SELBY COLLEGE COURSE INFORMATION:

# A Level Art & Design (Photography & Art)

ART, DESIGN & PHOTOGRAPHY

**START DATE**
September

**LEVEL**
Level 3

**STUDY MODE**
Full-time

**DURATION**
2 years

**AWARDING BODY**
Assessment & Qualifications Alliance (AQA)

**LOCATION**
Selby College

## Course Overview

If you choose to study A-Level Photography, you will need to be excited by the idea of using cameras, lights and digital applications to produce creative outcomes. You will also need to be committed to an intensive course of study and prepared to devote a lot of time to the production of high-quality work. You will explore a broad range of processes and techniques, learning amazing new skills in our fully equipped, state of the-art digital photo studio as well as the traditional darkroom.

If you choose to study A-Level Art, Craft and Design you will need to have previous experience of art and design evidenced by success at GCSE or by presentation of a portfolio of relevant artwork. Work will be undertaken in a studio environment with access to specialist equipment and resources. The course provides students with the opportunity to develop their skills and creativity through exploration of a variety of techniques, approaches and workshops.

## What You Will Study

Once you have gained a solid, technical grounding you will start to explore areas such as:

- Portraiture
- Still life
- Product photography
- Experimental imagery
- Multimedia
- Photographic and art installations
- Moving image (video, film, animation)

You will learn about the visual elements artists and photographers use in their work and consider the creative power of imagery. Challenges will require you to respond to issues in a very personal way. At all times you will be developing a deep understanding of your chosen focused pathway.

## How You Will Be Assessed

40% Awarding Body, 60% College.

## Entry Requirements

5 GCSEs at Grade 9 - 4, including English Language OR Literature and Maths.

**For further information about this course, including Entry Requirements, Assessments and Further Study, scan the QR code.**

## Need More Information?

For additional course information please contact the Course Information Team on **01924 789111** or email **courseinfo@heartofyorkshire.ac.uk**.

To learn more about Selby College, our facilities and how we can support you please visit our website **www.heartofyorkshire.ac.uk**.

## Quick Links

**How to Apply**

**Student Support**

**Virtual Tours**

Selby College

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Grade 5 or above in an art-based subject (if studied at GCSE).

## Further Study

Many of our students progress onto the Higher National Diploma in Art & Design (Arts Practice) at Selby College to take their photographic and art skills even further and reach a professional standard of work. A Level Art, Design and Photography builds excellent transferrable skills so we also see students applying for degree-level courses across a wide range of other subjects.