

This course is for experienced and talented students who are looking to develop further their all round performance skills. Lessons have a practical, theoretical and vocational focus and students will be required to take part in a variety of performances throughout the course. The BTEC course has the flexibility for one unit to be selected to suit student needs with each new cohort. The National Extended Certificate in Performing Arts (Acting) is equivalent to one A level. The course consists of 4 units (3 of which are mandatory plus one optional unit.) The courses covers a broad basis of study with a focus on performance, technique development and professional practice.

Entry requirements

The entry requirements for this course are 5 GCSEs at grades 4-9 (or BTEC equivalents). Applicants will also be required to attend an audition.

Course Content

Year 1

Investigating Practitioners (marked externally)

Developing Skills and Techniques for Live Performance (marked internally)

Year 2

Group Performance Workshop (marked externally)

Optional Unit (marked internally)

Optional units include Interpreting Classical text for performance, Acting Styles, Improvisation, Movement in Performance and Musical Theatre.



