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# Level 2 Diploma in Creative Media Production & Technology

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## What is the course about?

The Level 2 Diploma in Creative Media Production & Technology has been designed to provide students with the skills, knowledge and understanding necessary to progress to further study and training in a range of media-related subjects, including Games Design, Website Design, Film, TV, Radio, Sound Engineering and others.

The qualification has been designed for students who have an interest in media, often a specific discipline such as Games Design, who wish to explore and extend this interest via a full-time, immersive learning experience. Many students will have identified a specific career in the creative industries that they wish to progress to (eg Games Designer, App Designer, Designer, Broadcast Technician, Cameraman, Director etc), using this qualification as a starting point.

The qualification is made up of nine units and students must successfully complete eight of them; seven are mandatory and one unit is optional from a choice of two. All units relate to the creative media sector, all are delivered through vocational learning.

This course is broadly equivalent to 4 GCSE grades A\* - C, along with resitting English and Maths will give you 6 GCSEs.

## What are the entry requirements?

A minimum of 4 GCSE grades A\* to D.

Students are advised to discuss opportunities for re-taking English and Maths to achieve Grade C or above with their admissions tutor.

Applicants to courses should provide suitable evidence of their prior learning and achievement ideally in the form of a portfolio of Digital Media, Art & Design or Design Technology work. This should be presented at interview, along with either a reference or school report/Record of Achievement.

You can also resit English and/or maths alongside this course if you have a 'D' or you can do functional skills or pay for a GCSE.

## What will I study?

The course is practical and students will learn how to produce a range of media work through a variety of assignments. The specialist areas that may be studied are Graphic Design, Photography, Sound, Animation, Digital Media and Moving Image.

## How will I be assessed?

Assessments take place throughout the course at approximately six week intervals. Students are expected to present work in a presentation and/or exhibition for assessments.

## What are my progression options?

Level 3 courses / employment.

## Who should I contact?

Please contact the Programme Area Secretary on 648204 or email [applications@ucm.ac.im](mailto:applications@ucm.ac.im)