Performers

- ◆ 5 GCSEs Grade C or above including a GCSE Grade C or above in a related subject - Art & Design, Textiles, Design & Technology, Drama, English or Media.
- ◆ BTEC First Certificate or Diploma in a related subject.
- ◆ Appropriate work experience related to one of the study areas.

What Can I Do at the End of the Course?

BTEC National Certificates are valued by employers and higher education (universities and colleges). Students go on to study a wide range of subjects - Media, Marketing, Stage Management, Theatre Design, Costumery and Fashion, Art Studies, Leisure Industry and Arts Administration.

