Introduction to Music Studies

STUDY OPTIONS
Full-time

LENGTH
1 year

DESCRIPTION
This course is designed for students with some instrumental skill but who have had no opportunity to gain any formal qualifications. This course will help you to lay the foundations for a career in the rapidly growing music industry.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
This course has no formal entry requirements, however applicants will be expected to perform an audition playing music of their choice.

WHO IS THE COURSE FOR?
This course is aimed at developing the musical skills of students who have been self-taught or who have never received any formal tuition in music. The course content is sufficiently flexible to meet the interests of both pop musicians, and classical or traditional musicians. The course comprises of a range of subjects including: Sound Engineering, Midi Sequencing, Performing Skills, Music History and Music Theory.

HOW WILL I BE ASSESSED?
This course involves a variety of assessment methods. Solo Performing is assessed by external examination, Music Theory is assessed by an end-of-course exam and all other Units are assessed internally. Coursework takes the form of essays, performances, written evidence, presentations and practical projects.

PROGRESSION ROUTES / CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
Students may progress to the Music Studies course.

COURSE CONTENT INCLUDES
- Performing Skills
- Music Literacy
- Composition
- Music Technology: Midi Sequencing & Sound Engineering
- Appreciation of Music
- Essential Skills: Communication & Introduction to the Internet and Online Communications
- Instrumental/Vocal Skills

AT WHICH COLLEGE CENTRE WILL I STUDY?
Gallowgate

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TO APPLY FOR THIS COURSE:

Or complete this application form and send it to the following address:

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