# Vocational

Qualification Number: 601/7226/5

# BTEC National Diploma Art and Design – Graphics (Double Qualification)

# **Entry Requirements**

Minimum of 5 grade 4 at GCSE or equivalent. Grade 4 or equivalent in your chosen study subject is preferred.

#### **Course Description**

A 720 hour course, completed over two years; equivalent to two A levels. The qualification is designed to give learners a technical understanding of graphics. Learners gain knowledge and skills in areas such as typography and illustration to produce vocational projects in graphic design.

#### **Units Covered:**

- Graphic Materials, Techniques and Processes
- The Creative Process
- Materials, Techniques and Process in Art and Design
- Developing an Art and Design Portfolio
- Developing and Realising Creative Intentions
- 3D Design Materials, Techniques and Processes
- Visual Recording and Communication
- Critical and Contextual Studies in Art and Design

#### **Assessment**

There are 8 units to complete. Certain units are mandatory whilst others are option based. Around half of all content is externally assessed, with the remainder taking the form of coursework, which is assessed internally by staff and checked annually by a moderator.

# **Career Opportunities**

The qualification is for learners intending to gain employment in Graphic design Ceramics designer Fine artist Furniture designer Glass blower/designer Architect

Press photographer Printmaker Product designer Production designer Theatre/television/film Theatre manager

Web designer

# **Exam Board Website:**

Art and Design (2016) | Pearson qualifications

### **Course Details**

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