

BTEC NATIONAL CERTIFICATE IN MUSIC TECHNOLOGY

Level: 3

BOARD: EDEXCEL

LENGTH OF COURSE: AS COURSE – 2 YEARS

What will I learn?

Course content:

Final major project:

- Creating a Music Product
- Planning a musical recording

Specialist:

- Sound creation and manipulation
- Music Technology and performance
- Music sequencing
- Sound recording techniques

Core:

- The sound and music industry
- Listening Skills
- Live sound operation
- Concert staging and production
- The musical keyboard
- The music freelance world

Where might it lead?

You could take this course with a related GCE or other qualification to prepare for higher education vocational courses such as BTEC Higher Nationals in Music Performance or Performing, a degree in popular music, music technology or music production. You could also go on to study a related NVQ at level 3 or 4, which could be work based.

With further training you could go into a job related to music such as a sound engineer or music technician.

The course provides a work related programme of study so you could go straight into a job as it helps you develop the skills, understanding and knowledge that many employers are looking for, especially in the music industries.

What are the entry requirements?

Level 2 threshold (5 A* - C GCSE passes or equivalent). GCSE Music at grade C or above is highly desirable.

Further information is available from: Mr B Wood